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Frittenden CEP School



Summer term is here and the temperature is finally rising, albeit slowly. The children have really enjoyed playing in the paddock, investigating the space and running riot. Football is back on the menu for key stage 2, for 2 days initially. Miss M reports that the children taking part have enjoyed it very much.

Potter Class had some eggs and an incubator delivered this week, thanks to Mr Thomas. By Friday afternoon they were Proud parents (fleeting!) to 11 chicks. They all produced some amazing chick diaries.

Dahl Class have been busy welcoming their new teacher. This week that have been planting and investigating outside.

Year 3 have been to Forest School: they had an amazing first day! They were all so busy and engaged. In Wells Class this week they have been investigating nappies... Shakespeare Class have been getting prepared for SATs, whilst continuing with their usual lessons. Ed, in year 5 demonstrated great knowledge about rivers with lots of technical vocabulary.

Mrs. Deaves tells us that little Lambs is going from strength to strength. If you have a baby or toddler, why not join them in St. Mary's from 10am on Monday's for messy play, craft and other activities.



Dates:

5th May

Forest School Y3

12th May

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9th—12th May

Key Stage 2 SATs week

16th May

Residential @ Kingswood

24th May

Forest School Year R

26 May

Potter & Dahl Class Rare Breeds Centre

27 May

Jubilee Celebration

Keep an eye on school events:

[Frittenden Church of England Primary School - Calendar](#)



Frittenden Youth Club resumes on Fridays. It is hosted in the school hall (while the memorial hall is being renovated). Children from age 8+ are welcome to attend.

4.30 – 6.30pm



We have had a busy start to Term 5. As part of our new topic 'Growing' we have talked about lifecycles and are lucky to have caterpillars and chicks in Potter class. We have enjoyed being outside in our revamped mud kitchen and sandpit too. In the classroom we continue to use our new writing and reading skills and used our phonic knowledge to read a recipe and make bread. The children gave it a big thumbs up!





Dahl Class have been outside too. They have been planting and tending to their beds as well as investigating the paddock. We are learning about the environment and how we can play a part in looking after it.

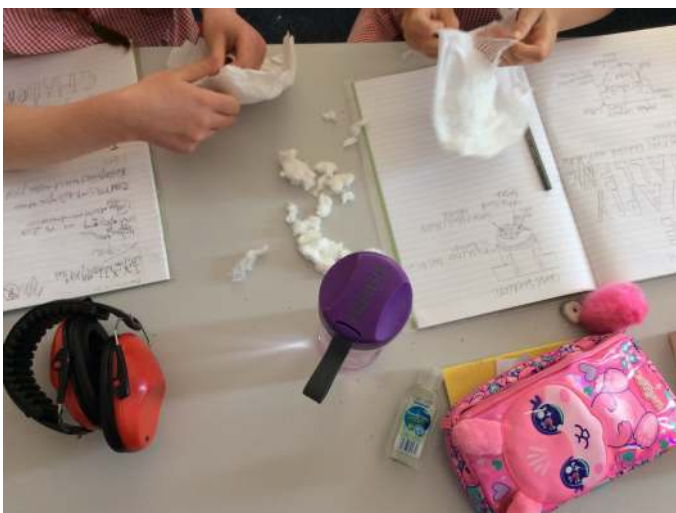




Surprisingly, Wells have started their Nappy Challenge... An investigation into the wonderful world of NAPPIES. So far, we have used our observations skills and tested the Velcro style waist clasps. We managed to put over 2Kg of mass on it and it wouldn't budge.

In athletics, this term, we've started with developing our teamwork though relay races.

While working in pairs, we've been developing our understanding of decimal places by using place value counters. Additionally, we have correlated this with money and part-whole models to £10.00.





Hi from Shakespeare,

Weeks 1 and 2 of the first half of the Summer Term have been busy in Shakespeare as we launch into some new curriculum topics.

During these past couple of weeks we've enjoyed working on our Athletics skills with Ms Mankletow on Wednesday. Why not have a look at us in action.

As part of our English work we rehearsed and performed a poem entitled 'The River Speaks'. We recorded our presentations considering our intonation, volume and tone as we performed. Hopefully you've been able to see a flavour of that through our Seesaw updates.

Linked to our current Geography topic on 'Rivers' we have been exploring the water cycle, as well as investigating using atlases and maps what rivers we have locally here in the U.K.

Throughout this term in Shakespeare we will be investigating in Science the topic of 'Growing Up & growing old'. This has included us beginning to recognise how we and some well-known celebrities have changed from earlier photographs.



WHAT IS GOOD ATTENDANCE?					
190 LEARNING DAYS EACH SCHOOL YEAR.					
175 DAYS FOR FAMILY TIME, HOLIDAYS AND SHOPPING.					
190 days	184 days	182 days	178 days	176 days	160 days
100%	96.8%	95.8%	93.6%	92.6%	84.2%
Good		Worrying		Serious Concern	

	Girls	Boys	Total
R	67.9	95	79.2
1	94.4	84.4	89.7
2	89.6	95	92
3	87.5	95.8	90.6
4	100	79.2	90.4
5	100	92.9	97.1
6	100	80	92.3
T	91.9	88.7	90.5

	Girls	Boys	Total	
R	0	0	0	Down
1	5	5	10	Down
2	0	0	0	Down
3	10	5	15	Down
4	10	0	10	Down
5	15	0	15	Down
6	0	0	0	Down
T	40	10	50	Down



House	19—29.05	Total
Canterbury	106	928
Lincoln	152	1476
St. Pauls	110	1322
Salisbury	199	1509

Certificates :

HT Award : Jack M & Olivia W

Potter Class: Daisy

Dahl Class : Sophie & Baylen

Wells Class : Dan, Eden Celeste, Lizzie & Tom

Shakespeare Class : Immanuel & Ava

