



Abbey Lane Primary School

Key Stage 1 Spring Newsletter

This term has flown by! The children have all been incredibly busy, working hard developing skills and reflecting our Core Values through each day. There have been lots of exciting things happening across the curriculum. Below is a snapshot of what has been happening in Key Stage 1.

Year 1

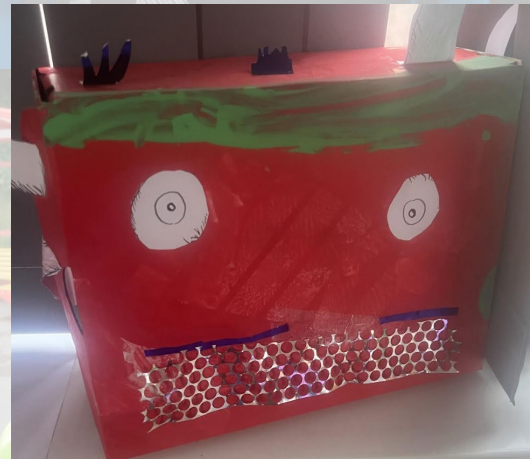
World Book Day

We loved celebrating World Book Day! We dressed up, shared lots of our favourite stories and got to read with our Buddy Reading Classes from Year 3 and 4.



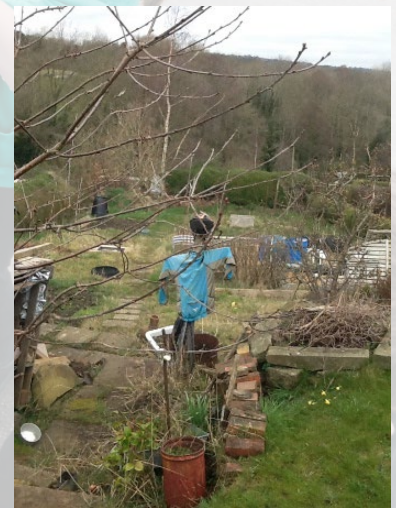
The Egg Box Dragon

In English, we have been reading *The Egg Box Dragon* by Richard Adams. We made our own and then wrote our own instructions.



Visit to the Allotments

On Monday 17th March Year One went on a really exciting visit to the allotment where Mrs Hinksman explained about all the wonderful vegetables she grows there. As you can see by the pictures, it was an incredibly exciting trip and will be used as part of our English writing work on recounts.



Y2 Trip to Ecclesall Woods

We had a fantastic time at Ecclesall Woods! The children were all brilliant, walking all the way there and then all the way after a very busy day.

We worked in teams to build dens.



We toasted marshmallows on a campfire.



We learnt about the woodland, played games and created our own art work using natural objects.



Year 2

Design and Technology

We are in the middle of making our own fire engines, using our own designs. We have used our measuring skills and a saw to make axles. Look out for our completed models coming home soon!



The Great Fire of London

To launch our History topic on the Great Fire of London, we had a Take Over Day to find out more about how what happened before, during and after the fire.

The day required lots of listening and teamwork to take part in lots of fun, hands-on activities.

