

Newsletter

Redfield Edge Primary School

'Striving to be the best version of ourselves.'



Soup, soup, glorious soup!

Learning in Holly Class

This week in Holly Class the children have been learning about the celebration of Easter!

Alongside lots of Easter themed activities, they had the opportunity to create some beautiful Easter bonnets in their House teams!

To top it all off, Holly Class even went on their very own Easter Egg hunt, outside around the school with Mr Martin!



Equality, Diversity and Inclusion

SARI workshop and staff training

Last week, the staff at Redfield Edge had a visit from Susannah from SARI (Stand Against Racism and Injustice). One of our SIP (School Improvement) aims this year is centred around continuing our Equality, Diversity, Inclusion and Equity journey. Susannah came to not only deliver a workshop for upper KS2 and a whole school assembly, but she also came to facilitate and lead a Staff Meeting on 'Language and Race'. The presentation and group activities were interesting and insightful. We had many discussions, and all felt like it was a really useful piece of training.

Year 5/6 visitor

On Thursday, Maple and Oak class had the fantastic opportunity to learn all about the Jewish faith! They looked closely at different artefacts and learn about changes over time. The children learnt a lot and were able to ask many questions!



Hazel Cass Cake Sale



The children in Year 1 held their cake sale last week and raised an incredible **£166.76**.

We would like to thank all of the parents who donated cakes and those who bought a delicious treat. The money raised will go directly to the class and the children will have a say in what the money is spent on. This could be resources for the classroom linked to their learning or to pay towards a special experience.

Thank you 😊



We would like to thank Iris for her time and for helping our Children gain a deeper understanding of the Jewish Faith.

Learning in Willow Class



Willow class have been having fun in their Ancient Egyptian topic over the last few weeks. First, they designed and made an Egyptian death mask ready for their class assembly. Then, they used toilet roll to wrap themselves up as Mummies. Finally, they followed instructions to mummify a tomato!

Learning in Beech Class

Alongside their science learning on digestion and looking after their bodies, Beech Class enjoyed an exciting cookery experience this week. They worked together to follow a recipe to make a healthy but tasty sweet potato and carrot soup completely from scratch. They chopped, sliced, boiled and blended and everybody took home a delicious bowl of soup to enjoy with their families.

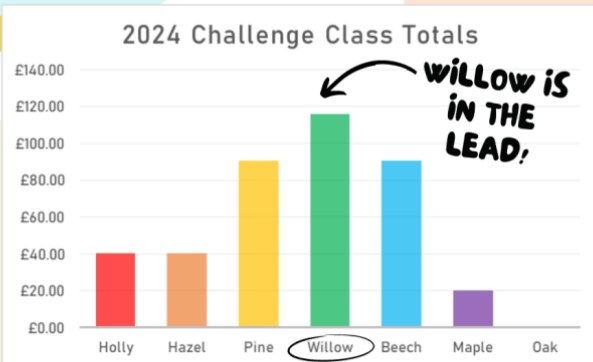


Beech Class were encouraged to explore how we practise and nurture valuable life skills when we make sculpture. They began with the starting point of what it must be like to be a bird, and place those first tentative twigs in place when nest building begins. They explored how they had to use their own instinct and intuition to make sculpture. They foraged their own materials (like a bird) and brought them back together as a group to create their nests.



THE 2024 CHALLENGE!

CLOSING DATE: 30TH APRIL



TOTAL SO FAR... £397.88!

Fun activities to try in **spring**



Visit your **local library**

www.southglos.gov.uk/costofliving

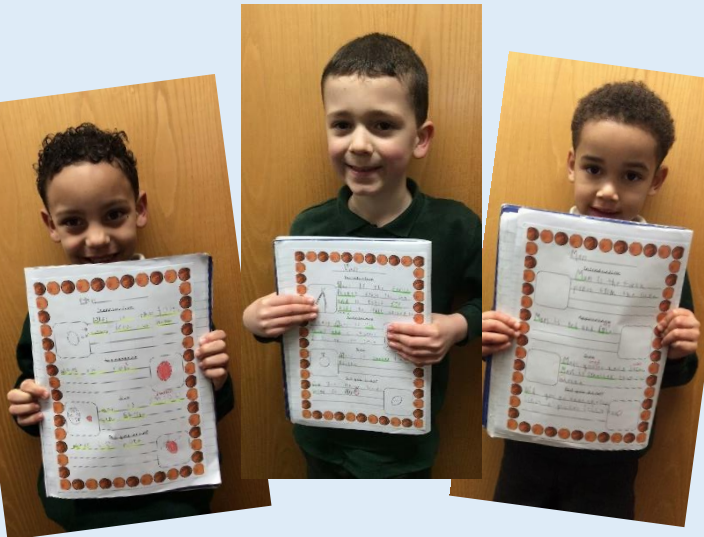
Learning in Maple and Oak Class



Year 5 and Year 6 had the opportunity to read their final, 'prove it' writes to each other and share their successes. The children thoroughly enjoyed hearing about what the other class were learning and were confident at sharing their writing aloud to their peers. They all shared positive comments about the pieces, and some were even inspired to go away and write their own short stories!

Learning in Hazel Class

WOW! The children in Hazel Class have written some wonderful non-fiction reports about Mars! The children used iPads to research, then plan and then write facts about Mars!



Hazel Class have read them to Holly Class, who were amazed by the facts they learned!

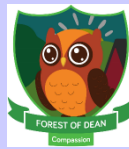
Miss Andrews was so impressed with the children's handwriting and their excitement to write these amazing reports!

Learning in Pine Class

Over the last 2 weeks Pine Class have been looking at measurement in Maths. We've learnt to use the metre ruler and Miss Kelly set out a variety of shapes within the hall for us to measure with our learning partner. In Art we have now finished our unit focusing on the Great Fire of London so this week we set up an art gallery and spent some time looking at one another's artwork and had a go at sharing what we liked about one another's pieces linked to the learning.



This term's House Points results...



1077



847



889



1055

WELL, DONE EVERYONE! 😊😊😊

Redfield Edge vs Mangotsfield (Semi-final replay)



On Monday, our Year 5 and 6 boys were in action against Mangotsfield for a semi-final match to decide finalists for the South Glos Plate.



Match report:

The boys in black started strongly, being able to soak up the early pressure and move the ball around the pitch. A few scrappy chances went by, before the ball crossed the line despite the keeper's efforts. After half time, Redfield Edge dominated play, adding three more goals to make the final score 4-0. The boys put on a fantastic defensive performance, coupled with a sublime counterattack that carved up our opponents.

Final date and venue TBA

Redfield Edge v Wick/St Annes

Elite Art Club

It has come to the end of another term and my Tuesday art club have finished their canvas pieces.

This term we were using acrylics to create a beach scene, trying to create the movement of the sea with delicate shells and a starfish at the centre.



Great job – well done art club! 😊

Road Safety for Beech Class

On Wednesday, we had a visit from the South Glos Road Safety team who led a workshop for the children in Year 4.



Hazel Class Assembly

On Thursday afternoon, the children from Hazel Class performed their class assembly to family and friends. The children shared a song using sign language and told the story they have been learning about in class.



The children also shared some key facts about our solar system they have been learning in class. Well done Hazel class – Great job!



😊 Well Done! 😊

Dates for the Diary

Monday 15th April	Inset Day	School closed for teacher training
Tuesday 16th April	First Day of term 5	All children back in school for the beginning of Term 5
	Netball Match	Netball team away to Bristol Grammar
Thursday 18th April	Swimming lessons	Y6 and Y3 are having more swimming lessons – you would have received an email if your child is taking part.