



### **Dear Parents and Carers**

Wow that was a very cold week! It has been lovely being out on the frosty mornings; so many different hats, gloves and scarves! It would be great if they are all named, thank you.

### **Well done**

These children have been the top readers for the week of 8th-15th Jan. Fantastic news.

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|----|------------|-----|-------------|
| 3H | Manuel A   | 5T  | Justas S    |
| 3S | Archie B   | 5W  | Alexandra G |
| 4E | Florence L | 6BH | Maddison H  |
| 4F | Elijah A   | 6P  | Naomi A     |

### **World Book Day**

Just a bit of advance notice that it is World Book Day on Thursday 7th March. This is the day when we all dress up as characters from books and have lots of different reading activities all day in school. There is no need to spend lots of money on elaborate costumes, there is nearly always something in the cupboard.

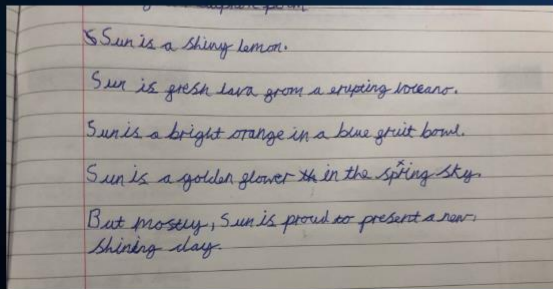
### **After School Clubs**

After-School clubs have started. If your child has a place, you will have receive an email last week letting you know. If you have not received an email, you do not have a place, but your child will be prioritised in the next round of clubs. If your child misses clubs for reasons other than illness, we may offer that place to someone on the waiting list.

### **Ding - a - Ling**

A reminder that there is an under-fives group on a Friday morning in the Community Room. It is a friendly group of parents and starts after school drop off. Come along with your baby or toddler and they have will have a chance to meet other children, play with a range of toys and do some singing or rhyme time and have a snack. There is no charge, just come and have some fun.

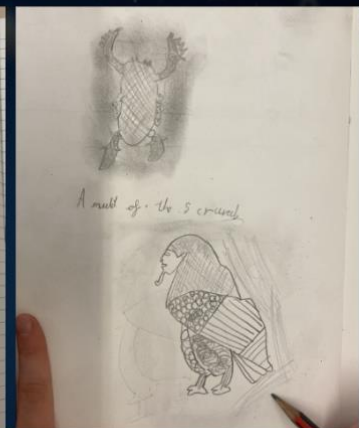
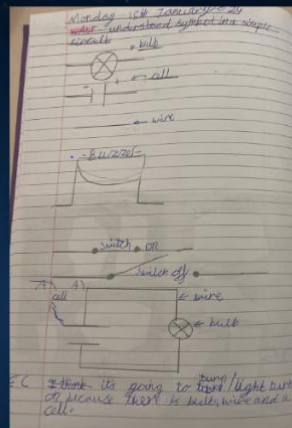
## Year 3



In English Year 3 have been looking at different types of poetry and have been writing their own poems using metaphors and rhyming couplets.

In PE we have been focusing on our football skills such as correctly passing the ball to each other and controlling it.

## Year 4



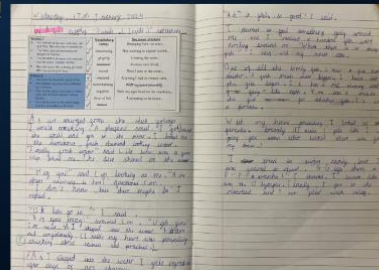
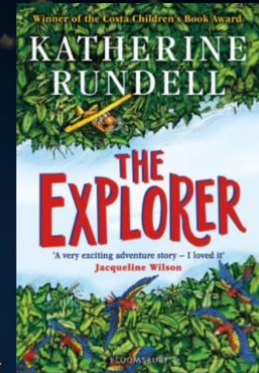
Over the past few weeks, Year 4 have been learning about different sketching techniques and using these to create drawings of Egyptian amulets. In science, we have been learning about electrical circuits and drawing symbols to represent these. Our Geography unit this term has been looking at climate change and looking at the effects on different wildlife. So we have linked some science learning about different types of animals and classified these into different groups. We have also been playing tag rugby in PE with Exeter Chiefs!

## Year 5

In Year 5 we have started our new book - The Explorer by Katherine Rundell

It is all about 4 children who are in a plane crash and get lost in the Amazon Rainforest.

In Geography and DT we have been learning all about Brazil. We have learnt about the climate, rainfall and tasted some chocolates called brigadeiros!



## Year 6

In Year 6 we have been we have been learning all about Hong Kong in Geography and how we could travel there from the UK.

We have also been creating our own websites in Computing and have built survival shelters in our Outdoor Learning time, despite the cold!



18<sup>th</sup> January 2024

| Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday                               | Friday                                  |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| Main Meal                                       | Main Meal   | Main Meal  | Main Meal                              | Main Meal                               |
| Macaroni Cheese with Focaccia Bread and Peas    | Sausage, Mash, Sweetcorn and Gravy                      | Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes, Fresh Veg Medley           | Pepperoni Pizza with Wedges and Salad  | Chicken Bites, Chips and Baked Beans    |
| Vegetarian Option                               | Vegetarian Option                                       | Vegetarian Option  | Vegetarian Option                      | Vegetarian Option                       |
| Sweet Potato and Butternut Korma, Rice and Peas | Tomato and Cheese Gnocchi, Focaccia Bread and Sweetcorn | Roasted Veg Wellington, Roast Potatoes, Fresh Veg Medley | Margherita Pizza with Wedges and Salad | 5 Bean Enchilada, Chips and Baked Beans |
| Jacket Potato                                   | Jacket Potato   | Jacket Potato  | Jacket Potato                          | Jacket Potato                           |
| With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo                 | With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo                         | With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo                          | With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo        | With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo         |
| Dessert   | Dessert   | Dessert  | Dessert                                | Dessert                                 |
| Cake Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt                      | Flapjack Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt                          | Ice Cream Pot Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt                      | Cake Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt             | Cookie Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt            |