



The Pilgrim Post

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Announcements

Disco

A huge thank you to our PTFA who worked really hard and did a fantastic job in organising our school disco. Great fun was had by all. We managed to raise **£380.31**

Roof work

Work is still continuing on our roof, but hopefully it will be water tight on our return from half term.

Books

We are investing in lots of new books for our Library in response to the pupil reading survey as mentioned on Twitter and Facebook.

Name your child's clothing

We have a number of items in lost property with no names on them. Please ensure that you put your child's name on all of their clothing.

Baby News

We would like to congratulate Charlotte Garland on her pregnancy

Old Board Games and Wellies

If you have any unwanted board games or any wellies that are no longer needed. We would be very grateful if you could pass them into the school for our wet play breaks and forest school.

Foundation

We started off the term with a visit from Daddy Bear who needed our help to solve a problem.

We have also been learning how to help keep our teeth 'healthy'. We have investigated what drinks are bad for our teeth because they contain so much sugar! Don't worry...the children have been practising how to brush their teeth well, but they might need reminding at home!



Year 1

At the start of this term we were visited by the people at Warburtons, who showed us how bread is made, and how it gets to all the shops that sell it. We also learned about a healthy plate; how important it is to have food from all the food groups every day. The best part of the day was when we made our own sandwiches, they were delicious!



Year 2

We have been continuing our learning from our story The Emperor's Egg. We have created and performed our own Penguin poetry in our English lessons. They even performed with musical sound effects!



Year 3

This week we have begun our FishFryer programme which will run for 8 weeks. We will be learning all about fish and how to look after them. We have set up an aquarium in Gecko class and we will shortly be having lots of fish to look at! Our fishkeeper of the week is Christina!



Year 4

We have been investigating how temperature changes over time. In computing we turned our findings into a spreadsheet and then turned this data into graphs. We then created our own Google Slides presentations showcasing our findings. We learnt to animate, change fonts and add images to our slides. The outcome was excellent!

Year 5

Last week, Orcas visited EE as part of our Widening Horizons project. We had a great morning meeting lots of the staff there and learning about all of the different job opportunities that could be available to us in the future, as well as designing our own mobile phone and pitching our product to some of the managers. We all learnt a lot about what it takes to work for EE - however, tucking into our cooked breakfast was our favourite part of the day!

Year 6

Over the past few weeks, we have been developing our maps skills while researching the geographical features on North America. We have paid particular attention to Texas, where our class novel 'Holes' is set.



Don't forget we are always sharing our news on Twitter and Facebook



Dates for your Diary

17/02/20 - 21/02/20 - Half Term week

13/03/20 - Comic Relief

21/03/20 - Plymouth Music Education hub
Musicality event (details to follow)

27/03/20 - Easter Bonnet Competition

Parents Evening

Wed 4th March and Thurs 5th March
Bookings will open on eschools from w/c 10th February



Year 1
Year 2
Year 3
Year 4
Year 5
Year 6

Star Writer

Jai-Reece J / Lexi W
Keeley H / Arsema M
Tommy B / Anya H
Roxi H / Melody L
Emily M / Kenzie G
Pawel L / Theo P



Star Mathematician

Year 1
Year 2
Year 3
Year 4
Year 5
Year 6

Phoebe R / Evie S
Kya G / Lacey W
Kyra R / Mina S-A
Danny A / Liam R
Harry A / Brooke C
Jercila C / Sulaf G



Pat on the Back

Year 1
Year 2
Year 3
Year 4
Year 5
Year 6

Fatimah A / Inaya A
Keeley H / Lola-Rose W
Adam K / Harrison P
Ajie J / James W
Sean A / Myles G
Milanas P / Oliver Lye



House Points

Smeaton 2875
Eddystone 2542
Douglass 2540
Rudyard 2812

Attendance

School Target 96.2%
Week ending 31/01/2020
Best Class Attendance

6TL 100 %

Best Class Punctuality

5AS & 6TL 1 late

Year to Date

Best Class Attendance

4RH & 4SG 97.9%

Best Class Punctuality

4RH & 4SG 0 Late