

'Great oaks from little acorns grow'

Spring Term (1) 2023 - Week 3 & 4

Llangrove CE Academy Vision & Ethos



"A tree is known by the kind of fruit it bears."

– Matthew 12 v33

"Keep your roots deep in Him and your lives built on Him."

– Colossians 2:7

Our **ACORNS** focus for this half term is **Resilience**.

Our Value for this half term is: Endurance



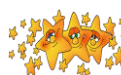
Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us.

Hebrews 12:1



March Birthdays...

Annabell, Freddie, Matilda, Olivia, Zach, Luna & Ed



Superstars

Resilience	Wk 3	Wk 4
Acorn Class:	Jazmine	Dylan J
Beech Class:	Savannah	Anthony
Oak Class:	Eli	Sophia



Sports Stars

	Wk 3	Wk 4
Acorn Class:	Bella	Eska
Beech Class:	Amelia	Eliza
Oak Class:	Arthur	Ruby & Ella



Ladder Club Legends

Beech

Y2: Hero, Matilda, Olly, Tommy, Rocco & Walter

Y3: Amelia

Oak

Y4: Mel

Y5: Charlie & Raf

Y6: Lukii



Class Mascot

	Wk 3	Wk 4
Acorn Class:	Jazmine	Isabel
Beech Class:	Penny	Anthony
Oak Class:	Raf	Ruby



Team of the Week

Wk 3	Wk 4
MALLEY	MONNOW

Lunchtime Table Award

Wk 3	Wk 4



Gold Awards



Penny has earned her white belt in karate
Amelia & Lottie V took part in the Llangrove Panto
Dylan M was player of the week at football for good passing & great listening skills

Class Story

English & SPaG

Maths

Curricular Theme: Superheroes

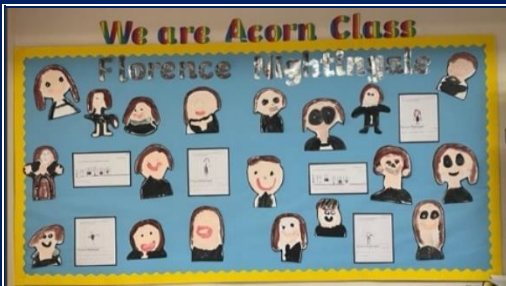
Acorn Class



Year 1 have been using their knowledge of instructional writing to write their own instructions on their own super sandwich design. They have worked hard on using all the features from our toolkit including time conjunctions, imperative verbs and a 'you will need' list.

Reception have been using their phonic knowledge to write captions to match their pictures. We have also been working on our letter formation using a range of mark making techniques.

We have been exploring length and height. We have been comparing the length and height of different objects using longer, shorter, taller and smaller. We have been using a range of objects to have a go at measuring using non-standard units for example cubes and beads. We have now moved on to using a ruler to measure the length of different objects.



Acorn class have continued their topic of 'Superheroes' by having a visit from the mountain rescue team and our local police community officers. We enjoyed practicing our rescuing skills in the boat from mountain rescue and getting to sit in the police car and try on a police hat with our local police officers.



Curricular Theme: 'Where the Wild Things Are' – Islands, Seas & Volcanoes

The children used their island models as inspiration for a 'factual' description of an island location.
Y2 used adjectives and expanded noun phrases
Y3 used adjectives, boastful language as well as fronted adverbials to vary sentence structure.



Following on from their success in writing diamond poems this week the children have looked at kennings. The children decided that they are like riddles. They describe a thing, person or theme using a noun and verb, but without naming the thing being described. Time was spent considering nouns and verbs linked to a volcano and then used these words to create our own Kennings. Here are some of the lines "magpied" from the children's books.

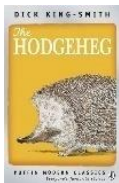
*Magma-rising
Earth-shaking
Earthquake-causer
Crust-cracker
Lava-oozing
Life-taker
Fire-blowing
Rock-crumbling
Smoke-maker
House-wrecker
Land-destroyer
Ash-puffing
Tree-burner*

Our times tables knowledge has been used to solve problems.

Y2 have focused on x2
Y3 have focused on x4 & x8, and identifying how doubling can help us to know our number facts. Our shape work has been focusing on identifying and describing the properties of 2D & 3D shapes. Year 3 have been considering what a 3D shape would look like if we pulled it apart. We have been creating nets and realised that 3D shapes are made up from 2D shapes.



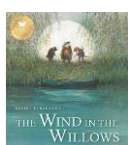
Beech Class



Beech class have continued with their light investigation – creating a 'Silhouette Hodgeheg' inspired scene – using transparent, translucent and opaque paper.

Curricular Theme: Who are we?

Oak Class



We have been learning about how we can use ellipsis, short sentences and rhetorical questions to build suspense.

Y4 – have been multiplying and dividing whole numbers by 10 and 100.
Y5/6 – have been revising adding fractions with the same numerator and converting mixed numbers into improper fractions and vice versa.



On **World Down Syndrome Day**, on Tuesday 21st the children of Acorn Class and Oak Class wore odd, brightly-coloured socks, and pulled them up high for everyone to see.



THANK YOU!

£122 was raised on Friday 17th March – thank you for donating. The children had a fun time sharing their favourite jokes.

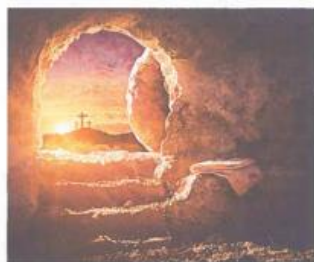
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PHOTOGRAPHY

Your child's class photograph is now ready to view and purchase at <https://http.st/LlangroveCEAcademy23> To see the higher resolution image, click on the photograph then enter your email address and child's name.

There will be a free "deliver to school" option open for approximately 14 days, otherwise home delivery is available for £5 postage and packing. If you need assistance, please call 01736 751555 (option 5)



The Church Easter Holiday Club 2023



When - 4th and 5th April 9.30a.m. until 4p.m..

Where - Llangrove Village Hall

What - Games, Easter Activities, Easter Crafts

Cost - £10 a child a day or £20 for a family for a day

All welcome.

Helpers to include Wendy Price, Jenny Bibby, Serena Warren

Please contact Wendy Price if your child is interested in joining in the fun.

Tel. No. 07596 897 962

email - wendyllangrove@gmail.com



Sat 1st April 2023
Llangrove Village Hall

Waste! What Waste?
run by Archenfield Community Environment Group
Celebrating a year on from the launch event, the group are having a day concentrating on the theme of waste.

Including:

Re-inventors competition

- Make something new and useful from at least two different components, using waste material.
- Only use materials that can be recycled and No glitter please.
- Adults and Children's Prizes.



Table Top Sale

- £5 for 1m x 1m table or £10 2m x 1m table.
- Must book to secure a table by 17th March.

Booking and entry forms are available from Llangrove Friday Cafe and the telephone box or by email to archenfieldceg@gmail.com

Llangrove May Fayre 1st May 2023

Pet Photo Competition

Advance Notice

Make your Pet a Star

All you need to do is take a **photo** (any size / any paper) of **your pet - any pet** - cat, dog, guinea pig, hamster, goldfish, lizard, etc.

Hand in to Art Stand on day of show - 50p per entry

PRIZES for 1st in EACH CLASS & BEST IN SHOW

Classes

1. Cutest Looking Pet
2. Scruffiest Looking Pet
3. Best Pet in Fancy Dress
4. Pets who look like their owners
5. Most Appealing Eyes



Start snapping NOW!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Easter Fit and Fed

Cheerleading

Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 April 2023

11am - 11:45am - In the hall

The Cracked Slipper Company

Tuesday 11 and Wednesday 12 April 2023

1:15pm - 2pm - In the hall

Boxing

Thursday 6, Thursday 13 and Friday 14 April 2023

1:15pm - 2pm - In the gym

Ages 5-16.

Each session will be with fully qualified coaches for 45 minutes and they will receive a free lunch at the end. To book click scan the QR code.



Children's Easter Holiday Activities at Halo Leisure

FREE Swimming crash courses.

SWIMMING - our pools will be open everyday!

Gymnastics Holiday Day Camp!

JumpINGym Indoor Soft Play

Racket sports - Tennis & Badminton

Book by calling your local centre or pop in and speak to our reception team!

<https://www.haloleisure.org.uk/activities/herefordshire/childrens-activities/holiday-activities>

Terms and conditions apply



'Here for Herefordshire Holidays' FREE Easter holiday activities are now available to book!

If you are a parent or carer of a school aged child 5 to 16 years old (Reception to year 11) who is eligible for benefits-related free school meals, You can now book up to **16 hours** of free activities throughout the Easter holidays.

This Easter we have a huge range of activities to take part in including six new providers; outdoor activities, forest school, parkour/breakdancing, football, tennis, cooking, day trips, animal care, arts/crafts, swimming, circus skills, climbing, racket games, gym, dance, martial arts and so much more. Your child will also receive a free nutritious meal during each session. Some providers are able to offer provision for children with SEND or additional needs.

We're hosting another Family Activity Taster Day:

Family HAF Activity Taster Day at Whitecross High School, Hereford

On Saturday 1st April 10am - 2pm

25+ providers will showcase their provision. Children and young people will be able to try new activities

(Full details are available on the booking site).

Book now by visiting our Talk Community holiday activities webpage:

www.talkcommunity.org/holidayactivities

Places are limited and will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis.

We understand children aren't always able to attend booked activities, however, We would kindly request that children are cancelled off the session via the booking system to enable others to attend.

The activities are only available to children who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals and checks will be made to ensure that children meet this criteria.

If you have a question about the 'Here for Herefordshire Holidays' Programme, please contact the team:
HAF@herefordshire.gov.uk



FREE EASTER
family activity taster day
Saturday 1st April 10am - 2pm
Whitecross High School, Hereford

Fun for School aged children
Free meal included!

Lots of exciting activities to try!

HERE FOR HEREFORDSHIRE
HOLIDAYS

Book now on the Talk Community website:
www.talkcommunity.org/holidayactivities

Funded by the Department for Education

TALK COMMUNITY



Football Development Sessions
BOYS AND GIRLS
RECEPTION & YEAR 1
Sunday's 10-11am
Hereford Lads Club
Widemarsh Common

BEGINNERS WELCOME
£2 PER SESSION
BRING A DRINK &
WEAR SHIN PADS

Newbies Welcome

Girls at Hereford Lads Club













Tuesday Training 6-7pm
Years 2,3,4,5
Wednesday Wildcats 6-7pm
Years 1 & 2 beginners
Friday Training 6-7pm

	 Dates for Your Diary - Spring 2023 
	
Monday 27th	 After School Club Circuit Training Gym – Reception, Y1&2 (Miss Gee) & Art Club - Y3,4,5&6 (Mrs Dean) 3:15-4:15pm  Y6 SATs Club 3.15-4:15pm
Tuesday 28th	 Oak Class – Children to wear their PE kits to school.
Wednesday 29th	School Games – Values Festival – Year 4– Hereford Liesure Center
Thursday 30th	 Beech Class – Children to wear their PE kits to school.
Friday 31st	 Easter Service in Christ Church (9:15am) followed by tea and coffee in school hall (approx 10am) (details to follow)
	 Acorn Class – Children to wear their PE kits to school.
	 Y6 SATs Club 3.15-4:15pm
Friday 31st	Last day of term (2pm finish)
	
Saturday 1st	Waste! What Waste? run by Archenfield Community Environment Group - Llangrove Village Hall – 11am
 EASTER HOLIDAYS Monday 3rd – Friday 14th April 	



Dates for Your Diary - Summer 2023



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Monday 17 th April *NEW*	Summer term (1) begins Parent/carers meeting – Year 2 SATs @ 3:15 (in Beech Class) and Year 6 SATs @ 4:30pm
Wednesday 26 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y3,4 & 5 – (1 of 5) Details to follow
	
Monday 1 st	 Bank Holiday – May Fair 12pm – 4pm
Tuesday 2 nd – Friday 26 th	Year 2 / End of Key Stage 1 SATs month
Wednesday 3 rd *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y3,4 & 5 – (2 of 5) Details to follow
Monday 8 th	Bank Holiday- A national Bank Holiday to celebrate King Charles' Coronation on Saturday 6 th May
Tuesday 9 th – Friday 12 th	Year 6 / End of Key Stage 2 SATs week
Wednesday 10 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y3,4 & 5 – (3 of 5) Details to follow
Wednesday 17 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y3,4 & 5 – (4 of 5) Details to follow
Monday 22 nd – Friday 26 th	Year 6 Oaker Wood Adventure Week
Wednesday 24 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y3,4 & 5 – (5 of 5) Details to follow
HALF TERM Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June	
	
Monday 5 th	Summer term (2) begins
Wednesday 7 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y4, 5 & 6 – (1 of 5) Details to follow
Monday 5 th – Friday 23 rd	Year 4 Multiplication Screening Check
Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th	Year 1 Phonic Screening Check Week
Wednesday 14 th *New*	 Swimming Lesson – Y4, 5 & 6 – (2 of 5) Details to follow
Wednesday 21 st *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y4, 5 & 6 – (3 of 5) Details to follow
Wednesday 28 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y4, 5 & 6 – (4 of 5) Details to follow
	
Wednesday 5 th *NEW*	 Swimming Lesson – Y4, 5 & 6 – (5 of 5) Details to follow
Friday 21 st	Last day of term (2pm finish)
Monday 24 th	INSET
Tuesday 25 th	
SUMMER HOLIDAY Monday 24 th July – Wednesday 6 th September	