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# Scorton News

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## A message from Mrs. Scholz

The tickets for the 'Last Choir Singing' Competition went on sale at the weekend—we hope everyone has been able to get theirs. If you have any spare, please do let us know in case anyone missed the opportunity—they do sell out very fast! The choir have been practicing this week and they sound SO beautiful!

The Dance Competition at the Tower Ballroom in Blackpool is also fast approaching. We still need 18 more old mobile phones for the dancers to use as props. We are dancing to Lady Gaga's 'Telephone'. If you have an old mobile—it doesn't need to work as we don't intend to switch them on—we would be SO grateful.

Nicky Nook are starting their Technology project, making lunchbags from old pairs of jeans—if you have any please do send them in.



## News from our classes

**Bowland Class** This week in Bowland, we have been looking at hot and cold continents using an Atlas. We have talked about the Arctic and Antarctic, and what animals live there. Bowland class have read a new story this week, "Geronimo", creating our own penguin pictures exploring the materials in the craft corner. We have continued writing our own version of "Supertato", using our imagination to think of new characters.

**Grizedale** This week we have started our new History and Science units! In Science, we are learning about our bodies and started to think about what our skeleton does and how it helps us to move, supports us and protects our organs. In History, we are learning about the British resistance to the Roman Empire and have started our enquiry about Boudicca. Did you know that there is a statue of Boudicca and her daughters in London? We have been thinking about who Boudicca was, why she rebelled and what sort of a person she might be because of this. In English this week, we have been imagining we are the Spider from 'The Spider and the Fly' and working on persuading the fly to come to our parlour. In Maths we WOWed Miss Taylor with our methods for doubling numbers up to 10,00!

**Nicky Nook** This week we have been acting out the roles of the characters in the Jabberwocky to help us understand motives for our letter writing. We have looked at landscapes, both traditional and abstract, to help us evaluate the work of artists before we start to draw our own. In DT we used our retrieval skills to help us design a fair test for materials and their properties. We are going to re-use materials to make a functional and hard-wearing lunch bag.

## Lead Learners

**Bowland Class:** Our Lead Learner this week is Aurelie for being super creative and a resourceful racoon when she was creating her penguin.

**Grizedale Class:** Lead learner this week is Sophia. Sophia has been an outstanding active learner this week and has really impressed us in every lesson. She always has her hand up to share her ideas, always asks for help when she needs it and always pushes herself out of her comfort zone to be the best she can be.

**Nicky Nook Class:** Danica has created some amazing writing this week. The purpose and audience are really clear and she has made some incredible vocabulary choices. Well done Danica!







# BAG 2 SCHOOL



Our next Bag2School collection  
has been arranged for  
Wednesday 4th March

Any questions – please ask your school  
collection organiser Mrs. Walmsley

