



Message from Mrs Hunkin

I think back to the start of this term, particularly the days leading up to it, and even the morning of Monday INSET day when we had been assured by the government that schools will be fully open this term. However, as you know, this wasn't the case, and the majority of children, parents and school staff were thrown into home learning for the next two months. It was an incredibly steep learning curve for everyone, and I can definitely say that it has been LOVELY having all the children back in school for the past four weeks. Thanks so much to everyone for supporting in keeping to our new routines. We will keep reviewing our systems and hoping that before too long we will get back to normal routines. There seems to be a really happy atmosphere in all classes, although everyone is ready for a bit of a break.

1st of April and spring definitely is here. I am hope you have a good break, a good rest and that the weather will enable you to spend time outside having fun. I look forward to seeing all the children back on Monday 19 April.

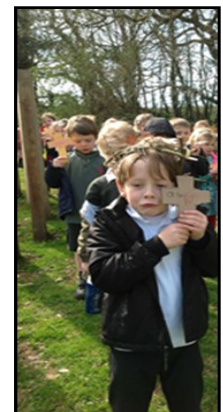
Easter in Foundation

Foundation had a letter delivered from Barry Bunny, asking for help. The problem was that his friend Charlie Chick had laid too many eggs and that the nest was not big enough. He asked for their help. The children were asked to build a nest for the eggs that were warm, safe and dry. He gave them a book all about the life cycle of chickens and they enjoyed learning all about that. After, they spent a long time in the orchard, building nests for their eggs and chicks.



Easter in Year 1

Last week Year 1 read and retold the Easter story from our class Bible. We made some props and acted out the different parts of the story around the school grounds. We thought carefully about how our emotions changed throughout the story. We felt sad when Jesus died on the cross but happy when he came back to life.



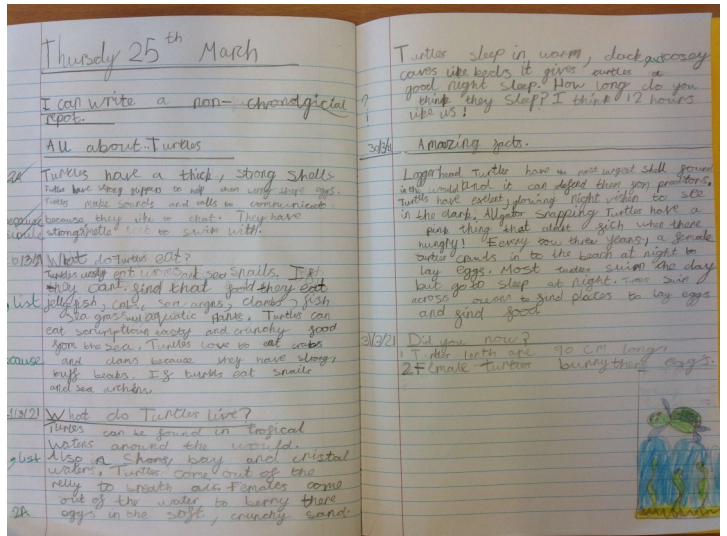
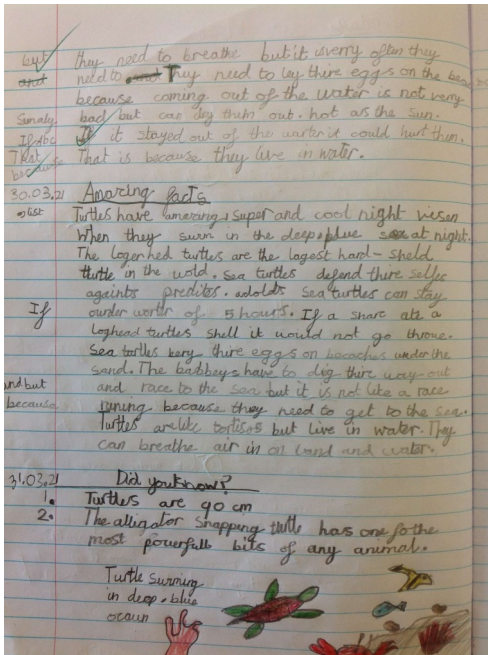
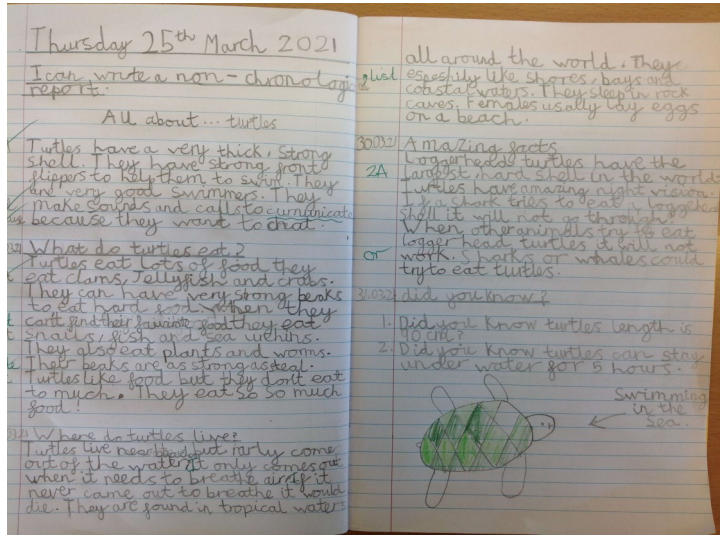
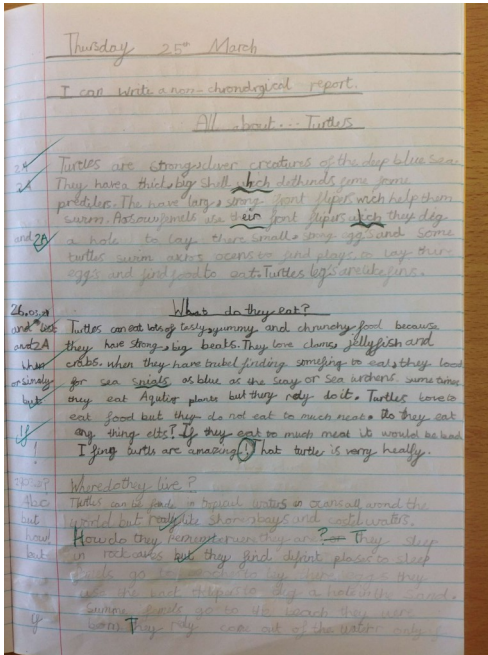
Farewell to Mrs Barnicoat

As you are aware, today is Mrs Barnicoat's last day at Kea. She has worked here for 25 years and will be sorely missed by everyone. We have had a celebration assembly on Teams and children in every class have shared memories and thoughts. She has been overwhelmed with cards, messages, gifts and flowers. We all wish her a very happy retirement and look forward to her coming back to visit.



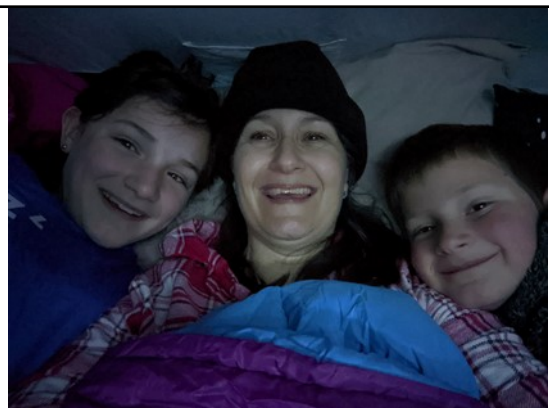
Easter in Year 2

In Year 2, we have been learning the difference between fiction and non-fiction. We have been reading 'Follow the Moon Home' which is a fiction story. We know this because it has characters, it must be read in order and it has a beginning, middle and end. To show our learning, we have written a non-fiction report about Turtles! We now know that non-fiction writing has true facts, subheadings, captions and can be read in any order!



Well Done Louis

Louis year 4 and sister Tegan joined Max "the boy in the tent" on Saturday night. They slept in the tent on a fairly windy night and raised £267 for Cornwall Hospice Care.



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Just a reminder to please check your child's devices regularly. It's important to ensure they are safe whilst online and also that they are sharing and receiving appropriate content when in any kind of group chat.

