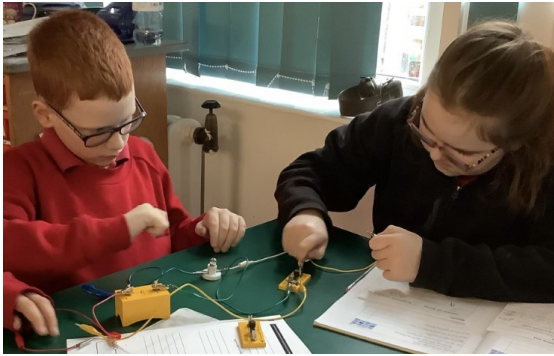


The Doxey Digest



Friday 15th December 2023

In creative book club, children really enjoyed reading the book, 'Little Red and the very Hungry Lion.' In the book the Lion took on the role of the wolf from, 'Little red Riding Hood.' The funniest part was when Red Riding Hood braided the lion's hair! Children used brown paper and straws to create the lion.



Year 5 have been Scientists this week. They have investigated whether the length of a wire affects how components in a circuit work.



Year 3 have used the iPads to find out about rocks and fossils. We all now know that

fossils are only found in sedimentary rocks and igneous rocks are formed when a volcano erupts.



Sparkles and their families enjoyed their Christmas Stay and Play this week. Everyone enjoyed making tree decorations and decorating Christmas biscuits. The biscuits were delicious!

Christmas Card Competition

David Wilson Homes asked Doxey Primary School to enter their Christmas card competition. Elsie P in Year 3 was their winner. Her design will be featured on their Christmas cards this year.

Routines

Routines are important for all children, especially those children with learning or social and emotional needs. To support this, we have consistent routines for everything across school eg the way we start and finish lessons and move around corridors. All classrooms have visual timetables and children are warned if any daily routines will be changing.

Notices

Assembly has moved to 9am every morning. The playground gates will be closed before this. Please arrive as close to 8:45 as possible. This is the time that classroom doors open.

Dates

19/12/23	Christmas Dinner
20/12/23	EYFS Nativity (9:15am)
20/12/23	KS1 Nativity (2.30pm)
21/12/23	Pantomime (Y1—Y6)
22/12/23	KS2 Christmas Celebration at Doxey Church (1.30pm)
22/12/23	Last day of school
8/1/24	Back to school

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: 92%	Y3: 92%
Y4: 94%	Y5: 90%
Y6: 93%	

Message from the Head

I am very proud of Year 4 this week. The Leisure Centre told us that they have been the best behaved class this term in their swimming lessons. Well done Year 4 for showing how amazing Doxey Primary School is.