

A Message from our Head of School - Miss Jenkinson

We are so proud to be part of such a diverse community here at Luck Lane and love to share and celebrate many world festivals. Your children are now all ready and prepared for their 15 days of good deeds challenge starting next week in recognition of the festival Ramadan. I do hope you are all enjoying the current school music especially picked for the occasion by some of the members of our Muslim school community. Have a lovely weekend.

Early Years

We have been very busy this week in our Reception classes. We found out on Tuesday morning that a giant had been exploring our outdoor area over night! The children then decided to use chalk to draw the size of the giant's feet. We then made comparisons using mathematical vocabulary. We are hoping the giant visits our classroom again over the weekend!



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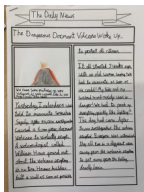
Recently in Kestrels and Jays, we have been learning about plants. We have learnt the names of many flowers and trees. We have labelled the parts of a plant and trees, and have learnt about what the different parts do.



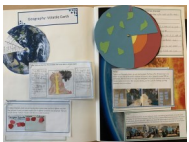
KS2

In **Swifts** class, we have just finished our Geography topic on 'Volatile Earth'.

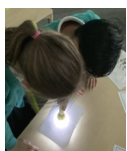
Within this topic, we have investigated the different types of Earth movements, their causes and effects. This led us to then investigate earthquakes, volcanoes and even tsunamis! We even had a live case study to watch and follow along with, as Mount Fagradalsfjall, in Iceland, started to erupt!



As a result, we decided to write a news report around the recent events, as we watched them unfold over the next few days.



Moorhens class have received a lovely letter and bookmark from the author Julia Edwards. She is the author of *The Leopard in the Golden Cage*, which Moorhens are currently reading as their class story. In Science Moorhens have been looking at light and this week we investigated the best reflective material to put on a book bag to keep children safe.



Weekly Assembly Theme

Next week our assembly theme in school will be Ramadan and the good deed challenge

Celebrating Success in School

Our Learners of the Week are celebrated in our online assembly and will receive a certificate from their class teacher.

Luck Lane Learners of the week Award	
Doves	Archie
Ducks	Leila
Jays	Ismail
Kestrels	Sahara
Lapwings	Lucas
Magpies	Aminah
Moorhens	Haseeb
Ravens	Ayla
Robins	Libby
Swans	Husam
Swifts	Hafeez
Wrens	Kyron

Class Attendance Figures

Each class target is 97% attendance!

Well done to **Ravens** Class for **100%!**



Doves	99.09%
Ducks	97.50%
Jays	99.58%
Kestrels	95.56%
Lapwings	97.20%
Magpies	95%
Moorhens	97.62%
Ravens	100%
Robins	97.6%
Swans	90.43%
Swifts	95.50%
Wrens	93.87%

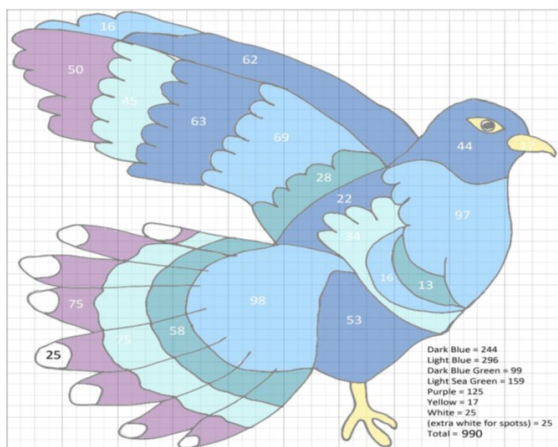
KIRKLEES CUCKOO CHALLENGE!

On Saturday 22nd May 2021 people from all over the world will create images of endangered animals and plants using clothing donated by local communities. The giant images will be photographed from the sky bringing together a myriad of pictures, from Taiwan to Brazil and from USA to New Zealand. All the countries involved will be choosing an animal or plant at risk of extinction in their local area. Here in Kirklees, an image of the endangered cuckoo will be created in a field at Stirley Community Farm by young artists from The Children's Art School, Holmfirth. The 20m x 20m image will be part of the global **'withNature2020'** project by British artist Emma K Thomas, who came up with this idea in response to the extinction crisis.

Our challenge is to collect : **100 pieces of dark blue clothing/textiles** and **100 pieces of light green clothing/textiles**.

These can include tea towels, pieces of fabric, bed sheets, towels and any other textiles. They should be as plain as possible but small patterns and effects will also be acceptable.

All donations need to be handed into school by **Wednesday 12th May** for the attention of **Mrs Grundy**. All your help will be greatly received for this very exciting project.



How the end product will look from above!



Luck Lane Out of School Club

Luck Lane Before and After School Club is based in Luck Lane Primary School. We are OFSTED graded 'GOOD' and have lots of fun activities and resources for the children to enjoy during each session they attend. We provide a range of healthy breakfasts and healthy after-school snacks.

Breakfast Club opens at 7.30am-8.45am

Afterschool Club starts at 3.15pm-6.00pm

If you would like to enquire, please contact us for further details.

For enquiries, to look around or to book please telephone 07951 497659 or email

lucklaneoutofschoolclub@gmail.com

Covid Reporting

We have had no positive covid cases in school recently, however should your child test positive for covid, please report that to Miss Jenkinson on Class Dojo or email kelly.starkey@sharemat.co.uk to establish whether we need to inform any of our bubbles that they will need to isolate.

Polite Reminders

Chickenpox One of our pupils is at serious risk if they are exposed to **chicken pox, shingles or measles**. Please let us know immediately if you suspect that your child has chicken pox or measles. **It is also very important that you let us know if anyone in your household has shingles.**

Nut Free school A reminder that we aim to be a nut free school due to pupils with serious allergies. Please do not bring nuts of any kind onto the school premises, including playgrounds.

Parking Please ensure you park considerately whilst in our car park and do not block zebra crossings, footpaths, school gates or park on double yellow lines or on the grass. Use our drop off zone for older children and wherever possible please walk to school. This is for the safety of all our pupils, parents and staff. The car park at front of school (Victory Avenue) is not available for use by parents.

Parents in school Please be reminded that parents cannot enter school unless they have a prearranged appointment. If you need to speak to a member of staff please call school in the first instance on **01484 505229** to arrange an appointment. Any forms or letters should be handed to your child's class teacher or left in the red box in the school entrance. This is for the safety of all our pupils, parents and staff.

Dates for your diary

- W/C 26th April—Telephone Parents' Evenings
- Friday 30th April - Class group photos by Tempest
- Monday 3rd May - Bank Holiday - School Closed
- Friday 14th May - Training day - School closed to pupils

2020/21 and 2021/22 TERM DATES ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE.

The lunch menu next week will be Week 1