

Right start : Bright future
Welcome to



Merit Assembly

World news:

The squirrel 'going nuts' in a New York kitchen!

You probably remember the viral video of a bat flying around a kitchen in County Kerry in Ireland, while the family tried to chase it out! Well it's happened again. But this time swap the bat for a squirrel, and Ireland for Brockport in New York. This time the police were even brought in to help! The cheeky character broke into the house, and apparently started eating cookies. Maybe he didn't have enough nuts squirreled away for the winter. Thankfully they managed to get the furry thief safely back outside again, to the relief of the homeowners.



Smallest cat in the world

In Sri Lanka, there is an adorable little cat that is now named the smallest cat in the world. His name is Mr Peebles. He is now 6 years old and is the size of the tips of two fingers! Just imagine that, a cat the size smaller than a battery! Mr Peebles was born on 17th March 2011. An average human grows every day, and Mr Peebles probably grows every 2 years!



MR PEEBLES
THE WORLDS SMALLEST CAT

Winter Short Story Writing Competition 2017

Winners

WELL DONE

Year 1 :
Maryam
Pavan

Year 2:
Rheanna
Satveer

Year 3 :
Rukaya
Mubeen

Year 4:
Ahyan
Prarthana

Year 5:
Ben
Ritansh

Year 6:
Abdiyahman
Buvleen

Wellington news: UNICEF Assembly

On Thursday 11th of January, there was a UNICEF assembly. Five Year 6 children read out their speeches about the UNICEF charity. This also included a PowerPoint explained by Mrs. Sheriff and Ms. Kahlon. The five Year 6 children explained how the charity worked, what the charity is and how the UNICEF Rights Respecting School award worked. The whole school also learnt a lot about the UNICEF charity. Megan in Jade class quoted "I now know a lot more about what UNICEF is. I have learnt so much about the rights of a child and what responsibilities I have too."



Ruby class chooses new school equipment

Ruby class chose the playground equipment for the new school. Many new things such as a trim trail. The reason that Ruby class is choosing is because they won the X-Mas Factor. They sang "Happy" by Pharrell Williams. Each class voted and Ruby came out on top over all of the other classes. Therefore, they are able to choose the new playground equipment. It was their prize along with a certificate. Warris from Ruby class said "I knew that someone had to win, and I had faith in Ruby class. I am very proud of us and I am excited to choose the new school equipment."

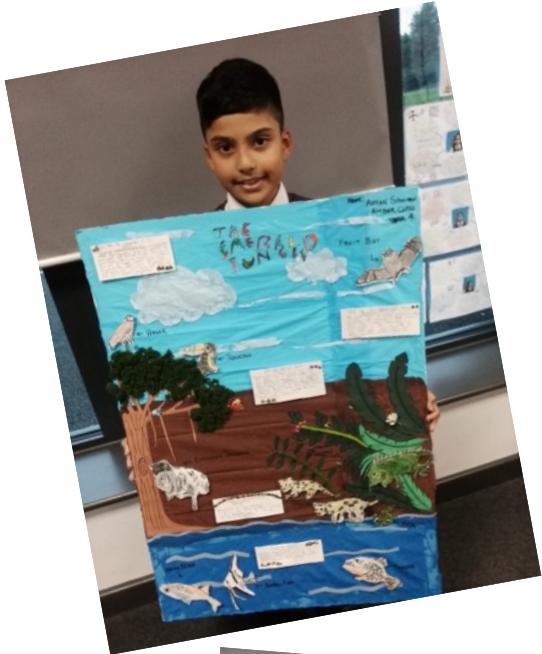


UNICEF: Rights Respecting school



We hope you all made your donations for the backpack appeal. Well done if you have. Ms. Pal collected so many great donations which Mrs. Murphy will send to the more unfortunate children in Africa who do not have as much money as you so therefore cannot afford as much as you can. It was a very thoughtful and kind act of you to make an attempt to help other children around the world who aren't as lucky as you are.

On Monday the 8th of January, the years 5&6 of the UNICEF group (which is run by Mrs. Murphy) will stay back at school to teach the teachers about the UNICEF Rights Respecting school award. They will also talk about the background of UNICEF and what it actually is. Many different activities will be held. All of the activities are going to be held by the year 5&6 children of the UNICEF group.



Year 4
Rainforest
Projects

Local news

Save money in HUGE Merlin Annual Pass sale

The January sales are well and truly on their way, including entry to your favourite theme parks. Families with children obsessed with rollercoasters can save money on theme park entry this year by making the most of the Merlin Annual Pass sale. The pass allows unlimited access to 32 top attractions across the UK including Thorpe park, Legoland, Chesington world of adventures and Alton Towers Resort. The Merlin Annual Pass is now available for £129 per person, saving £50!

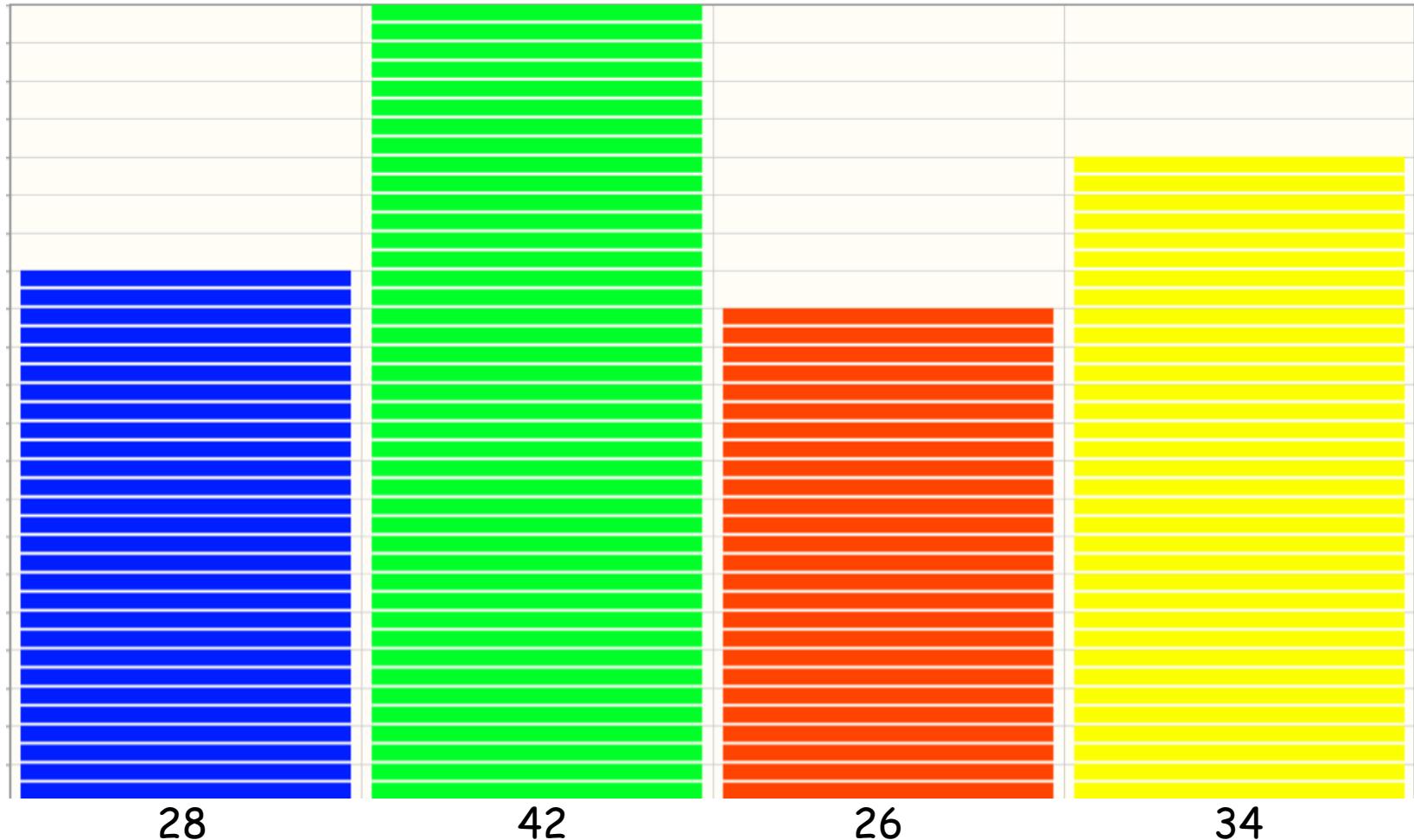


A cheese festival is coming to London with unlimited cheese

Guests will be immersed in a cheesy festival where the gooey treats are served by man-sized mice! A giant cheese festival is coming to London. This overload of cheese will be taking place in the terrace arena at Studio 338 in Greenwich. People can walk around the cheese board where they can sample fine cheeses from across Europe and a large baked Camembert, which takes center stage. Ticket holders will be entitled to unlimited free cheese for the duration (with biscuits of course). A double height fireplace will provide the perfect snuggle spot for contented tourists. Once visitors have had their fill, the cheese board will turn into a dance floor with DJs spinning modern cheese anthems until the early hours. Vegan? They've got your back. A selection of vegan-friendly alternatives will be showcased and on the same theme, cheesecake will be served for those with a sweet tooth.



Team points



Green is 1st with 36 points, yellow is trailing behind with 28, blue is 3rd with 25 points, and red is last with only 21 points.

Question of the Week:



If you could be
a famous
celebrity, who
would it be and
why?



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

Growth-Mindset quote of the week:

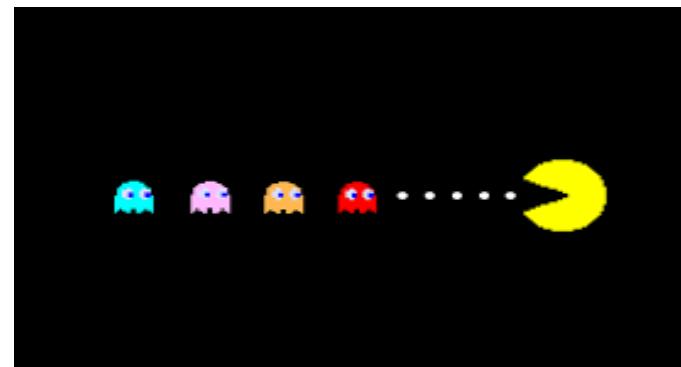
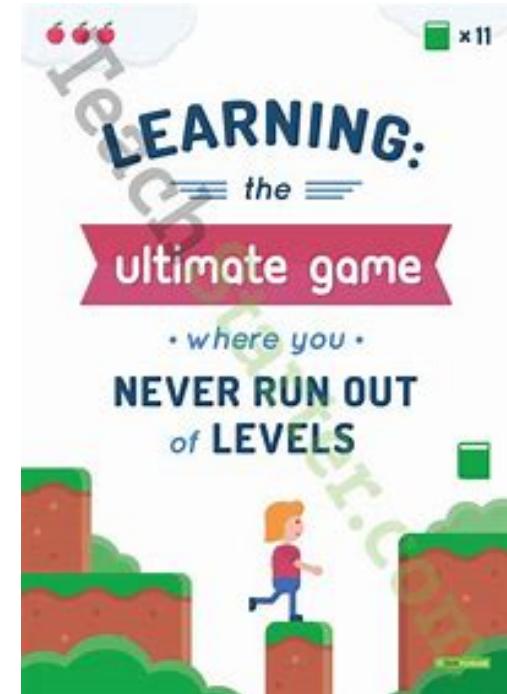
Learning:

the **Ultimate** game

where you **NEVER** run
out of **levels!**



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Year 2
Travel
Survey

Language of the Month: Romanian

Welcome – Bun venit

Hello – Salut

Thank You - Multumesc



Where did
Romanian
originate from?

Romanian is the national language of Romania where it is spoken by about 20,000,000 people. Romanian is also spoken in neighbouring Moldova, but there it is referred to as Moldovan. Romanian speakers are also found in other countries, notably in Ukraine, Serbia, Israel, Russia, Hungary, and the United States.

There are about 26,000,000 Romanian speakers in the world.

1. One – Unu
2. Two – Doi
3. Three – Trei
4. Four – Patru
5. Five – Cinci
6. Six – Șase

7. Seven – Șapte
8. Eight – Opt
9. Nine - Nouă
10. Ten – Zece
11. Eleven – Unsprezece
12. Twelve – Doisprezece



**Remember to take great
care crossing the roads
when moving between and
around the schools.**

**Always use the crossing
points.**

Merits:

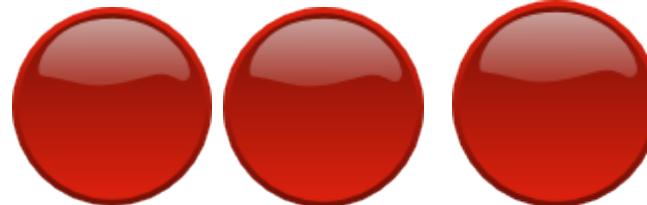
Merits are awarded for outstanding pieces of work or behaviour. Work must be AMAZING to win a merit!



Three Merits = One white Badge



Three White Badges = One Team Badge



Three Team Badges = One Gold Badge



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.

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