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2nd February 2024

School Times:

8.55am—3.15pm

Nursery:

Morning: 8.45-
11.45am

Afternoon: 12.15—
3.15pm

Term Dates:

Wednesday 3rd
January—Thursday
28th March

Half Term:

Mon 19th—Fri 23rd
February

Remaining PD Days:

Fri 16th Feb

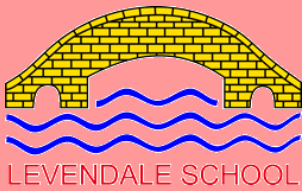
Mon 22nd July

Tues 23rd July

Dear parents and carers,

A huge well done to our Y5 & Y6 football teams for not giving up and playing their hearts out despite results not going their way! Super resilience and determination—Well done!





Year 2 walked around the local area around school recently. They were observing human and physical features as part of their Geography topic.



They have also been writing some amazing non-chronological reports—we have been so impressed!

Friday 12th January 2024

To write a non-chronological report.

THE ICEY DRAGON

The icy dragon is a mysterious creature that has dropped people for decades. You might think you know about this strange creature but do you really? Read on to find out the real truth.

What is the dragon's diet?

The icy dragon is a herbivore and nocturnal. And it has fish, squid and crabs to eat up. He uses his talons to rip the skin of fish off. His teeth open your bones as you and eat you in one. He has to eat every 2 hours to hunt down his predators one by one. And every one of them will be gobbled up.

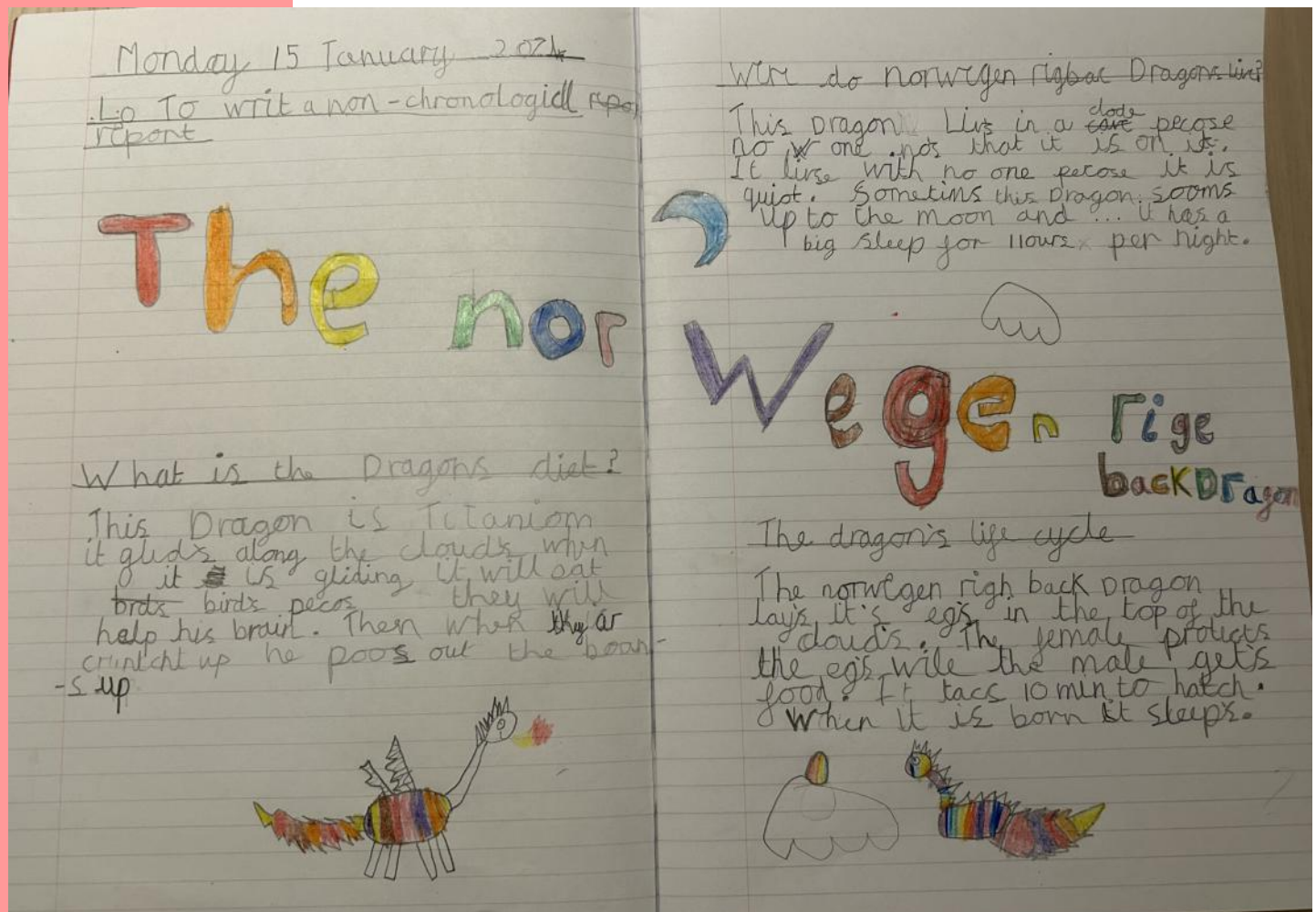
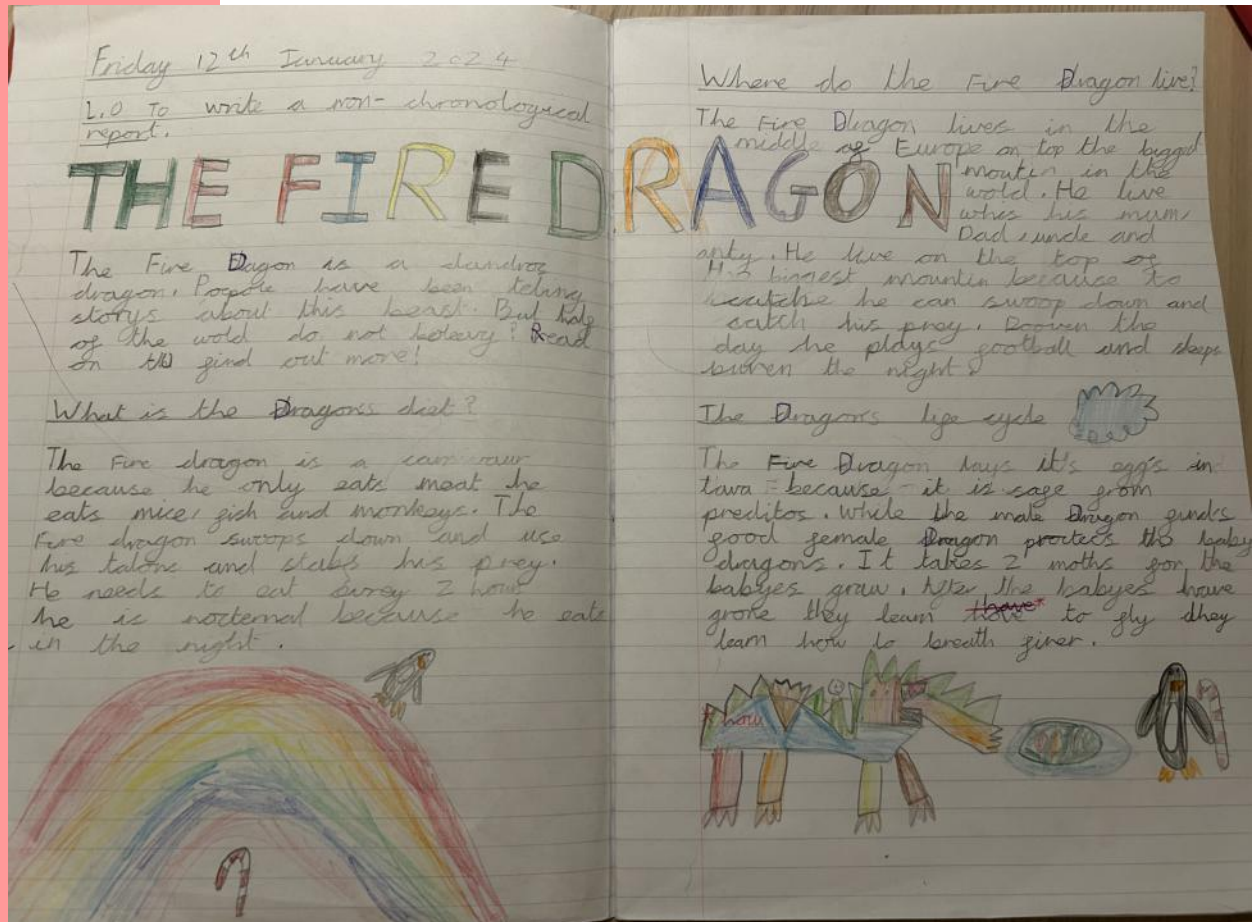
Ocean

Where do icy dragons live?

The icy dragon lives in a iceberg in the antarctic because he's made of icebergs for his icebergs. He live there because he likes being cold and icy in the middle of the sea. He's normally social with friends so its easier to catch predators. At night he finds preys for the next day and at day he has a nice swim.

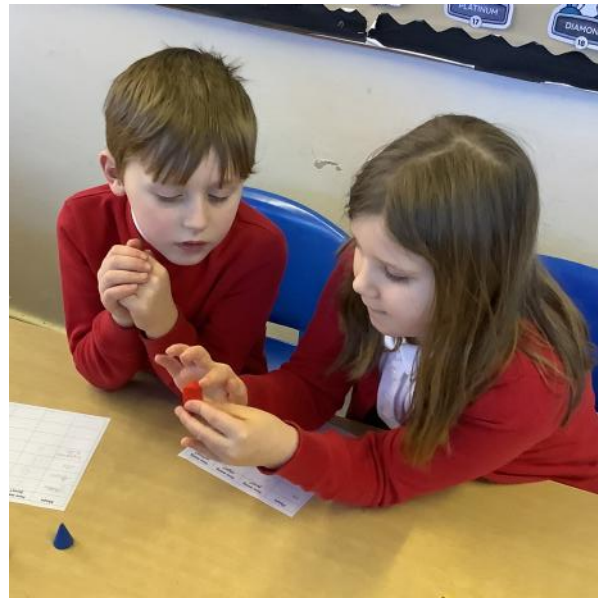
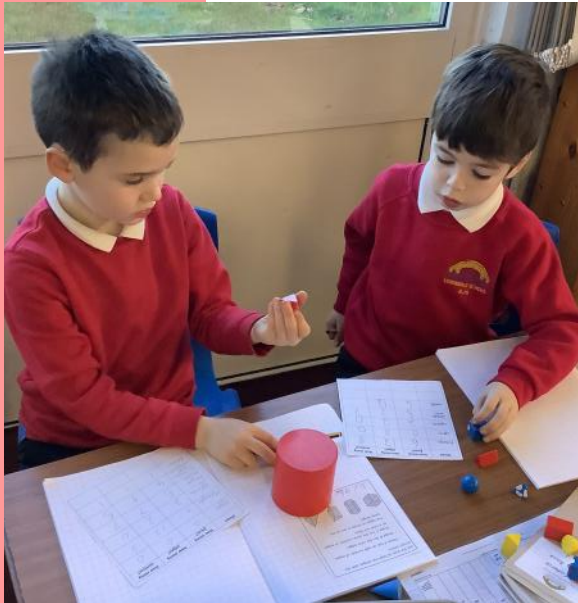
The Dragon's life cycle

The icy dragons lays its eggs in a coral reef. While the little dragon can fly the female dragon protects the young. The male dragon fights for food while the female dragon protects the young. The egg normally hatches about 4 weeks to 5 weeks each. After, he gets his wings so he can fly and fight off predators.



Year 2 have also been investigating 3D shapes—edges, faces and vertices!

They must be exhausted with all of this hard work!!!



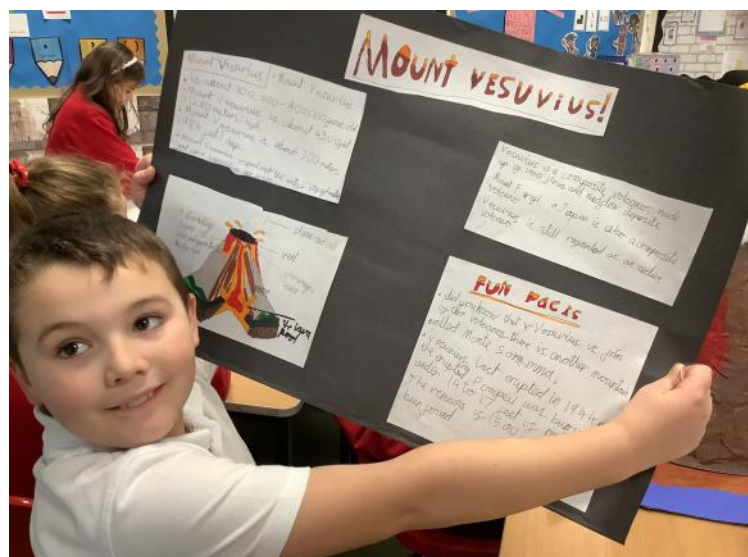


**Reception enjoyed their visit from Animal Story this week!
They were excited to handle a variety of creatures and some
were even brave enough to hold a snake!**





Year 4 have had an an explosive time today! They worked really hard at home on their volcano projects!





Year 4 have been learning about features of a mosque as part of their work on Islam. They created light catchers, which look beautiful in the Y4 windows!





Achievements

We love to celebrate children's achievements, including those outside of school. Please let us know if your child does something that makes you proud!

Theo J in Y4

Was Man of the match with his Leven football team—even playing out of his usual position! Well done!

Priya T in Y1

Won a trophy for Tap dancing—Super!

Parents Evenings—week commencing 12th February

Parents can make an appointment to see their child's teacher/s on Arbor. Please contact the office, if you need assistance.

Parents of children on the SEND register may be offered an alternative appointment if a longer session is needed.

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**LEVENDALE
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ADMISSION
2024-2025**

PLACES AVAILABLE

'Be the Best that you can be.'

"Pupils have an enthusiasm for school that greets you when you enter the building. They feel safe, happy and enjoy coming to school." Ofsted, July 2023

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February Birthdays

Happy Birthday month to: George A, Ava A, Emma A, Felicity A, Jack B, Sienna D, Jayati G, Isla H, Ella H-J, Edie H, Evie H, Oscar H, Holly I, Olivia L, Nriti NR, Jaime N, Maria O-L, Mila R, Priya T and Lewis W.

Awards given in Celebration Assembly this week....



Levendale Goal—Healthy and Safe

Y1	Rory J
Y2	Adriana R-C
Y3	Alex L
Y4	Henry M
Y5	Ryan H
Y6	Alex L



Maths Stars

Y1	Bonnie G
Y2	AJ Sample
Y3	Isla H
Y4	Olivia L
Y5	Eleanor L
Y6	Isla H



English Award

Y1	Lucas M
Y2	Frankie N
Y3	Rhys T
Y4	Lillie M
Y5	Holly I
Y6	Rhys T



Attendance

'Class of the week' celebrates the class with the best attendance each week. The winning class, across the term, will get a treat they can negotiate with their teacher! **Well done to Year 4 this week!**



Attendance	Winners
Reception	2
Year 1	2
Year 2	1
Year 3	3
Year 4	1
Year 5	0
Year 6	0

Times Table Rockstars

A huge well done to our winners this week...



Most improved	Casey C in Y5
Highest Earner	Ava N in Y5
Star of the Week	Lewis W in Y5

Team Captains

Our team captains counted our team points this week, well done to Topaz, who won this week!

We will keep a score and the winning team each term will get a reward!

Teams	Captains	Winners
Emerald	Mila R	2
Topaz	Ali	3
Sapphire	Theo	0
Ruby	Sophia F	0



Diary of Events

We are busy planning events for the children, our families and the local community. We will continue to update this list as the term progresses.

More information will be provided, closer to the time of events.

Date	Event
05/02/24	Y3 Forest Schools
05/02/24	Y6 SATS booster
06/02/24	Forest schools with Mrs Stonehouse
06/02/24	Safer Internet Day
07/02/24	Y2 visiting a Mandir
07/02/24	Writing Project Group—Southbank Centre Workshop
08/02/24	Y3 Forest Schools—extra session
09/02/24	Y4 Writing Club 3.15-4.15pm
w/b 12/02/24	Parents Evenings
14/02/24	Pupil Ambassadors at Whitehouse Primary
14/02/24	Levendale Lyricals—Royal Opera House workshop a.m.
16/02/24	PD Day—closed to children
w/b 19/02/24	Half Term
28/02/24	Year 6 visit to see Author Louie Stowell
05/03/24	Year 1 Class Assembly for parents 2.45pm
07/03/24	World Book Day—dress as a book character, or bring a prop or clue!
w/b 11/03/24 and w/b 18/03/24	Year 4 swimming fortnight
20/03/24	Y2 Snappy Spring Music Event
Thurs 28/03/24	Last day in school before the Easter Break