



GREYTHORN PRIMARY

"Engaging hearts, equipping minds, opening doors"

Spring Term

Weekly Newsletter

17th January 2025

DATES FOR THE DIARY

TUESDAY 28th JANUARY

Young Voices - Year 5/6

FRIDAY 31st JANUARY

Toddler - Play & Stay

**MONDAY 3rd - WEDNESDAY 5th
FEBRUARY**

Whitemoor Lakes - Year 5

THURSDAY 6th FEBRUARY

BikeAbility

TUESDAY 11th FEBRUARY

Willow Class Parents' Evening

WEDNESDAY 26th FEBRUARY

Cresswell Crags - Year 3/4

MONDAY 10th MARCH

Yorkshire Wildlife Park - Year 5/6

TUESDAY 25th MARCH

Parents' Evening

THURSDAY 27th MARCH

Parents' Evening

TERM DATES

Spring Term

6 January - 14 February 2025

25 February - 4 April 2025

Summer Term

22 April - 23 May 2025

3 June - 29 July 2025

INSET: 24 Feb, 2 Jun



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR HEADTEACHER

Dear Parents and Carers,

I want to let you know that I will be away from school from 20th January for a couple of months due to planned surgery and recovery. During this time, Mrs Cox will be Acting Head with the support of SLT and governors. I will be keeping in touch with Mrs Cox and our super Greythorn Team and will be looking forward to getting back to school as soon as I am able.

Should you need to contact Mrs Cox please use the following email address: head@greythorn.notts.sch.uk

Kind regards,

Mrs Carpenter



THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS



Foundation

This week in foundation, we have been learning about hot and cold places on Earth. We have been labelling the Northern and Southern Hemispheres.

The children also enjoyed completing their colour wheels using their knowledge of the primary and secondary colours.

We have also been learning all about habitats and making comparisons between land and sea animals.



Year 1/2

Year 1/2 have loved their unit on painting this term so far! This week we reactivated our knowledge from last week by mixing the primary colours into secondary colours and then explored different painting techniques by using cotton buds, paint brushes, pom poms, sponges, forks and string! What a lot of fun they all had!

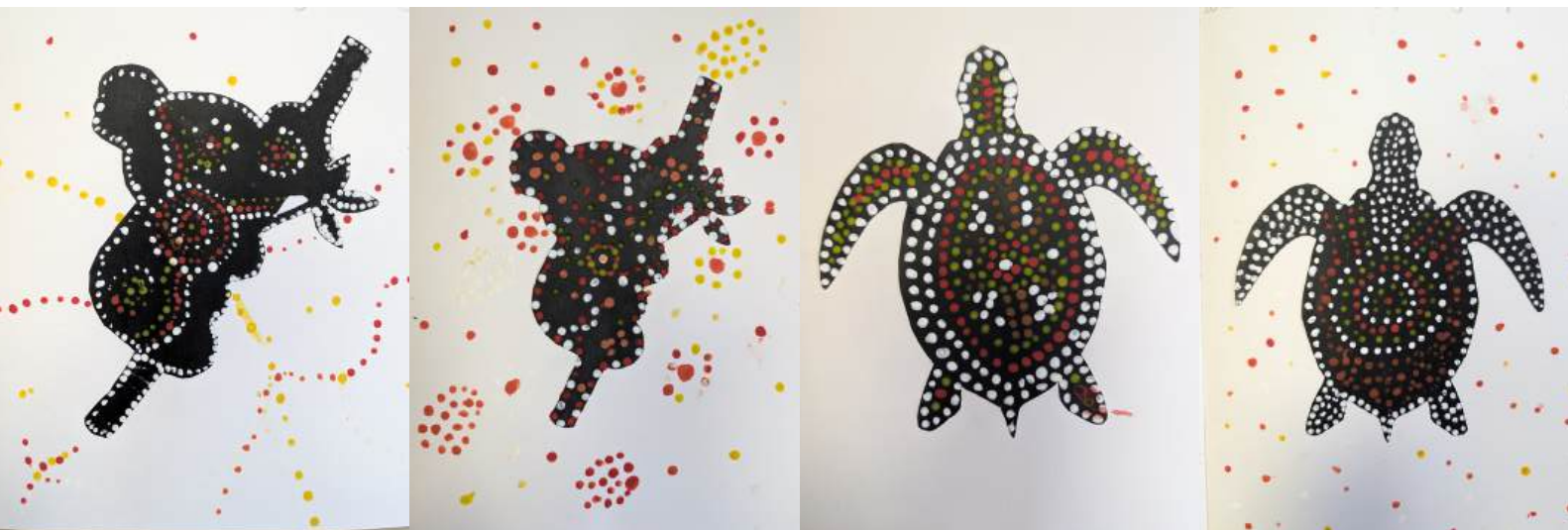


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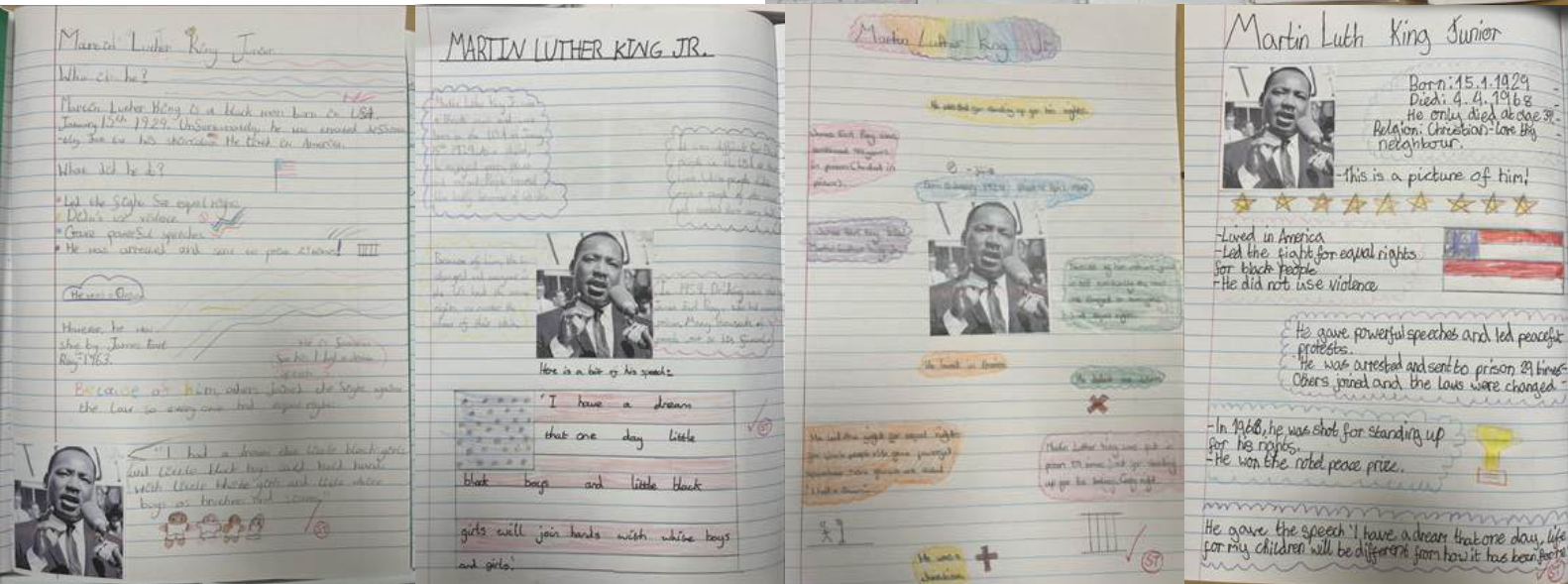
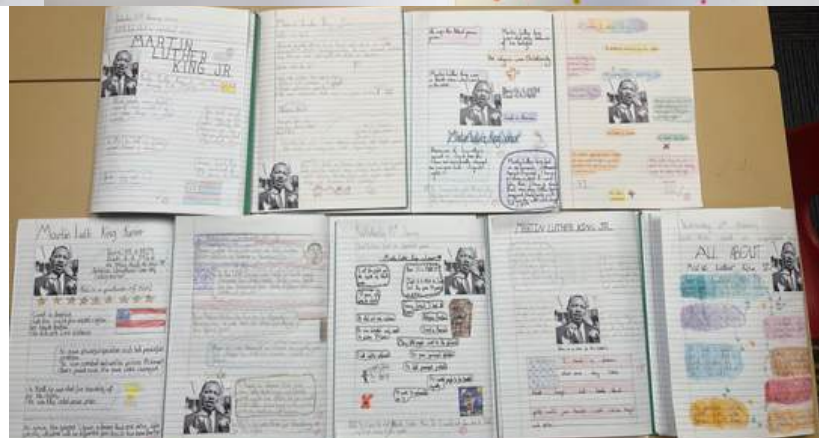
Year 3/4

Year 3/4 have been learning all about Aboriginal art and the artist Danny Eastwood. They have learnt the technique of pointillism and applied this this week by using colours inspired by the aboriginal culture and focusing on creating patterns.



Year 5/6

In RE this term, Year 5/6 are focusing on inspirational people. This week, we learnt all about Martin Luther King Jr and some of the things he achieved in his life.



AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

AFTERSCHOOL SPORTS CLUBS - SPRING 1

Day	Year	Lesson
Monday	1,2 3,4,5,6	LEGO Club Table Tennis
Tuesday	1,2 3,4,5,6	Table Tennis Board Games
Wednesday	3,4,5,6	LEGO Club
Thursday	1,2	Craft Club
Friday	3,4,5,6 3,4,5,6	Craft Club Dodgeball

We are delighted to have launched our selection of afterschool sports and enrichment clubs for the next half term. They will run for 5 weeks and finish on Friday 14th February.

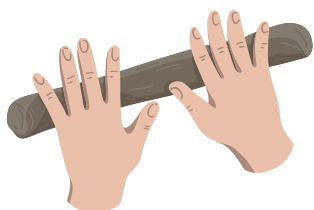
There are still places available at:

- LEGO Club (Monday & Wednesday)
- Table Tennis (Monday only)
- Board Games (Tuesday)
- Craft Club (Friday)
- Dodgeball (Friday)

Please book via ParentPay.



Reminder - Please make sure PE kits are in school and labelled with your child's name.



Clay Creators

Clay Creators Club is for Years 1 - 6, on a Monday 3.30pm to 4.30pm. There are still a few places available. Build amazing and fun Jurassic models. To book click link below:

<https://booking.claycreators.com/bookings/course-info/1644>



Cook with Della

Cook with Della is for Years 3 - 6, on a Thursday 3.30pm to 5.30pm. Each week your child will learn about new foods and learn new skills. All ingredients, drink and snack are provided. New recipe each week. For more information please see below:

<http://www.cookwithdella.co.uk>

TODDLER PLAY AND STAY

A VERY WARM WELCOME

AWAITS YOU
AND YOUR CHILDREN

For Parents/Carers with Children (age 0 - 4 yrs) living in the
local community

Come and join us for playtime, chat and refreshments



Free of Charge
9.15AM - 10.15AM
Friday 31st January
Friday 14th February
Friday 28th February
Friday 14th March
Friday 28th March
Friday 25th April



Please email/telephone to
reserve your place

MENU SPRING TERM 2025

Menu

w/c
20 January 2025

Please find attached our current lunch time menu.

If your child would like a school lunch they will be able to order on the day, the cost is £2.95 and needs to be paid in advance.

WEEK 3

WEEK COMMENCING
18 Nov, 9 Dec, 30 Dec, 20 Jan, 10 Feb,
3 March, 24 March

All of our meals are prepared using freshly sourced products from the East Midlands. If you need to know more about the ingredients used, please ask.

AVAILABLE DAILY: Best of both bread **Gluten**, **Soya** fresh fruit. Vegetarian meals available upon request



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN	Margherita pizza <small>Soya Milk Gluten</small>	All day brunch Nottinghamshire sausage <small>Gluten Sulphur dioxide</small> OR Plant-based sausage <small>Soya Sulphur dioxide</small>	Pasta shell Bolognese <small>Gluten Mustard Soya Fish</small> OR Meat-free pasta shell Bolognese <small>Gluten Mustard Soya</small>	Roast chicken OR Plant based sausage <small>Soya Sulphur dioxide</small> Yorkshire pudding <small>Milk Egg Gluten</small>	Fish fingers Gluten Fish Oven chips, sweetcorn & minted garden peas
SIDES	Pomme noisette, sweetcorn & diced carrots	Omelette Egg Milk , baked beans, hash brown, roast tomato & tomato ketchup	Garlic bread <small>Soya Milk Gluten</small> sweetcorn	Stuffing, Gluten mashed potatoes, broccoli sliced carrots & gravy	Jacket potato, cheese Milk , baked beans or tuna mayonnaise Fish Egg & mixed salad
PUDDING	Fruit yoghurt <small>Milk</small>	Vanilla sprinkle muffin <small>Gluten</small>	Chocolate ice cream roll <small>Soya Milk Egg Gluten</small> & chocolate sauce Milk	Honey cake <small>Milk Egg Gluten</small>	Flapjack <small>Gluten</small>



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FOOD HYGIENE RATING
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COMMUNITY EVENTS

St Paul's Boundary Road

FREE!

Messy Church

- Arts and crafts
- Bible stories
- Singing together
- Meal included!

Lots of fun for children of all ages and their parents and carers. Come along and get creative!

Saturday 18th January
3:45pm - 5:30pm

Scan to book your **FREE** place >>>
or visit stpaulsboundaryroad.churchsuite.com/events/tl7yqvhu

St Paul's Church, Boundary Road, NG2 7DB

Bandwise 2025
WORKSHOP AND PERFORMANCE OPEN TO ALL YOUNG PLAYERS

BIG YOUTH MUSIC EXPERIENCE

Playing workshop: Saturday 8th March
South Nottinghamshire Academy, Radcliffe on Trent

Concert: Sunday 16th March
Albert Hall, Nottingham

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