

Newsletter

Monday 30th December 2020

Please could we ask that when waiting to drop off and collect your child you follow social distancing guidelines. Where possible please avoid "grouping" to enable us to get children in and out of school as quickly as possible.
Thank you for your continued support.

Year 2 News

Exploring habitats and learning about what to include in my own bug hotel design

We watched the smart and some video links to help us understand what a bug hotel is and how we could begin to design our own. We soon realised that most of the materials needed were natural and could be found on our school field or in our gardens at home.

Looking more closely at some examples of bug hotels we began to understand the different types of animals and

creatures that would visit them. Making a list we thought about trying to encourage minibeasts to our bug hotel, such as spiders, ants, millipedes, woodlice, slugs, snails and worms, along with ladybirds, bees and wasps.

Here we are exploring the school field and collecting some possible resources to use in our own designs. As well as some of our own designs.





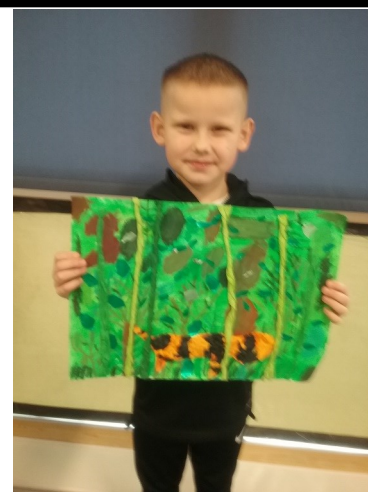
Christmas Dress Up Day Friday 11th December 2020

More details coming soon!



2EB News

2EB have been working with Mr Kemp to create some art work based on habitats. I'm sure you will agree that the children have produced some amazing work!



TTRS challenge

This week 6JS took part in a thrilling TTRS challenge against Mrs Davis and Mrs Skeavington. It was a very close competition in the end with the children beating their teachers with 1092 points.

20TH NOVEMBER - 27TH NOVEMBER				Completed	
	6JS	1092	Teachers	1086	
Info	Class Results	Pupil Results	Certificates		
	Class average / user	Class total			
1	6JS				1,092
2	Teachers				1,086

A big shout out to 6JS's top scorers:

Sky - 12,906

Deividas - 9,915

Shama - 2,812

Caitlin - 2,265

Our challenge this week is 6JS Vs 6EB.



Year 1 News

This week Year 1 have been looking at animal habitats. We have found out about lots of different habitats like a polar habitat, rainforest, desert, coastal region, woodland and gardens. We all had an animal to put on the correct habitat.



Use 'Screen Time' for Green Time
and enjoy talking about wildlife and nature with Wildlife Watch leaders and helpers

If you're 8 to 13 years old, why not join us to find out more about the natural world

On Saturday 5 December we will be talking about Sherwood Forest, ancient trees, the animals, insects and birds that live around the trees



We are Mansfield & Ashfield Wildlife Watch Group and we get together on Zoom on the first Saturday of the month from 10.30 for approximately 40 minutes

For more information or to book your first session, please contact Sarah Spurry, Watch Leader by email: mansfieldwatch@nottswt.co.uk or mobile on 07885169111

Have a look at our Facebook page and website: www.wildlifewatch.org.uk/watchgroups/mansfield-ashfield

Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust is a registered charity - Charity No 224108

Nursery News

In Nursery we are really enjoying our 'Treetop Thursday' sessions on the field. We go out in all weathers so please can all children bring wellies and a sensible coat every Thursday. Wellies can be left at Nursery if needed.

Diary Dates

Monday 21st December 2020	-	First Day of Christmas holidays
Monday 4th January 2021	-	First day back at school
Monday 15th February 2021	-	First day of February Half Term
Monday 22nd February 2021	-	First Day back at school
Tuesday 23rd February 2021	-	Individual photo day
Monday 24th May 2021	-	Class photo day

How are you getting on with your ISHI challenge?

A few weeks ago your child brought home their Ishi rock they had made in school and we set you the task of taking it on some adventures. Please create some pictures which show how you look after yours and others well-being! We set this as a TEAMS challenge and would love you to post the pictures for us to see! Maybe you could even have a go at creating your very own story.

We can't wait to see more of your Ishi adventures...



Notts EPS Pupil Voice Project

We want to hear your views

Notts Educational Psychology Service would like to know how you have found returning to school or education in Nottinghamshire. Your views are very important as they can change the way things work in education. Please click on the pictures below to fill out a survey.



I am a Secondary aged child or young person

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