

NEWSLETTER

8th February 2019

Shakespeare Class Update

Greetings from Shakespeare Class!

This week it's our turn to tell you all about the exciting things we have been learning about this term.

Along with the rest of Key Stage 2, our topic is the Tudors. So far, we have created timelines, made leaflets about Henry VII, and comic strips about the most famous Tudor of all - Henry VIII. We can't wait to find out other facts about the Tudors.

In English, we have been studying the work of our class namesake, Mr William Shakespeare. We have re-enacted scenes from Macbeth and have written letters and newspaper reports about this exciting story of death and betrayal!

Maths has been fractions, fractions and more fractions! We have been ordering fractions, converting fractions, adding and subtracting fractions - the list goes on and on!



Our Science topic has been extremely exciting, as you can see from our photos. We have been learning about water density, testing different substances to see if they were acids or alkali and researching the Water Cycle.



Shakespeare Class Update continued...

Most exciting of all, were our Wednesday visits to Windmill Woods as it has been our turn for Forest School. We cooked, built fires, participated in team building games and had a fantastic time. Many thanks to Ms Abel and Mr Digby for this. Also huge thanks to Mr Wiggins and Ms Brinsley for giving up their time to help us every week.



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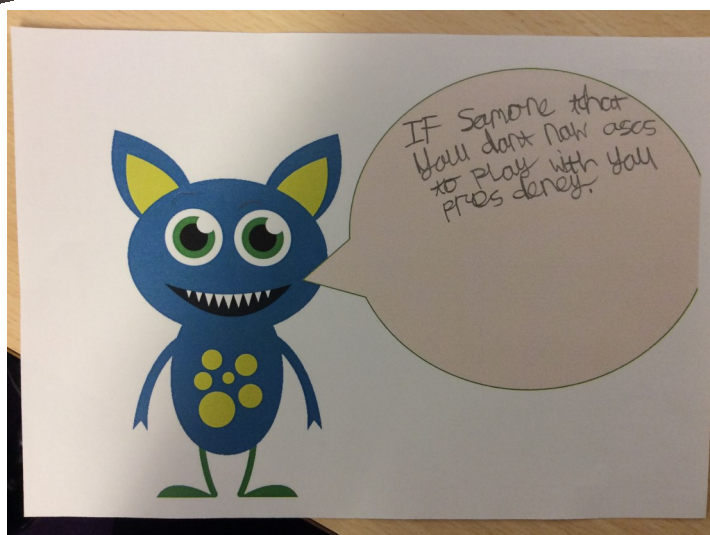
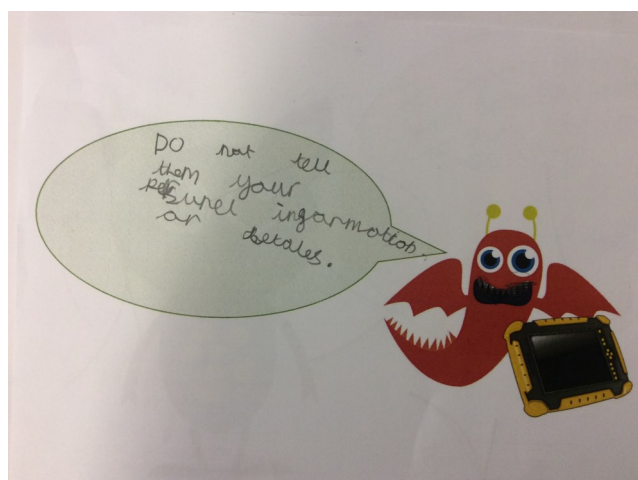
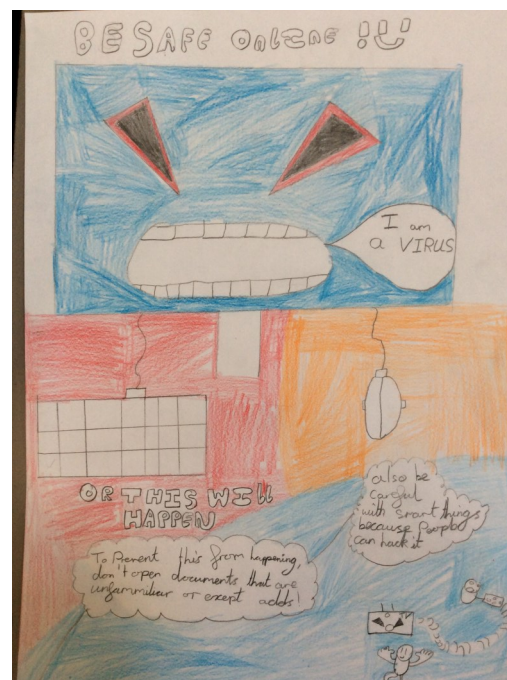
Internet Safety Week

Sandhurst has embraced Internet Safety week. We started with an interactive assembly, thinking about how we must stay safe when online, and the importance of making the right decisions.

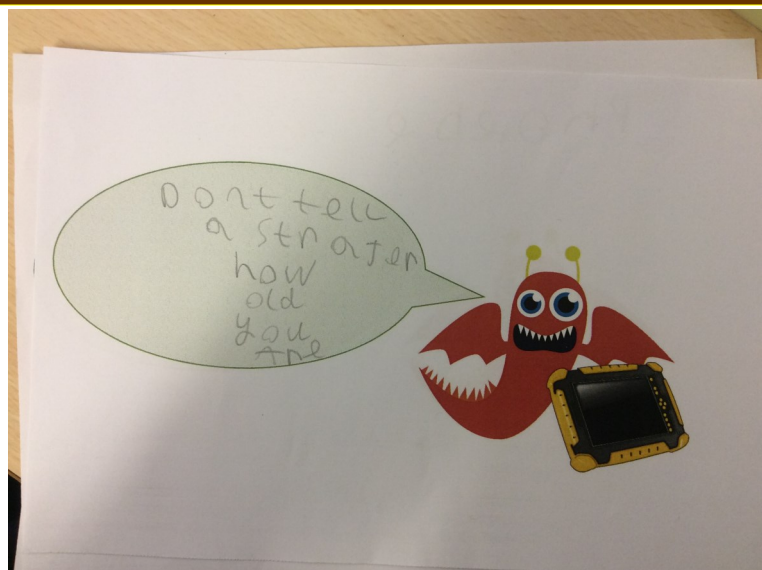
The children really have an awareness of the importance of kindness, but this week was all about ensuring they are aware of the outcomes of the choices they make online.

Here are some great examples of some of the posters pupils-made. Parent information has also been e-mailed out.

L. Reeves



Internet Safety continued



Safer internet day!

- . Never share your personal information online*
- . If anyone ever sends you a nasty message tell an adult and block them*
- . Do not ever arrange to meet up with someone online you do not know*
- . Do not ever share any photos of you and your friend online if you have not checked with them and their parent first*
- . Do not ever send nasty messages online*
- . Never call or message someone you do not know*
- . Do not friend someone on a game if you do not know them because they could lie to you about anything they say*



Young Voices

The Sandhurst Young Voices Choir had an amazing night on Tuesday when they joined in with over 8,000 other school children singing at the O2. They accompanied some fantastic acts such as Sharlene Hector and we also saw Britain's Got Talent Gold Buzzer act Beau Dermott, who at 15 years old was a real inspiration. Tony Hadley, the lead singer of Spandau Ballet. They also wowed the audience with a range of songs and dance moves they have been practising since July. The children were amazing and it was fantastic for them to be part of such an event. It was a night we'll never forget!

Huge thanks to Mrs Hallett, Mrs Penfold, Mrs Kember, Mr Eccles, Miss Brinsley and Mrs Griggs for helping out and to all the parents for their support. We are already making plans for Young Voices 2020!



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Young Voices Continued



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Darwin Class started Forest School this week



Darwin Class enjoyed their first session in Windmill Woods this week.

Attendance & Punctuality



Class	Percentage Attendance
Potter	92.4
Nightingale	96.1
Darwin	97.1
Pankhurst	94.2
Shakespeare	98.0
Churchill	98.4

Churchill have done it again! 98.4%. They are in the lead for the termly class treat, closely followed by Darwin. Only next week to go to make a difference!

Pankhurst Class were the most punctual—NO LATES! Well done. Pup is on his way to you.

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Pankhurst Class Assembly

Thank you to Pankhurst Class for their fabulous performance of 'Rodney and Julie' this morning. For those who were not present, this was an adaptation of Romeo and Juliet.



Stars of the Week

Star of the Week children can now choose to enjoy a hot chocolate drink with Mrs Norman on a Friday afternoon. During this time, we make wonderful hot chocolate concoctions with 'squirty' cream, grated chocolate and marshmallows as well as celebrating the achievement of our stars!



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Diary Dates

14th Feb	Mtg. for Parents re: School Journey to France - after school in hall
18th Feb	February holiday
25th Feb	Term 4 begins -Children back to school
4th Mar	Book Week
6th Mar	Book Fair after school
7th Mar	Book Fair After School
8th Mar	Book Week Dress-Up Assembly
12th Mar	Year 6 Memory Book Photographer visiting
	Parent Consultation Evening
13th Mar	Parent Consultation Afternoon
14th Mar	KS2 Trip to Bethany School-Peter and the Wolf
15th Mar	Comic Relief Day
25th Mar	Full Governing Body Meeting
29th Mar	P & F Mother's Day Sale
5th Apr	Easter Service Mission Church
	P & F Easter Tombola after school
	End of Term 4
22nd Apr	Term 5 Begins
23rd -26th Apr	Year 5 & 6 Residential trip to Hardelet, France
10th May	School Photo Day-Class Groups
13th-16th May	SATs Week
13th May	Full Governing Body Meeting
17th May	Year 6 Reward trip
20th May	Sports week
22nd May	Year 5 & 6 'Growing Up' talk
23rd May	KS2 Inter-house Sports Afternoon
24th May	Sports day
	End of Term 5