

Right Start -- Bright Future
Welcome to



Merit Assembly

Wellington News

Year 4 Rainforest Trip

Yesterday, Year 4 went to the rainforest trip. They enjoyed it and were fascinated by the variety of wildlife that was seen in their trip, they were interested by the new types of animals that they discovered and really liked the nature that was spread out across the vast area. They realised a lot of things: the importance of nature and the how important it was to respect wildlife. Overall, they loved their trip and experience.



Photographs

On Monday, pupils in Wellington took individual photographs, following group photos with those who had siblings. Everyone looked fantastic and smart, as they were all prepared. The photos were amazing, thanks to our photographer, who did her best to make every single photo of everyone as good as possible.





Junior road watch with Year 5 and 6.

Wellington Amaryllis Competition

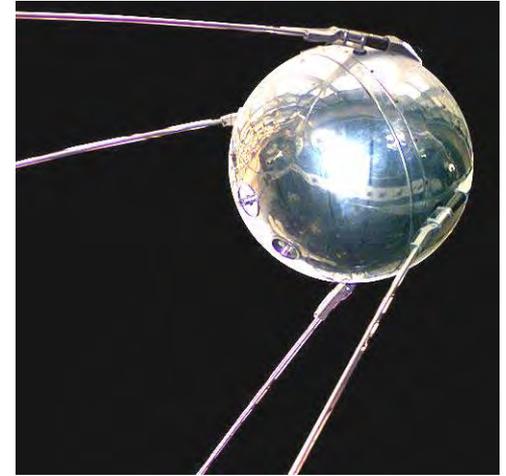
A few weeks ago, every class had been given an amaryllis. An amaryllis is a type of plant, which can then become a flower, if you look after it properly. The challenge is to grow your amaryllis and take good care of it. The competition is between all the junior classes. Every week, in merit assembly, all the amaryllises will be measured to see who might be winning and how the other amaryllises from other classes are growing. The winner will be based on which plant out of all of them is the tallest and most beautiful. The winning class will be announced in March. Good luck and get planting!



World News

A 96 year old radio enthusiast fulfils childhood dream

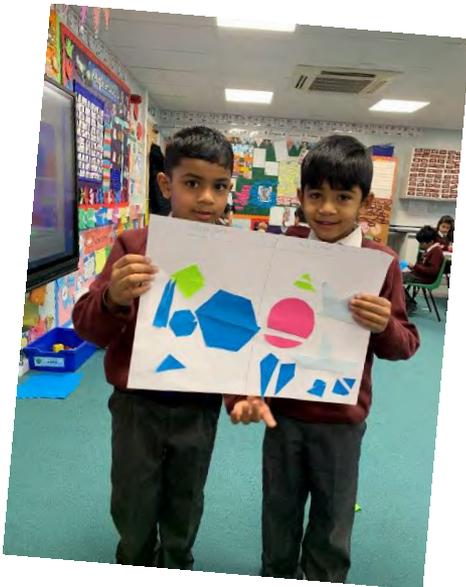
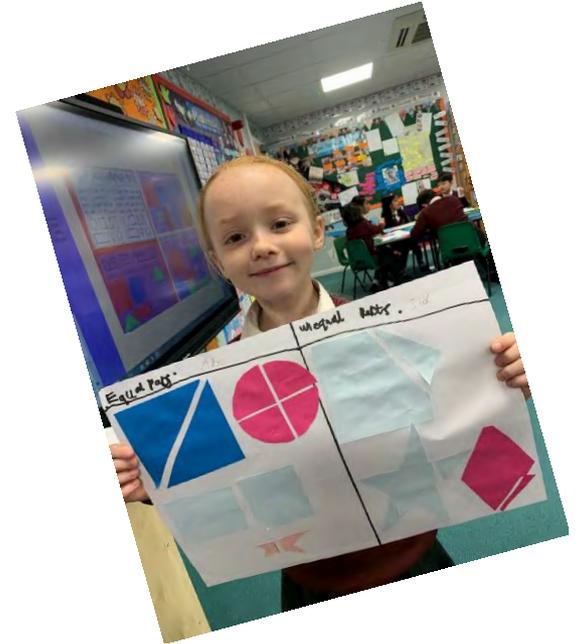
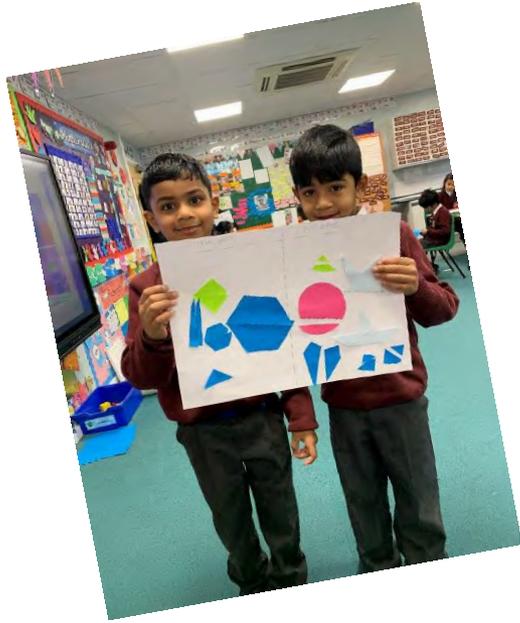
A 96 year old Canadian woman was crying tears of joy after she accidentally fulfilled a lifelong list dream. For decades, Jean Moffatt has been reaching out over the airwaves with her ham radio during her time volunteering at the Ontario Science Centre teaching young people how to use traditional amateur radio. "You can always talk to other people, in other parts of the world," Jean told CTV News Toronto. "You can send your signals to satellites. I've talked to people from the Arctic to the Antarctic."



The World's largest coin:

Royal Mint has just released the world's largest coin! This coin weighs an impressive amount of 5kg and is worth an almighty £300,000. The Royal Mint, which makes all our pennies and pounds in the UK, produced a £5000 coin. The Goldsmiths' Company in London will be testing the gold coin in a process known as 'Trial of the Pyx' to check its quality. This tradition has been carried out since 1248. The Royal Mint has also created a £2000 coin. It weighed two kilos and is worth nearly £120000. The coins have BEEN CREATED FOR A NEW GREAT ENGRAVERS SERIES.





Sorting equal and unequal in year 2.

Thinking Hats and Skills



These are the thinking hats. They help you analyse your work and make improvements. They help us focus on our thinking, and make us think deeper, so we have a better understanding of the task that we are carrying out, as well as what we are good at and what aspects of our learning needs some improvements. Thinking hats help us to decide on what steps we need to take in the future, to improve and become 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, about it and many more. 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 green hat is about your creativity and uniqueness. Finally, the blue hat is about organisation and planning

Growth-Mindset Quote of the Week:

Dreams don't work unless you do.

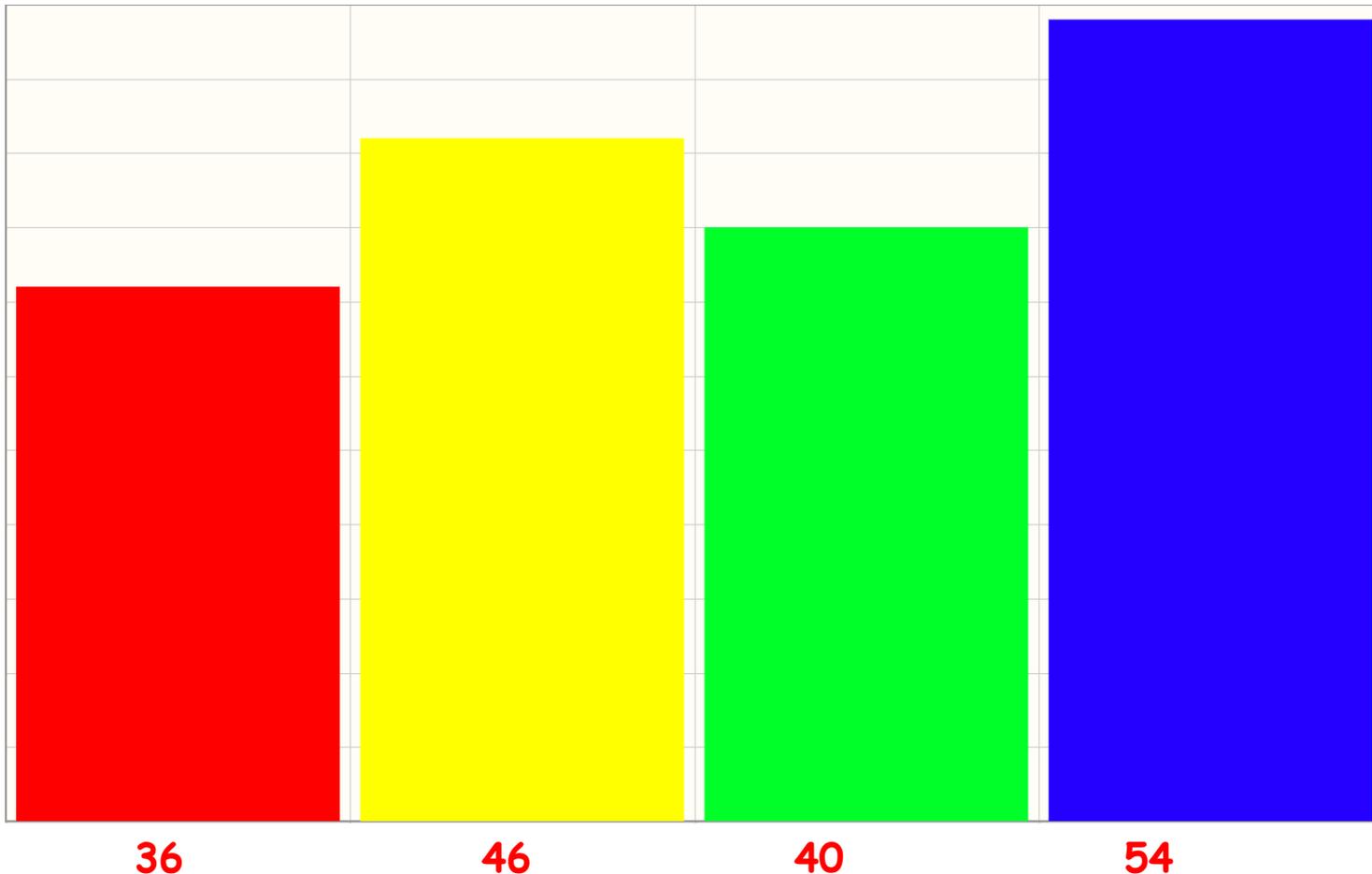
- John C. Maxwell



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

Always use the crossing points and look left and right for any cars for safety.

Team Points



This week with 51 points, in first position, we have Blue. Catching up, we have Yellow with 42, and next is Green with 38 points. In last place it is Red with 35 points. Try harder next time for your team to get more points! Work hard and get those points on the chart neatly!

Merits:

Merits are a great reward and to get one your work should be **AMAZING** to receive 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 topics in your learning and bug club will help you with your reading.
- Make sure you read about 15 minutes a day at home with a parent.
- 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 in your Mathematics tests.

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