



Eton Poryn C of E First School Newsletter 3 – Autumn Term 1

19th September 2025

*We are all created unique and special.
He made us all perfect having our own uniqueness.*

1 Peter 4:10-11 "God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another."

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very proud of our reception children who have completed their first full week at school! We were very lucky this week to be invited to take part in the State Visit. A group of year 4 children and Mrs Dewar had the pleasure of meeting the Queen and the First Lady and sharing some writing with them. As the weather changes, please ensure that your child is appropriately dressed for the weather including bringing a named coat into school each day.

Wishing you a lovely weekend, Emma Stanford-Smith
(Headteacher)



LEARNING SNAPSHOTS

Year 1 have had another busy week. In English they have been learning about verbs, whilst continuing to focus on capital letters, fingers spaces and handwriting. In Science they have been out and about with magnifying glasses looking at different materials. Choosing 'everyday objects' they have been thinking about what the objects are made from and whether they are human made or natural. We have also tested objects to see if they are waterproof and transparent.

Ask me: What does transparent mean?



Year 2 have continued their art learning this week and created their final pieces by painting patterns with different hues of primary colours. They have continued reading George's marvellous medicine and have written descriptive sentences about George cooking the medicine. Year 2 looked at different food groups and sorted foods into their categories ready for their DT learning next week!

Ask me: What is a hue?



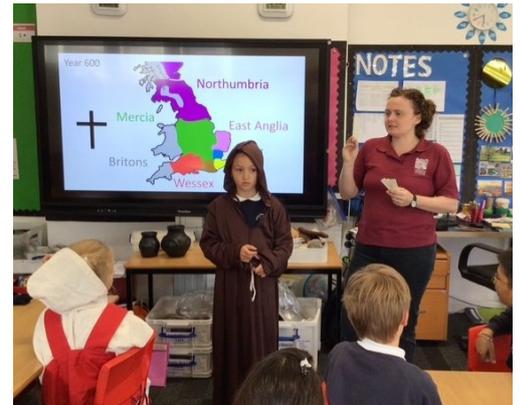
Year 3 have had a very exciting week! We started off with a workshop from Chertsey Museum about prehistory. The children loved looking at artefacts from the stone age! We have also been doing some Art this week. The children have enjoyed exploring watercolours and have learnt about how different types of colours can impact the viewer!
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Year 4 enjoyed a visit from Chertsey Museum, during which they learnt lots about the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings, in line with our 'Invasion' topic. They had the opportunity to investigate artefacts and try on outfits. Year 4 have also written letters during English, researched various ecosystems during Science, and participated in singing.

Ask me: What I saw in my Anglo-Saxons and Vikings workshop!



Reception have completed their first full week at school and what a fun and busy week it has been! We had been waiting for a dry enough day to go and explore in the garden for the first time, so we enjoyed completing a bug hunt and then using the climbing frame. We started our first project Let's Explore and began by reading We're Going on a Bear Hunt. The children are able to join in with words and actions they know from the story and had a try at making puppets to help them retell it.

Ask me: What is your favourite part in We're Going on a Bear Hunt?



FORTHCOMING DATES

22nd September	Reception Parent Information Meeting 2:45pm
14th October	Flu Immunisations All Years
16th October	Express Event All Years 2:50
22nd October	Term ends for Children
23rd and 24th October	Inset Days School closed for all children

Don't forget to book your lunches in advance on School Money.

Even if your child has **packed lunch this still needs to be selected on the School Money system so we know we don't have to ask your child in the morning.**

CELEBRATION

The results of this week's celebration awards

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Reception: Ibrahim and Astoria
Year 1: Safiya and Clodagh
Year 2: Beauden and Conor
Year 3: Natalie and Arishe
Year 4: Aryan and William

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

Reception: Hira
Year 1: Matilda
Year 2: Ruqayyah
Year 3: Emaan
Year 4: Maja

**A huge well done to all of these children.
We are really proud of you.**