

Right start : Bright future
Welcome to



**Wellington
Primary**

Merit Assembly

World news:

Meet the family winning gold medals in Brazilian Jiu Jitsu

Zuri, Amar and Nia, these kids are collecting some serious silverware competing in Brazilian Jiu Jitsu competitions all over the world and they're all from the same family. All three are European Gold Medal Champions! It all started when their mum Sherise took them to a Saturday class to keep them busy. They just fell in love with the sport and now they've got their parents involved too. They aim high which is exactly what most people are learning in PSHE. Sherise, the proud mother commented, 'I only wanted my children to find new hobbies as well as to keep themselves busy from electronics. And it made a big difference me and my husband also got in the fun!'



What do you get when you cross snowboarding with a horse?

Snowboarding can be slow work without steep hills to race down, but some thrill-seekers in Russia have found a way around the problem - use a horse! The snowboarders realised they'd need to be pulled along like a wind surfer if they wanted to get up to speed crossing the area's flat forests and lakes. After trying cars, motorbikes and snowmobiles, they decided that horse power is best.





Pirate Ships with Year 2

Wellington News:

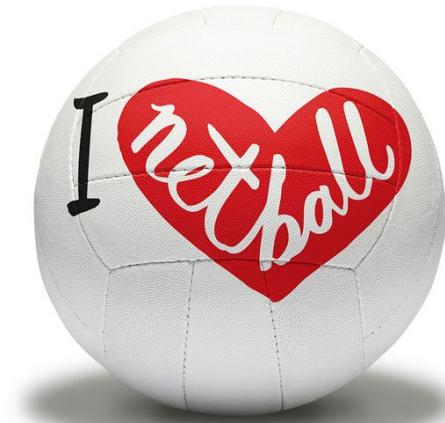
Netball tournament

This week our netball team have been working non-stop practice for the upcoming tournament. Many of the girls are nervous as well as excited as they are representing the school at St Marks a local high school very near to us.

Aysha and Huma commented 'I am so excited but I can feel the shivers run up my spine as I practice.' Hopefully the team will have won the tournament but remember winning isn't always everything! There are other qualities that we are looking out for. A good example is teamwork. A huge thanks to Mrs Huk and the girls who dedicate their time to this big event.

Thinking Skills Visitors

This week two pupils from each class have represented the school to some visitors. The visitors were interested in how Wellington use thinking skills across the school. The visitors were very impressed with what they saw and how clearly all the pupils were able to tell them about the importance of thinking about thinking..



Question of the week:



"If you had the chance to name a famous mountain what would it be and why?



Try and use a thinking map
Send your answers to Mr Berryman



A visit to the Gordon Brown Centre

Local news:

Controversial Chiswick Curve skyscraper plans unanimously rejected

Here was a huge sigh of relief as the controversial " Chiswick Curve " plans were rejected. Dozens of residents braved the bitter cold to attend a planning meeting, and welcomed the news that the 32-storey skyscraper at Chiswick Roundabout and digital advertising boards were given a resounding "no". Hounslow council's planning committee declared a unanimous thumbs down decision. Days before the meeting on Thursday, the plans were recommended for refusal by planning officers in a report which stated reasons including its size and "substantial harm" to local heritage sites such as Kew Gardens.

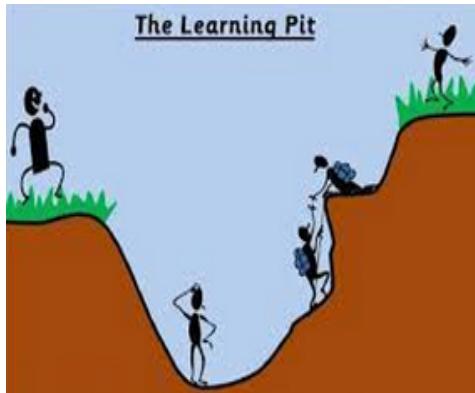


New Hammersmith and Fulham campaign group set up to fight Heathrow's third runway plans

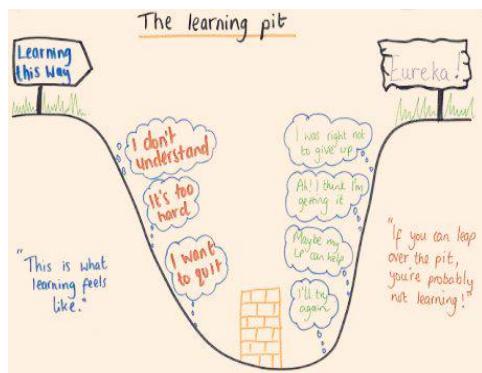
A new campaign group fighting plans for expansion at Heathrow Airport is inviting residents to attend its first meeting this month. "H&fnothirdrunway" was formed by concerned local residents Victoria Timberlake and Christina Smyth and will hold its inaugural meeting on January 30. Guest speaker will be John Stewart, chairman of airport campaign group Heathrow Association for the Control of Aircrafts (HACAN). Mrs Smyth was chairman of Hammersmith and Fulham Council's resident-led commission on airport expansion, which produced a 56-page report on the third runway proposals at Heathrow.



Growth mind-set quote of the week



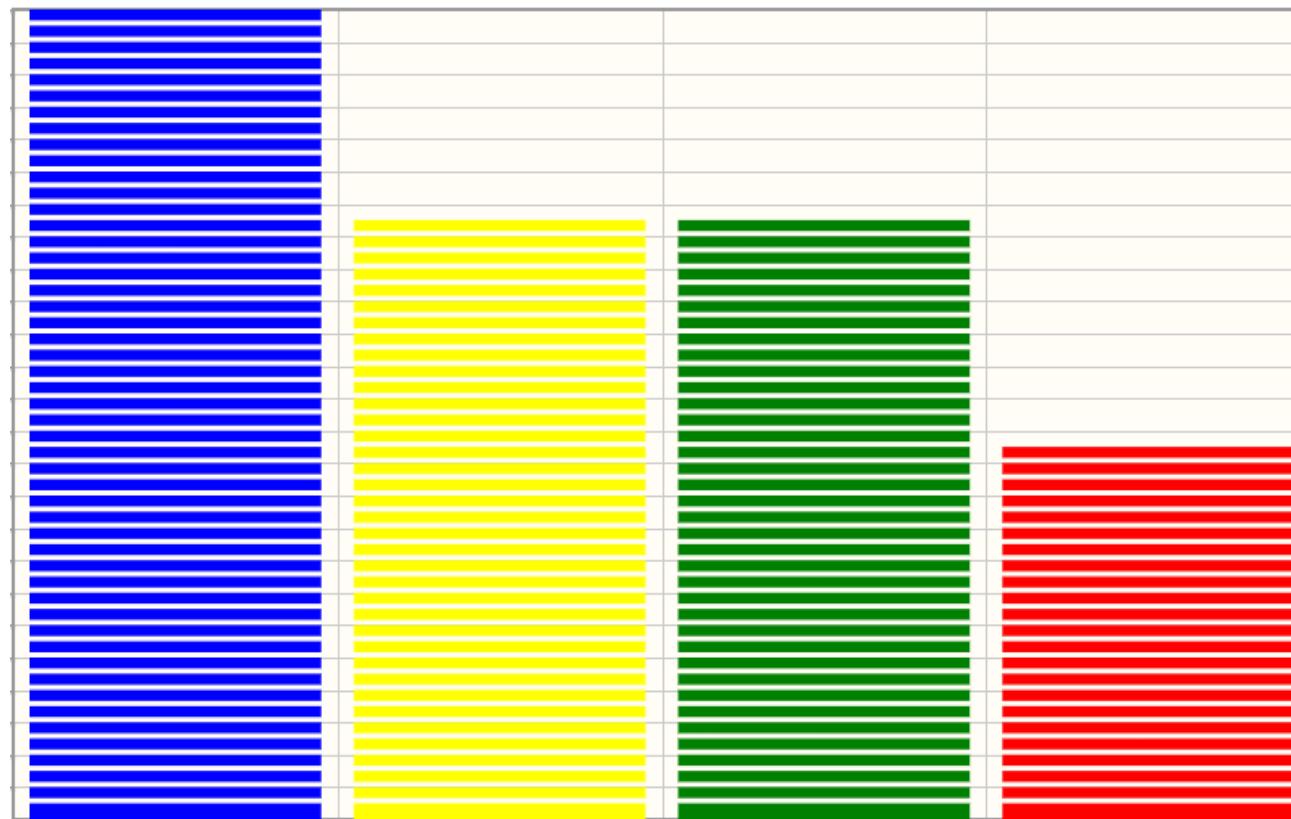
"Life isn't about finding yourself.
Life is about creating yourself."



George Bernard Shaw



Team Points for this week:



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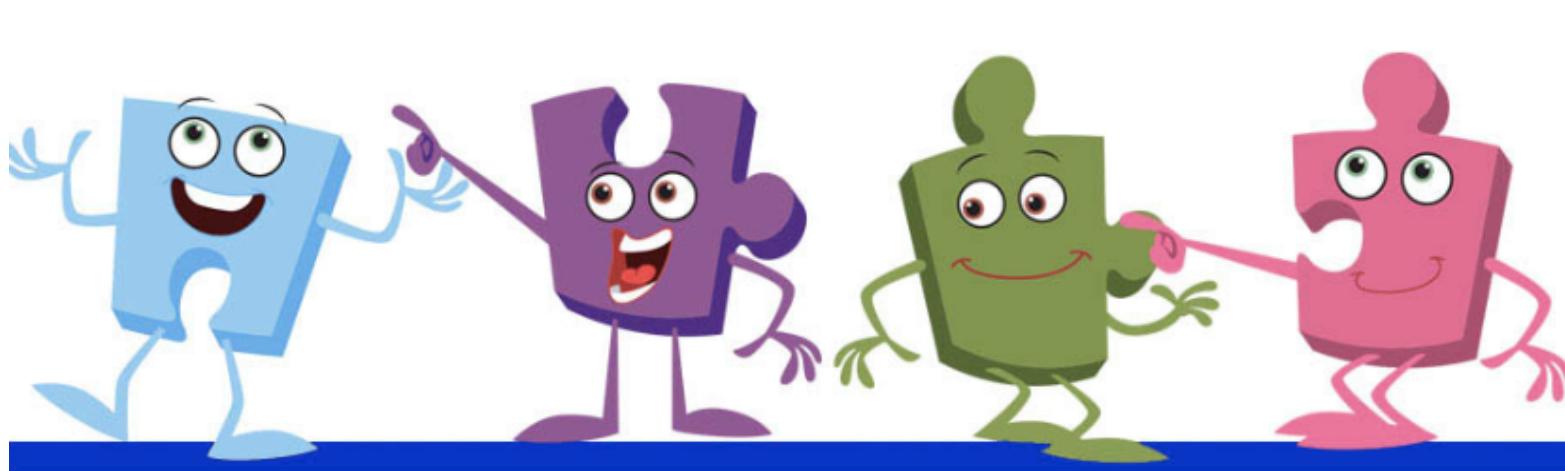
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Blue is first with 46 points, Yellow and Green are both in second with 34 points and Red is last with 21 points.

Jigsaw Weekly Celebrations

This week we were celebrating :
Keep trying even when it is difficult. In KS1 we saw:

Utsav, Corinne, Simranraj, Kunal,
Mubeen

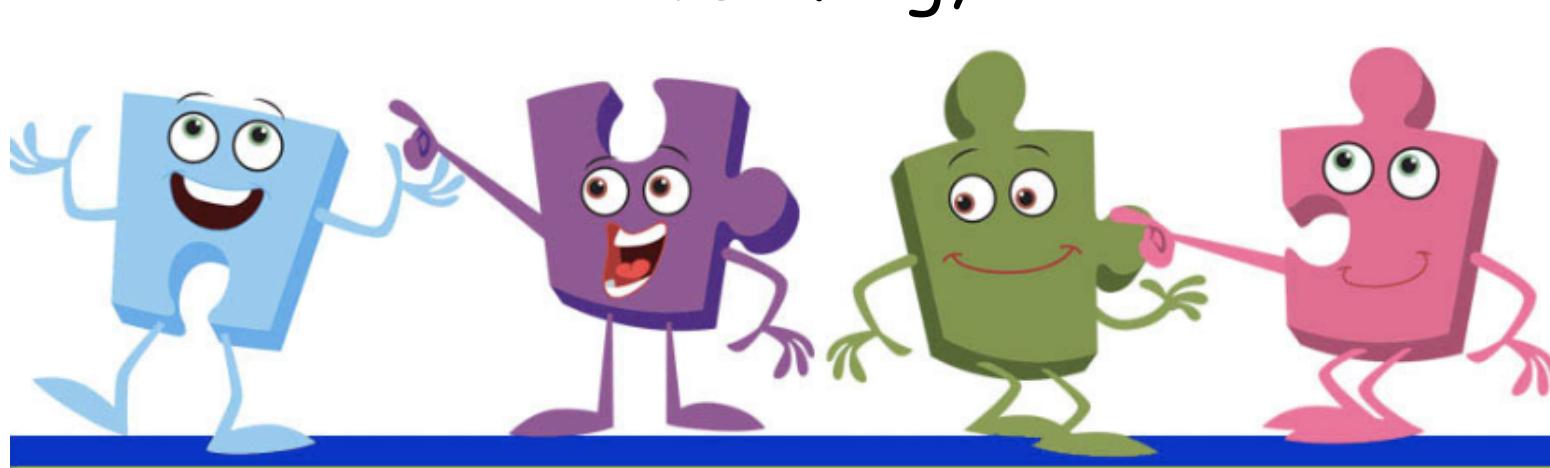


Jigsaw Weekly Celebrations

This week we were celebrating:

Keep trying even when it is difficult. In KS2, we saw:

Jishnu, Adam, Francy, Miss Gaffney, Mrs. McKay, Shrishti, Ojal, Sophie, Nathan, Anoop, Ben, Purvaja, Deeksha, Dhanya, Deekshita and Mr. Laming,



Jigsaw Weekly Celebrations

Next week, we will celebrate people in our school who Work well with a partner or in a group (jigsaw 3)



Remember:

- Don't forget to use bug club and Purple Mash. Purple Mash will help you with your new Topic and bug club will help you with your reading.
- Make sure you read about 5 minutes a day at home with a parent
- Do not forget to do your homework and bring it in on the date it is due in.
- Please wear either a burgundy coat or a black coat to school, no other colours are acceptable.

This week's slide show was prepared
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