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MALMESBURY NEWSLETTER



GETTING WINTER WONDERLAND READY

From Monday our Winter Wonderland raffle tickets are on sale before/after school each day. We'd really welcome any parents who are able to help us on the day itself with setting up, helping to run a stall and/or tidying up.

We are also particularly looking for anyone who could help us with 20/30 minutes of face painting. This is always really popular and a rota of parent helpers would make such a difference. Please speak to us on the gate or email Shaheda through our admin email if you can help in any way at all on the day. Thank you! #collaboration

COMING UP...

Y6 British Museum trip:
Tuesday 25th November^h

Malmesbury Winter Fair:
Wednesday 3rd Dec @
3:30pm (no clubs or
Maximum)

Y2 Tower of London trip:
Thursday 4th December

Nursery Christmas singing:
Tuesday 9th Dec @ 9:10am

Christmas lunch: Weds 10th
Dec

Reception Nativity: Thursday
11th Dec @ 9:10am and
2:30pm

KS1 Christmas Concerts:
Friday 12th Dec @ 9:10am
and 2:30pm

Y3/4 Christmas concerts:
Monday 15th Dec @ 9:10am
and 2:30pm

Y5/6 Christmas concerts:
Wednesday 17th Dec @
9:10am and 2:30pm



Many thanks to everyone who contributed to last Friday's Children in Need day. We raised £350 and our children looked fab in yellow, spots and super hero costumes.



YEAR 5 CINEMA TRIP

On Tuesday, our Y5 children went to the cinema at West India Quay. They enjoyed watching 'the Missing Link'



The film brilliantly linked to children's current learning about mountains in geography and their reading/writing in English about Himalayan Yetis. Thank you to Olivia (AHT Phase 2) for hunting down 90 free cinema tickets!

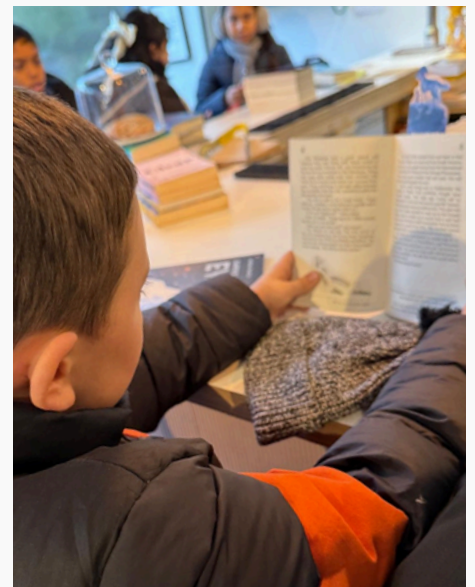
YEAR 2 ANIMAL VISITORS



Our children have been learning about animals and their habitats in science. This week they had some special animal visitors to bring their learning to life. Our Y2 children were curious, brave and also keen to share what they already knew. #pride



Yesterday we took a group of children to our local bookshop on Roman Road. Thanks to Vicky and her team for helping us with some great book choices. Our children were under pressure from classmates to make great choices for our class libraries. They came back with some brilliant new books.



THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

This week: 95.65%
Y4 Elizabethans: 99.3%
Y3 Yorkists: 98.33%
Y2 Lionhearts: 97.69%

We are currently receiving a large number of term time leave requests for December: please be aware we cannot authorise these. Whilst we are sympathetic to higher flight costs and spending time with family overseas, children have 13 weeks of holidays each year. Children who miss school are often left with gaps in their learning.

Children who read...



Are more likely to overcome disadvantage caused by inequalities



Are more likely to be happier, healthier and experience better mental wellbeing and self-esteem



Are more likely to do better at school and make more progress across the curriculum



Are more likely to develop empathy and creativity

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