



Scorton News

A small school with a big outlook...



A message from Mrs. Scholz

Thank you everyone for bearing with us this week during the change to our pick up and drop off arrangements. The staff and children are getting used to it now and hopefully we are more efficient at getting everyone out of school quickly. It would be so helpful if junior parents could stand at the front when the doors open and then move out of the way so that infant parents can come forward to collect their children once Grizedale and Nicky Nook have left. In addition to making things easier for parents and carers collecting from more than one class, we also think the new system makes our school a safer place, particularly in the light of the tragic events in Southport. We want to make sure that we can supervise the entrances to school closely to keep everyone safe. Please do pop in for a chat if you have concerns or questions.



happy WEEKEND!

Lead Learners

Bowland Lead Learner this week is Bobby. Bobby has improved so much in his writing, he wrote the whole story of Supertato this week! He is an expert at forward rolls in Gymnastics - he could even stand up without using his hands into a straight shape at the end! **Grizedale** Grizedale's Lead Learner this week is Rory. Rory 'sattitude to working is brilliant. He has such a focused 'can do' attitude to everything we have been doing in class and is making so much progress with his learning. Well done Rory! **Nicky Nook** Our lead learner in Nicky Nook is Iris. Iris has created an incredible piece of writing to compare life as a Spartan or Athenian in Ancient Greece. She has also created some fantastic maths work on reflections - even when the shapes were really tricky! I love the reading stamina Iris has developed. A fantastic week, well done!

News from our classes

Bowland This week we have been learning all about Chinese New Year, we used watercolours to paint dragons, made lanterns - experimenting with different handles and created wonderful patterns on snakes to celebrate this year's animal. We have been learning to tell the time to o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past in Maths. We ended the week practising our sewing skills, we used a running stitch to make our initial and made a zig-zag border.

Grizedale We have had such a busy week in Grizedale class! This week in History we learnt more about Boudicca's rebellion against the Romans and found out how ferocious, disciplined and well-trained the Roman army were. We thought about whether or not Boudicca should have formed a Celtic army against the Romans or whether it was a foolish plan. We then wrote some brilliant balanced debates to share our ideas. In Art, we created some amazing clay characters from James and The Giant Peach and can't wait to exhibit them somewhere in school when they are dry. We also had a special visitor into school who taught us how to make stop-frame animations using modelling clay in the style of 'Wallace and Gromit' - we can't wait to put some on the website for you to watch once they are finished!

Nicky Nook We took part in an amazing animation workshop this week. After creating clay models we planned and filmed stock animations. We loved watching the films we had created! We have started to design our own creatures that are inspired by the Jabberwock. We have drawn a text map and can recite the poem off by heart. To improve our performance we used the success criteria we had created. In science we were learning about friction and we used this force to help us warm the modelling clay for our film characters. In maths we have been learning about co-ordinates and reflections. Counting helped us with some really tricky shapes!





thumbs up for

Charlie

Teddy Tombola

What are we doing and why?

We are doing a teddy tombola to raise money for a charity called 'Thumbs Up for Charlie'. Charlie was a little boy who had a brain tumour and we are raising money for little boys and girls just like him.

When are we doing it?

Monday 10th – Friday 14th February

What do I need to do?

Donate any nearly new teddies that you don't play with anymore to school (they don't have to be bears!)

Bring some money to school on Monday 14th – Friday

14th February to win a teddy and help

Us support Charlie's charity

£1 per go

Ava
Heidi
Sophie
Tillie



