



# The Pilgrim Post

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 ☆ We are experimenting with a ☆  
 ☆ new format for our Newsletters. ☆  
 ☆ Please let us know if you have a ☆  
 ☆ strong opinion either way! ☆  
 ☆ Mrs Meek ☆  
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## Year 5

We have had an exciting start to the term when we began to explore the Shang Dynasty. We made life size 'Terracotta' soldiers, oracle bones out of clay and learnt a lot about the Shang culture.



## Year 6

Last week, Year 6 completed the final drafts of their two week literacy unit based on the short film clip, 'Alma'. They were all able to use a wide range of figurative language and rich vocabulary to make their narratives come alive and the final results were impressive!



It has been noticed that some children are regularly wearing non-uniform items. This is especially noticeable with footwear. Our policy is **black/dark shoes or completely black trainers** and I would be very grateful if these are the school shoes that you buy. **No high heels.**

Also, many children are coming into school with hairstyles which are inappropriate and contrary to school expectations. Coloured hair, tramlines, patterns or extremely short hair (below grade 2) is considered extreme. Please ensure that your son or daughter meets our expectations as regards to hairstyles.



**01/02/19** Class Assembly Yr 3JD

**08/02/19 NON PUPIL DAY**

**25/02/19** Life Caravan (all week)

**06/03/19** Parents Evening 3.30-6pm

**07/03/19** Parents Evening 3.30-5pm  
 World Book Day

**08/03/19** Class Assembly Yr 4LJ

**15/03/19** Comic Relief Day

**22/03/19** Class Assembly Yr 1TH

**05/04/19 End of Spring Term**

**23/04/19 RETURN TO SCHOOL**



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

## Star Writer

Gabrielius V / Kya G  
 Sasha W / Jessica L  
 Peter B / Wiktorina N  
 Chloe S-M / Brooke C  
 Maddie L / Rayan A  
 Matthew C



Year 1  
 Year 2  
 Year 3  
 Year 4  
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 Year 6

## Star Mathematician

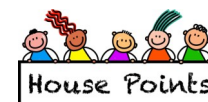
Hollie G / Keiran H  
 Sonia P / Christina P  
 Indiya K-J / Isabella M  
 Levi M / Harry A  
 Chi-Chun I / Ruby W-K  
 Theo B



## Pat on the Back

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

Phoebe H-P / Elliot D  
 AJ D / Christina P  
 James W / Ellie H  
 Maddison B / Liam T  
 Cayden M / AO L  
 Harley R



**Smeaton** 1709  
**Eddystone** 1322  
**Douglass** 1385  
**Rudyard** 1884

## School Matters!



## School Target 96.2%

**Week ending 1st Feb 93.4%**

Best Class Attendance

Year 2 HG **97.4%**

Best Class Punctuality

Year 4 LJ **0 Late**

**Year to Date 95.87%**

Best Class Attendance

Year 4 LJ **97.78%**

Best Class Punctuality

Year 5 SC **34 Lates**

## Foundation

The children have started 'innovating' their version of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We will soon be making our movie based on the children's story. Remember you can come and see it on Wednesday 13th February at 2.30pm.

## Year 1

The Seahorses and Seastars have enjoyed learning about the story Stick Man by Julia Donaldson. The Seahorses gave the whole school a super performance this week. They are looking forward to their next story Lost and Found.

## Year 2

This term we have been learning about habitats. We have been exploring the school grounds looking for minibeasts in their microhabitats. We turned our findings into tally charts and found that the most popular bug is the woodlouse.

## Year 3

We have been learning about the Stone Age. In Forest School we made Stewed fruit over an open fire just like the early humans would have! We looked at the similarities and difference of cooking then to now. Some of us even enjoyed tasting the Stewed Fruit!



## Year 4

Year 4 have been enjoying their topic on America. Here is some Pop Art that they created in the style of the American artist Roy Lichtenstein.

