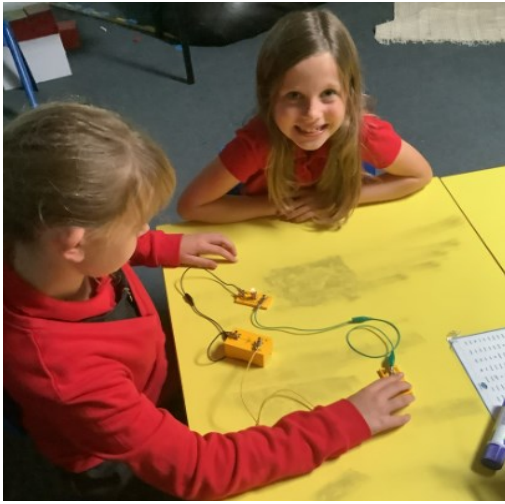


The Doxey Digest



Friday 29th September 2023

Over the last few weeks year 4 have been learning all about electricity. This week they investigated whether materials were conductors or insulators and built their own circuits. They can now label the components of a simple circuit and build one with a bulb from memory!

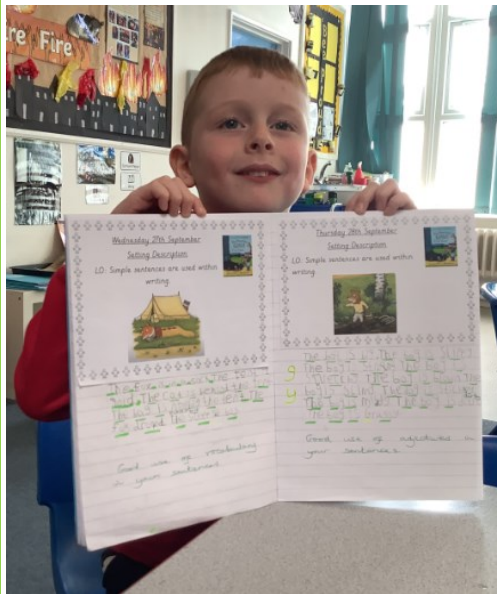


In Year 1 we carefully make the transition from an Early Years curriculum to a more formal Primary teaching style. This means there is still lots of play based learning mixed with more formal lessons for Maths, Reading, and Writing. As the year progresses, the formal learning will increase ready for Year 2 next year.

Reward System

We have high expectations of attitudes to learning. Children are rewarded in many ways.

- ⇒ Best Behaviour = First Attention. This means that children who show positive attitudes to learning will be recognised by the teacher first.
- ⇒ Lots of positive praise
- ⇒ DoJo Points
- ⇒ Star of the Week
- ⇒ Lunch with the Headteacher
- ⇒ Extra playtime on a Friday



Notices

Please be considerate of neighbours when using the school entrances.

Dates

02.10.23	Sparkles—World Grandparent Day. 11.00-11.45
09.10.23	Y5 Bikeability
12.10.23	Rec— Y6 School Flu Vaccination
24.10.23	Parent's Evening (5pm-7pm)
25.10.23	Parent's Evening (3.30pm—5.30pm)
30.10.23—03.11.23	Half term
06.11.23	INSET Day
07.11.23	Back to School

Attendance

Please read the information sent out about attendance. On occasions where attendance starts to decrease or cause a concern, families may be contacted by the school.

Class percentages:

Y1M: 96%	Y1C: 89%
Y2: 87%	Y3: 94%
Y4: 92%	Y5: 87%
Y6: 90%	

Message from the Head

I had a lovely evening at Laches Wood with Year 5. They were amazing ambassadors for Doxey Primary School. We all had lots of fun playing hide and seek in the woods. The teachers were victorious!