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YEAR GROUP NEWS!

SPRING TERM

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NURSERY

This term in Acorn Class 'mark making' has been very popular, the children are enjoying finding many different ways, and places, to practice what they have been learning. In the warmer weather this was very evident when the children chose chalks to draw with outside. They practiced drawing shapes and writing their names (not forgetting to also practice drawing around each other too)!



Also, who can forget World Book Day?

The children loved the stories and books – We had a lovely day... sharing stories and dressing up as different characters, from Elsa, to the Princess Pearl! However, the real treat was being joined by our year 6 children who came outside with us to share some stories too.



RECEPTION

Reception has been busy learning about traditional tales such as The Billy Goat Gruff, The Gingerbread Man and The Three Little Pigs this half term.

We had detailed discussions about the different roles such as heroes/heroines and villains, settings and what the characteristics of a fairy tale and a traditional tale are.

As a Talk for writing school, we have been creating story maps and learnt different actions to go along with the stories each week. The children have been encouraged to innovate the stories by changing one or two characters and in this way create their own in small groups.

The children were able to use their creativity and imagination, while there were also developing their writing and team working skills.



YEAR 1

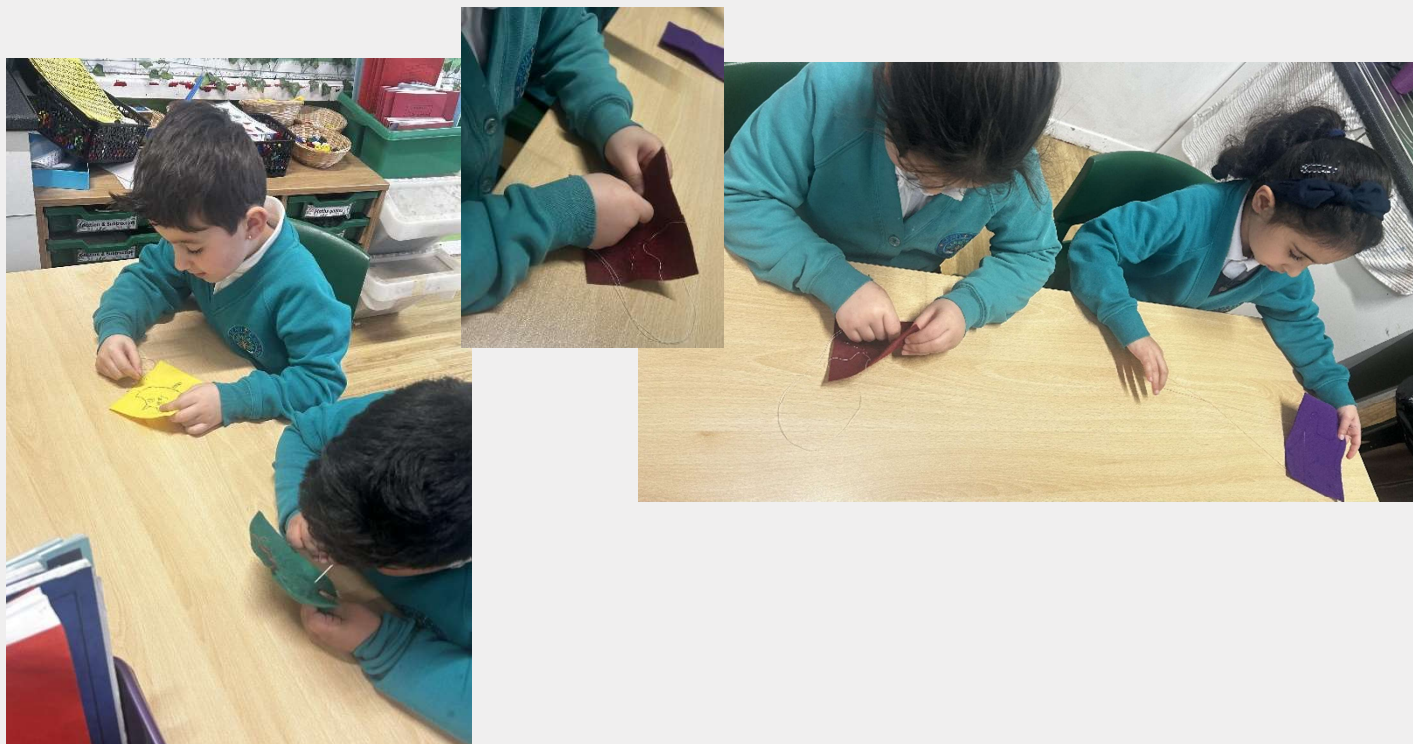


In year one this term, we had an amazing trip to Guildford Spectrum to compete in Sportshall Athletics against five other schools from the local area. During our P.E. lessons we learnt and practiced how to complete the different events, which included: throwing, bowling, jumping and racing. We really enjoyed this morning out and one of our teams even came fourth!



YEAR 2

Year 2 have been getting creative with their sewing skills. They have carefully drawn out their monster shape, practiced threading their needles and starting off their running stitches. They chose contrasting coloured thread to their fabric and have added some facial features too. We are excited to see their end results!



YEAR 3

In DT, Year 3 have designed and made their own vegetable tarts using seasonal vegetables. They have used various skills including chopping, grating and peeling.



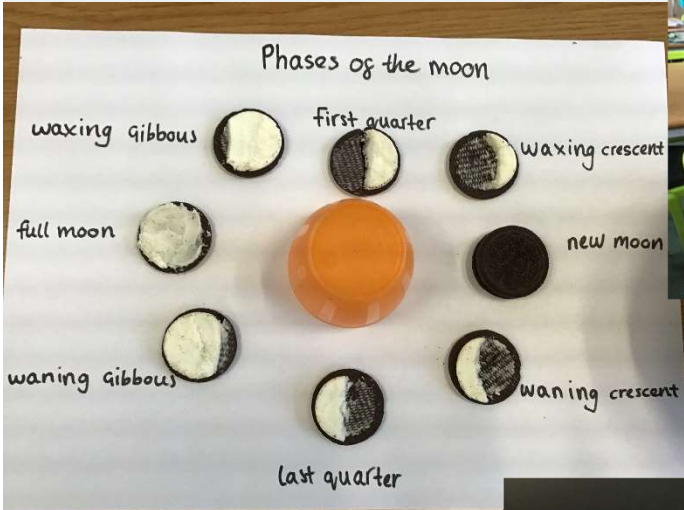
YEAR 4

The last couple of weeks Year 4 have been looking deeply into the Easter story and what this means to Christians. We had the opportunity to go to St Mary's Church and led a Lent service. The following week on Easter Pause Day, after looking at the Easter story, we looked at the role of Peter and Judas in the Easter story. We thought about the idea of forgiveness and translated this into abstract art. We translated our ideas through colours and patterns and symbolism.



YEAR 5

We are thrilled to share that our Year 5 classes have had an incredible half term diving into the vast world of space! They have been busy creating and sharing some out-of-this-world space projects, learning about space in science lessons and have even had the chance to experience the life of an astronaut during a VR workshop. Our students have truly embraced the wonders of space and have done an outstanding job sharing their newfound expertise with enthusiasm and creativity.



YEAR 6

Year 6 have enjoyed learning all about Mexico in Geography and the Ancient Maya in History. They also enjoyed making masks out of Modroc in the style of Dia De Los Muertos (Day of the Dead).



Year 6 have also enjoyed their recent English topic where they learnt all about the story of Macbeth. They enjoyed exploring the different characters and wrote their own potions and newspaper reports.

