



Message from Deputy Headteacher– Mr.Barritt

Sadly, Mrs. Hunkin hasn't been well this week, but I'm pleased to say she is feeling better and hopes to be back in school next week. It has meant that I have had lots of opportunity this week to speak to children and families across the school, which has been lovely! I'm also really pleased to be able to write a few words for this week's newsletter. It has been an extremely busy and productive week in school. Year 4 completed their final swimming session on Monday with some fun time in the pool. The children have worked fantastically hard during their lessons and all of them have made such remarkable progress. The instructors at the pool have been brilliant and it has been such a pleasure to watch the children's swimming improve so drastically over the ten sessions. The swimming 'baton' has now been passed to year 3, who started their first lessons this week. The children looked really excited on their way in to school and I have heard from the staff who have accompanied them that they look set to make just as much progress. I also had the pleasure of handing out swimming certificates to our year 5 class who obviously worked just as hard during their swim sessions, judging by the number of certificates for multiple lengths that were awarded! I have also had opportunity to get to know many of our Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 pupils. They have been so polite and confident when they have seen me popping in and out of their classrooms and are a real credit to their class teams and the school as a whole. I have seen them working hard during their Read, Write, Inc time and walking very quietly and sensibly to and from these sessions. I look forward to getting to know these classes even better in the coming weeks.

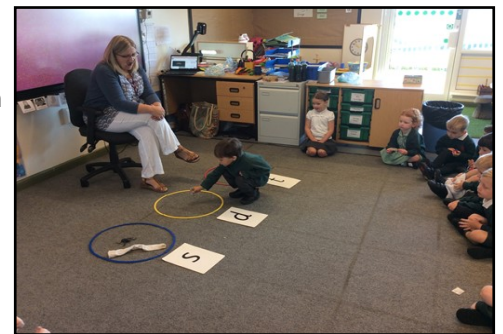
If you would like the chance to get to know me a little better, look out for my 'exclusive' interview with the Kea School Year 6 Journalist team, which will be in their self-produced newspaper coming soon!

Thanks for all your support with our changes to routines because of Covid-19. We are continuing to follow guidance from the local authority and from Public Health England and will notify you of any changes. Please remember that windows are open in every classroom all day, so please remember to ensure that your child has suitable clothing to keep them warm. Please also ensure that they bring a coat every day now that the weather is cooler.

Foundation Class

Foundation have been really busy in Read Write Inc. Even though the children have only been at school for just over 5 weeks, they have learnt 15 sounds, two red words and are beginning to read words. They have been on letter and word hunts outside, have sorted objects into groups according to their initial sound and have explored their phonics through their play. They are exploring patterns, writing letters and have been practising writing their names too.

Well done Foundation!



Year 1 Flambards Trip



On Wednesday 29th September Year 1 visited the Victorian Village at Flambards. We wanted to find out if people have always worn the same clothes as we wear now. This is what we discovered:

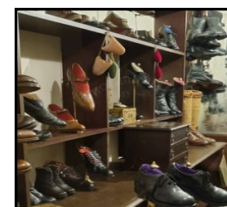


The rich men wore suits and top hats. Other men wore their work clothes with leather aprons to protect their clothes.



The children wore a different school uniform to ours. The teacher dressed differently too!

Our visit to the Victorian Village really brought our classroom learning to life.



Year 2 Flambards Trip

On Wednesday 29th September, Year 2 went to Flambards to learn about clothes during Victorian Times! They had to spot different types of popular Victorian clothes such as bonnets, top hats and petticoats. Year 2 were extremely interested looking in the Victorian shoe shop and examining the clothes worn by children in the Victorian School! After they had worked so hard in the morning, they spent some time in the afternoon going on some rides! I was very impressed with the behaviour of all of the children throughout the day.



Well done Year 2!

A massive thank you to Kea School Friends for funding the Flambards entry and transport costs .





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