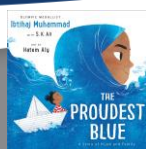




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## Theme of the Week

This week in school, our theme has been respect for beliefs and faiths. We explored and celebrated the many different faiths represented in our school community, recognising the importance of understanding and acceptance. Through discussions during assembly, pupils reflected on the similarities between different faiths and values, highlighting shared messages of kindness, compassion, and respect. It has been a wonderful opportunity to appreciate our school's diversity while recognising that, despite our differences, we all share common values that bring us together as a community. With Ramadan currently happening, we shared [this wonderful story](#) with KS1/EYFS.

## Foreword

This week has been all about reading! World Book Day was a huge success in school, with pupils immersed in a world of literature all day long. Our EYFS children had a wild rumpus inspired by Maurice Sendak's classic *Where the Wild Things Are*. Year 1 enjoyed learning about all things Owls and made their own puppets. Year 2 had a 'fiery' day, inspired by the Great Fire of London story *The Baker's Boy*. Year 3, inspired by their recent trip to see MC Grammar, looked at the origins of rap music! Year 4 delved into the world of dragons from their class novel *How to Train Your Dragon*. Year 5 headed to the courthouse where the Big Bad Wolf was on trial for crimes against 3 pigs! Year 6 created scarecrows inspired by the book *Aveline Jones*. Finally, we want to send a huge thank you to all our parents who have supported The Book Emporium today! Have a great weekend and see you next week. *Mr Shrimpling*

## Sporting Fixtures/Results

### Results

There are no new results this week.

### Upcoming Fixtures/Events:

07/03/2025 - Year 6 Girls Football Tournament  
07/03/2025 - Year 5 Girls Football Tournament  
10/03/2025 - Year 6 B League Football Tournament  
13/03/2025 - Year 3&4 Handball Tournament  
17/03/2025 - Year 6 B League Football Tournament  
21/03/2025 - Year 5 Boys Football Tournament



## Reminders

### Thursday 13th March 2025

A reminder that next week is party time in the hall! Get your dancing shoes at the ready for the Brooklands Spring Disco.

- 3.30 - 4.30pm Disco for Years 1/2/3
- 4.45 - 5.45pm Disco for Years 4/5/6



## Pupil Achievements

Ava (5SD) has passed all 10 grades of the Skate Excellence course meaning she now progresses into advanced ice skating. She recently starred in the Aladdin production at Planet Ice, Altrincham at Christmas. Her next performance is at the end of April for the Easter gala where she is Woody from Toy Story.

Carson (6S) won the championship for the U11 G4 Wales Tour Tennis tournament this weekend.

Well done Carson and Ava, two amazing achievements!



## Upcoming Events

10/03/2025 – Y5/6 Show Racism the Red Card workshop  
13/03/2025 – Reception Movie Night  
13/03/2025 – Y1-6 Disco  
21/03/2025 – Red Nose Day / Comic Relief  
26/03/2025 – Y4 Production  
27/03/2025 – Y5 Residential  
28/03/2025 – Y5 Residential  
02/04/2025 – Easter Bonnet Parades: Reception (09:15), Y1 (14:00)  
03/04/2025 – Easter Parent Workshops: Y2 (09:15), Y3 (14:15)  
03/04/2025 – Interim Reports to Parents (emailed)  
04/04/2025 – End of Spring term (non-uniform / no donation)





## Next Week

In English we will...

In Maths we will...

In other lessons we will...

Be learning about how plants and flowers grow, through the story 'Bud'. We will be covering the sound 'r' in phonics. We will be comparing length and height in maths.

YN

YR

Y1

Y2

Y3

Y4

Y5

Y6

Create story maps to retell 'Where the wild things are;

Compare two amounts

Create our own map

Be writing a non-fiction report on a British badger

Using part-part whole models to explore subtraction

Be planting different seeds and bulbs for our experiment and deciding on a key question to investigate

Write a recount of our trip to Staircase House, reflecting on our experiences and what we learned.

Continue exploring different addition strategies, such as the column method, to strengthen our understanding of mathematical concepts.

Visit Staircase House and step back in time to experience life during the Great Fire of London in 1666.

Plan a speech in the voice of Boudicca to inciting her Celtic tribe.

Continue to develop our understanding of how to solve addition calculation using the column method.

Look at the reasons why the Romans built Hadrian's Wall.

Planning to write about our own dragon creation.

Learning about mixed numbers and identifying them on a number line.

Creating our own pointillism painting on the Eiffel Tower.

Write a persuasive argument to either defend or prosecute the wolf

Multiply whole numbers by decimals

Learn about the third pillar of Islam

Write our own stories using grammatical structures to create tension and build suspense

Develop our understanding of percentages

Planning an investigation in science



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## All Pupils – Home Learning

(print resources or use pen/paper if issues around devices/screen time)

Reading – 15 minutes daily

[https://padlet.com/secretary161/brookland\\_sreadingpage](https://padlet.com/secretary161/brookland_sreadingpage)

Spelling Shed

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>

TT Rock Stars

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

### ENGLISH

### MATHS

YR

Create your own 'Wild thing' from the story 'Where the wild things are'

Practise adding two groups together, use everyday objects from around your home

Y1

[paul-the-lucky-octopus-activity-card.pdf](#) comprehension

[Robot Addition](#) up to 15

Y2

[Identifying](#) the features of a recount on a school trip (Oak National)

Adding two 2-digit numbers using the column method (Oak National)

Y3

This lesson from Oak Academy on writing a speech.  
[What is a speech?](#)

This lesson from Oak Academy on how to add three-digit numbers.  
[Column Addition](#)

Y4

Practise using co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions to build multi-clause sentences: [Using conjunctions to join ideas - English - Learning with BBC Bitesize](#)

Practise identifying unit and non-unit fractions: [What are unit and mixed fractions? - BBC Bitesize](#)

Y5

Practice your persuasive writing by forming points to use in a persuasive letter about school uniform.  
[Generating points to use in a persuasive letter about school uniform | Oak National Academy](#)

Practice converting units of mass and capacity.  
[Converting units of mass and capacity | Oak National Academy](#)

Y6

[Learning by Questions Task](#) [www.maths.co.uk](http://www.maths.co.uk)

Use your login code (independent study) to complete assignments.

[Learning by Questions Task](#) [www.spag.com](http://www.spag.com)

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