

Our whole school attendance for the week commencing 13th March was 91% which is unfortunately below our target. .

Over the last week at Beechwood.....

Foundation Stage have been visited by Evil Pea. This tiny terror messed up their garden leaving destruction wherever he had been and a trail of peas and messages. In maths they have matched representations of 9 and 10 and have played games to do with doubling patterns. In literacy they have described Supertato characteristics.

Year 1 have been learning about the Owl and the Pussycat by Edward Lear. Children have answered comprehension questions about the poem. In maths we have finished our unit on length and measurement and children have become increasingly confident in measuring in cm. In geography we have learnt about the world's 7 continents.

Year 2 have been writing their fact files on the Big 5 in english, they have remembered lots of interesting facts! In maths they have been recognising and finding a quarter and will move on to recognising a third. We have enjoyed learning about Easter and had an Easter assembly yesterday whilst KS2 were at the church.

Year 3 have started a new unit in maths, looking at using and reading scales. In english we have started to look at poetry, beginning with some lovely acrostic poems. In science we have planted our cress seeds and are now waiting to see if they grow! In P.E. we have continued learning new yoga poses, taking turns leading a yoga session to the class.

Year 4 have been completing their maths unit on fractions and will be starting their new unit on decimals. In R.E. we prepared for our Easter presentation at the church service. In art we are planning and producing our final illuminated letters. In P.E. we are carrying on with our units on dance and handball.

Year 5 have been immersing themselves in report writing and practicing writing catchy headlines using alliteration and puns in english. In maths we have continued to develop our knowledge of line graphs in our statistics unit. We have learned about Henry VIII's brother Arthur, who should have been heir to the throne - we had fun last week making town crier announcements on the field informing everyone of his untimely death. In art we have looked at symbolism in Tudor portraits.

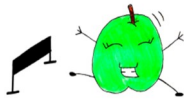
Year 6 have been imagining living during the Blitz and are soon to be evacuated! They will be writing a diary account of their experiences. In maths we have been revising, looking at shapes and calculating their areas. We have been practicing Bhangra motifs in PE and enjoying Basketball outside. They have tied in their knowledge learnt in RE (Is Christianity still a strong religion after 2000 years?) into their Easter poems, some of which were read out at the Church Service yesterday.

House Points

**Outstanding
Oranges**
201



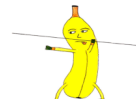
**Amazing
Apples**
246



**Super
Strawberries**
185



**Brilliant
Bananas**
150



Congratulations to Amazing Apples for collecting the most tokens last week.

Dates for your diary:

Friday 24th March	- Non Uniform day to raise money for playground equipment
Monday 27th March	- Parents evening 3.30-6.00pm—Face to face in school
Tuesday 28th March	- Year 5 trip to Legoland
Wednesday 29th March	- Foxes Class Assembly—2.30pm
	- Parents evening 5.00-7.30pm—Via Zoom
Friday 31st March	- End of Term 1.10-1.30pm
Monday 17th April	- Start of Summer Term
Wednesday 26th April	- Rabbits Class Assembly—2.30pm
Monday 1st May	- Bank Holiday
Monday 8th May	- Bank Holiday
Wednesday 10th May	- Wrens Class Assembly—2.30pm
Monday 29th May—Friday 2nd May	- Half Term