

Right Start -- Bright Future
Welcome to



Merit Assembly

Wellington News

Odd Socks Day

On Tuesday, it was Odd Socks Day, which was a day that celebrates difference. Everyone wore socks which were not the same. Some children wore blue socks, orange socks, yellow socks etc. Since Odd Socks Day is all about differences, it also shows us that every one of us is special and unique in every way.



Diamond Class Democracy Assembly

Yesterday, Diamond class had an assembly about the topic democracy. They told us all about how the voting system works, and how it is used in our school, with school counsellors. Everyone learned a lot about everyone's rights, and to not disrespect people if their opinion is different to yours. As well as this, Diamond class showed us how to vote, and how the votes are counted.



Local News

7-year-old gathers 70k signatures on her petition to make Crayola's colouring pens recyclable

A seven-year-old from London has gathered almost 70,000 signatures on her petition to force Crayola to make their colouring pens recyclable. Jessie Stephenson's passion for art means she goes through a lot of felt-tip pens, but she was upset to learn that they could not be recycled - so she then started the petition asking Crayola UK to give its British customers a recycling scheme. She states, "I care about the environment because we live here and if we wreck it, we won't get a second chance."

The family all live a green lifestyle by recycling. Jessie also asked people with left over tips to save them so they could be put through the recycling scheme, which she hopes will be put in soon. Her head, Sue Harte, said, "I am absolutely delighted that Jessie has been so motivated to do this petition to convince Crayola to start recycling in the UK."





Pudsy visits KS1 for Children in need day

World News

Working in secret, Bill Gates-backed Solar Company Reveals tech that could spell the end of fossil fuels.

A secret clean energy startup backed by Bill Gates has just gone public with the announcement of its new technology that uses concentrated solar energy. This energy goes beyond 1000 degrees Celsius (which is 1800 degrees Fahrenheit) and it could make a great positive impact to the climate. This kind of heat is about one quarter of the temperatures found on the surface of the sun! At that temperature, the energy company - Heliogen - can replace the use of fossil fuels, causing a dramatic reduction of greenhouse gas emissions. This would really help calm global warming.



Art Therapist collects 14,000 keys from wildfire victims and transform them into powerful metal phoenix sculpture.

After record-breaking wildfires tore through Northern California last year, this art therapist and counsellor began collecting keys to homes and buildings that had been lost in the blaze so she could transform them into a symbol of hope; a phoenix. After Mercer watched her father pull out the keys to his destroyed home, she decided to build something meaningful with other people's keys. Over the course of the last year, Mercer has been collecting keys from destroyed schools, classrooms and homes, as it really inspires many people around the globe.





Odd socks day to celebrate diversity

Thinking Hats and Skills



These are called the thinking hats. They help you analyse your work and make improvements. They help us focus our thinking, and make us think deeper, so we have a better understanding of the task that we are carrying out. Thinking hats help us to decide on what steps we need to take in the future, to be better. The white hat is about information and facts. Red hat is about what emotions and feelings you have when you are doing your work. Yellow hat is about what you are proud of doing in your work, and black hat is about what improvements you can make next time. The other hats are about your creativity and how you plan your work.

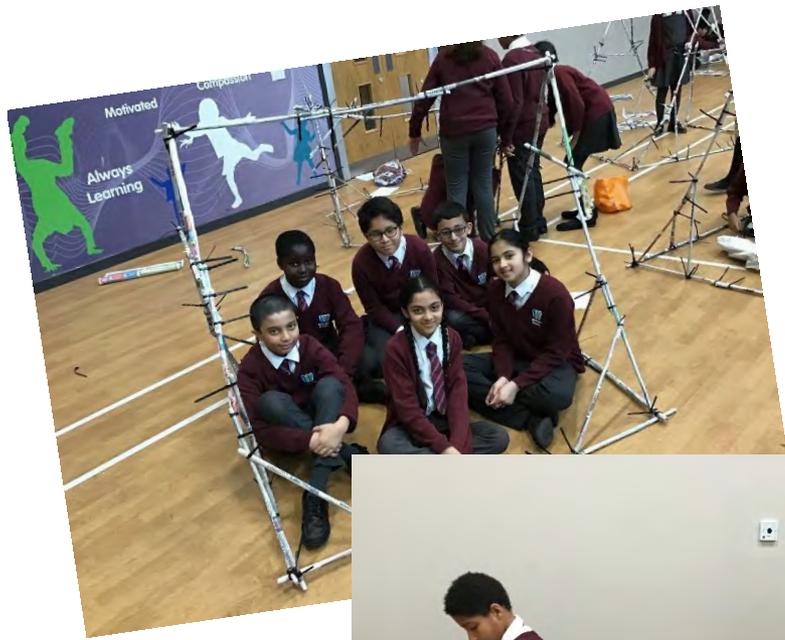
Growth-Mindset Quote of the Week:

Love challenges, be intrigued by mistakes,
enjoy effort and keep on learning.

- Carol Dweck

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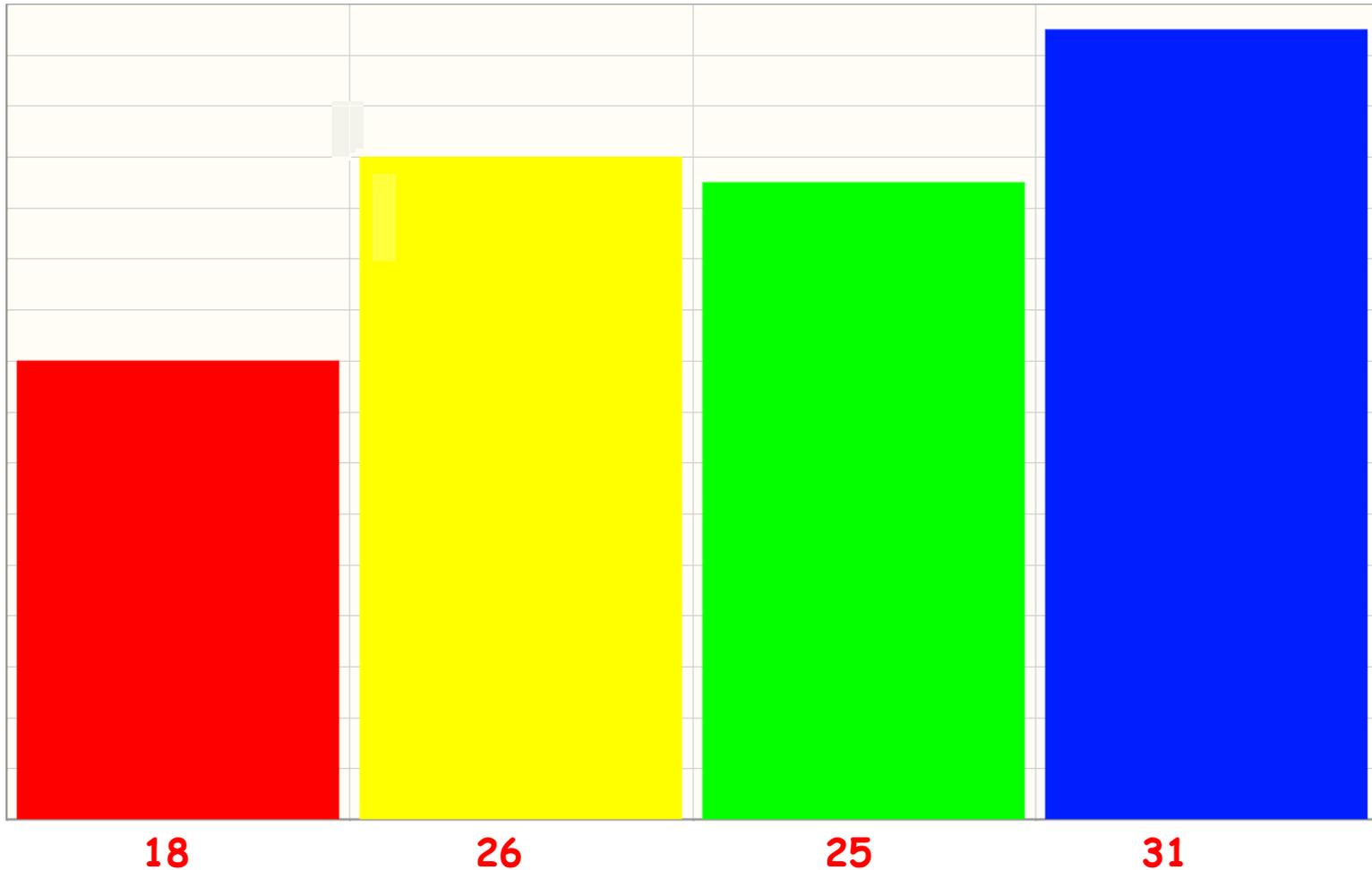
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Sitxx challenge with year 6

Remember to take great
care crossing the roads
when moving between and
around the schools.
Always use the crossing
points.

Team Points



This week with 31 points, we have Blue. Catching up we have Yellow with 26 points. In 3rd place we have Green with 25 points. Finally, we have Red with 18 points. Try harder next time for your team to get more points!

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 15 minutes a day at home with a parent.
- Also, do not forget to read the books available on bug club, as well as answering the questions on the comprehension.
- Do not forget to do your homework and bring it in on the date that it is due in. Always do your homework in the best standards.
- Always try to have good behaviour, it will help you to get a stamp on your loyalty card.
- Make sure you practice Times Tables Rock Stars. Try and become a Rock Hero by the end of the year!
- Also complete your spelling booklets because they can help you learn new words along with words you know with different meanings.
- Pay attention in class. Use the content domains to boost yourself in English and times tables in Math to reach huge numbers like 10,000.
- If you need help with Maths then use MyMaths which can help you boost in your Mathematics tests.

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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

