The Doxey Digest

Friday 1st December 2023



Year 3 have been working on addition and subtraction. They have just advanced from a place value grid to using the column method.



Year 4 are working towards writing a newspaper report about the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79AD. To ensure they write in chronological order, sequenced the timeline of the eruption, looking carefully at times and dates.

Independence

This week we have been thinking about being independent. In our learning we can:

- be quick to start work
- work quietly
- keep trying when it is hard
 - look after our own resources

Who's that trip trapping across my bridge? Year 1 have been writing a sequence of sentences about the traditional tale; 'Three Billy Goats Gruff'. They have made their own characters and used adjectives to describe them.



Reception enjoyed 'Welly Wednesday' this week by observing the changes that are happening outside with the weather getting colder and exploring the frost. They also enjoyed finding shapes that are in the environment.



For absences, please leave a message on the school answer machine.

Notices

The nursery gate closes at 8:45am as this is when the session starts. We suggest dropping nursery children off before older children.

Dates

07/12/23	Choir performance at St Mary's Church (4pm)
14/12/23	Choir performance at Deans Court (4pm)
15/12/23	Christmas jumper day Christmas Fair (4.30pm)
19/12/23	Christmas Dinner
20/12/23	EYFS Nativity (9:15am)
20/12/23	KS1 Nativity (2.30pm)
22/12/23	KS2 Christmas Celebration at Doxey Church (1.30pm)

Attendance

Being in school not only helps with learning but also enables children to develop confidence and happiness within the school environment.

Class percentages:

Y1M:94% Y1C: 89%

Y2: 91% Y3: 93%

Y4: 94% Y5: 91%

Y6: 94%

Message from the Head

Our Governing Board is looking for new parent governors. If you are interested, please pop to see me in the playground before school one morning.