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Term 3 Week 5
January 2019



Dear Parents/Carers,

The school year is flying by and what we have to do, in school, is not helped by the terms being shorter. Even though this term is only six weeks long the pupils, teaching and support team, here at Mundella, have had to cram in all of the activities that they would, at other times of the year, have additional weeks to use.

Please take the time to have a look at the fantastic topic books that your children have produced. They are crammed full of wonderful writing and exciting experiences that our teachers have worked hard to plan and deliver and the pupils have worked equally hard to listen, learn and enjoy.

As we get ready for our final week of term we are hoping for an additional spurt of energy to get us to the half term break. Next week classes are going to be using multimedia methods to find out and record their knowledge about local history. Please see if you can help on one of our many class walks into our local area and into the past.

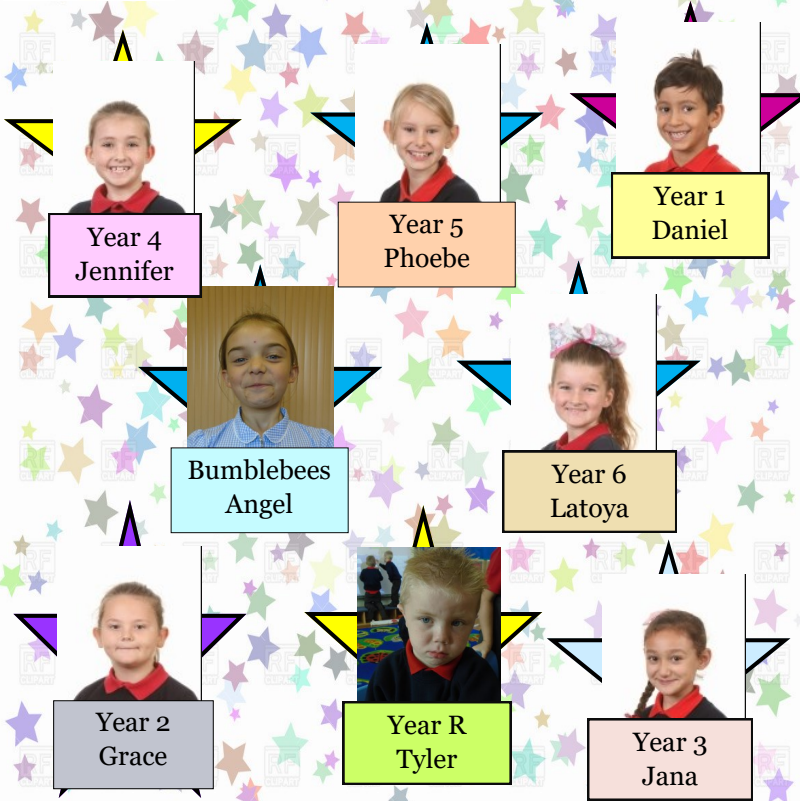
We are also going to be judging our 'Spring in Folkestone' photo competition. Please use this weekend to take a few snaps with your children and email them to the main school address or print them and bring them in. Winners will be chosen by a local photographer (Countryfile Calendar 2019) who will be joining us in school on Friday.

Have a productive weekend, I'm going to recharge my batteries.

Mr Westmorland :)

Well done to our Stars this week!

These children have impressed their class teachers in some way during this week, well done to all of them!



Punctuality Pup and Attendance Ted!



With 94.3% attendance this week, Year 3 will be looking after **Ted**—
Well done Strong!



Pup will go to Year 4 this week with the least amount of late marks— **Well done Browne!**

~Most Improved Writers~

Year R—Lexi-Leigh

Year 1— Caiden

Year 2— Leighton

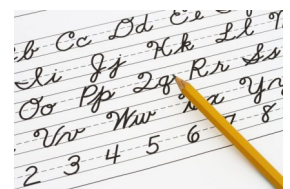
Year 3— Alice

Year 4— Sophie

Year 5— Terry

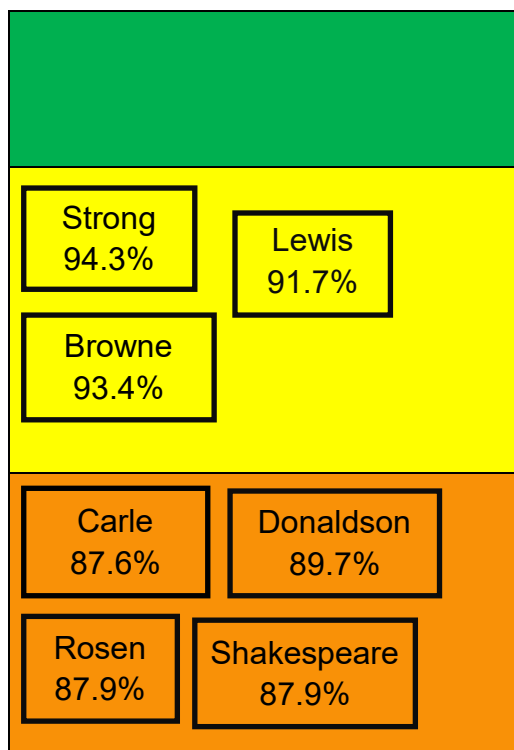
Year 6— Harvey

Well Done!

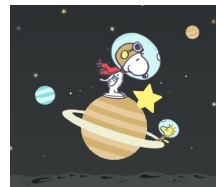


Attendance

We hope all our poorly children are fighting fit for next week!



Planetarium Visit



This week Year 1 and 5 had a visit from the Planetarium man! We learnt about the milky way, day and night, time lengths of days and nights, years, lunar phases and the constellations and planets that are visible at night.

We explored gravity on different planets by feeling baked bean cans on a model to simulate gravitational forces. We also looked at lava from different volcanoes. It was very interesting and informative!



Year 5 Residential Trip Reminder

Please remember to return your permission slips and pay the £40 deposit by 15th February to secure your child's place as we need to confirm numbers with Kingswood. If you need a copy of the letter please see the office.

Reminders

- Reception fun day will be on Monday 11th February. Children will need jogging bottoms and a jumper.
- Year 3 and 4 walking trips will be on Monday 11th February.
- Year R walking trip will be on Tuesday 12th February.
- Phase 2 parents drop in will be on Wednesday 13th February for years 2, 3 and 4 at 3:00pm.
- Last day of term will be Friday 15th February. We return to school on Monday 25th February.

Parents to Employment Course

We will be running a parents employment course to help you write CVs and apply for jobs. This will take place at school from the 25th February at 1:30pm and will continue every Monday until 25th March. If you wish to sign up please come to the school office.

Dinner and Breakfast Money

Please ensure you have paid any outstanding money that is owed for breakfasts or school dinners by the **end of term**. Please speak to Mrs Milton if you have any issues with making the payments.

