

FRIDAY 30TH JANUARY 2026

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY



Golden Rules Winners
Finlay
Hugo

Achievement Awards
William
Henry C and Arthur
Eliza and Jessica
Hollie and Darcie



NEXT WEEK

Wednesday 4th February- Hedgehog Class- Live lesson delivered by the Royal Ballet in London

Thursday 5th February- Squirrel Class- Trip to Exeter by Train

Friday 6th February- Parents Evening Slip Deadline.

Parents Evening slips should have gone home with your child today (30.1.26), please fill them in and return them back to your class teachers. Please use one slip per child, thank you.



Snacks for Morning Play



Please can I remind you that the preferred snack for playtime is **fresh fruit or vegetables**. Crackers, bread sticks and rice cakes are also accepted.

As a school we are trying to become more sustainable and more thoughtful about our environment. Please can you support this by reducing the packaging that snacks and packed lunches are wrapped in.

Don't forget to name snack tubs so that they can be returned to their owners when they are left outside!

Thank you



Take your singing to the next level with Devon Youth Choir

Devon Youth Choir is an exciting opportunity for young singers from across Devon, Plymouth and Torbay to develop their vocal skills and make music with others. Aimed at ages 11-18, the choir now welcomes children in Year 6, offering an inspiring pathway into high-quality ensemble singing. Led by expert vocal practitioners, the choir meets for monthly Saturday gathering days at Exeter School and provides fantastic performance and development opportunities throughout the year. This is a brilliant chance for young voices to grow in confidence, creativity and musicality. Find out more and get involved today!

Year 6s please speak to Mrs Bromley if you are interested.

Dates for your Diary...

- Wednesday 4th February- Hedgehog Class Live Lesson with the Royal Ballet of London
- Thursday 5th February- Squirrel Class trip to Exeter (more information to come this week)
- Monday 9th February- Friday 13th February- Children's Mental Health Week
- Tuesday 10th February- Safer Internet Day
- Wednesday 11th February- To celebrate Children's Mental Health week Y1 - Y6 will have a live assembly with the children's author and mental wellbeing advocate, Katie Hopper.
- Thursday 12th February- Hedgehog Class Residential Parents Meeting for Hooke Court
- Friday 13th February Pancake Races
- Friday 13th February Last Day of term



NEWSLETTER

BY THE AMBASSADORS

Squirrels

In Preschool the children learnt **Row, Row, Row Your Boat** in Rhyme Time. In Number Time they have been looking at patterns. In Reception, they have been reading the book **Polar Bear in the Snow** and in Number Time they have looked at numbers 6 and 7, thinking about them as 5 and a bit more. As a whole class, they have been looking at polar animals and their habitats. They have enjoyed making ice lollypops and hot chocolates linked to this topic.

Foxes

In Maths, they have been learning the very tricky **Baked Bean** method to help them to cross a ten, without counting on their fingers. In English, they have been writing a new class version of **The No Bot Robot** book, ready for planning their own versions next week. In Computing, they have been learning to type and what different keys do on the keyboard. In DT, the children have finished sewing their bookmarks.

Hedgehogs

In Maths, they have continued their learning about multiplying and dividing. They also used their maths skills, after the **Big School Bird Count**, to count up all the birds they saw and to represent this data as bar chart. In Science, they have learnt about magnets and thought about north and south and north and north linked to magnets. In Computing, they have used **Scratch** to write a code for a character called a **Sprite**. This week's Newsround was all about **Holocaust Memorial Day (27th January)** and **World War 2**. This week's word of the week was **willowy**.



Badgers

In Maths, they have been dividing fractions by integers and finding fractions of an integer. In English, they have a new book called Extreme Animals and have been reading about how volcanoes form in guided reading. In Forest School they built dens, testing how waterproof they were and some of us got drenched! In Music, they have been learning a Latin song. In Science, they did an experiment by wrapping materials on a cup to see which cup stays the warmest for the longest. In French, they have been learning how to ask for the price and to be able to understand the answer.