



St John's Green Primary School

First Footsteps

Foundation & Year 1 Weekly Newsletter

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Key Diary Dates

Monday 5th March—Monday 12th March
Coram Life Bus at school

Wednesday 7th March
9.00a.m —10.15 a.m. Open Morning

Thursday 29th March
Last day of the Spring Term

Tuesday 17th April
First day of the Summer Term

Weekly Awards

Jumbo: Katie Falls
Chariot: Zachary Thompson
Star: Ody Perperoglou
Eagles: Borys Sztobryn
Circus: Emily Harper
Roses: Alex Blanco Mizgulyn



Learning in Year 1

Last week the Year 1 children wrapped up warmly and took advantage of the snowy conditions on the field. They had a fantastic time building snowmen and throwing snowballs. Once back in the classroom the children had hot chocolate to warm up.

The snow theme carried on into their learning with the children making snowman pictures using different 2D shapes.



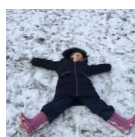
Lower Phase Reading

Class	% Reading
Star	97%
Jumbo	86%
Chariot	83%
Roses	72%
Eagles	88%
Circus	80%

Learning in the Foundation Classes

There seems to be a trend with Foundation children creating snow angels. Every time the children wrapped up warmly in their smurf suits and went into the learning garden lots of angles would appear. Some of the children also worked collaboratively and made a brilliant snow train while others with the help of some teaching staff decided it be great fun to throw snowballs at the Heads' office window.

In the classroom the children have been developing their turn taking skills by playing board games which has also supported their Maths counting skills.



We ♥
Maths

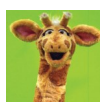
We are all
writers ...



We are growing
our learning



Life Bus



This week the foundation and Year 1 children will be visiting the Life Bus which you will have seen parked at the Abbey site. They will be taking part in sessions lead by Nancy with the help of Harold the giraffe to promote their understanding of the importance of having a healthy body and mind. This is the fourth year we have used the Life Bus and it has proved to be a very successful resource to support and enrich the children's learning.



World Book Day

It was wonderful to see the amazing effort all the children and adults put into their costumes for World Book Day. Well done to Lenny Doyle and Jimmy Brooker who were awarded the best costumes in their year groups.

All the children had a great day visiting the other classes in their year groups and taking part in different activities linked to their core books.

