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HEAD TEACHER'S

Dear parents

HIGHLIGHTS

It was lovely to see you all at parent's consultation. I am sure you are all very proud of your child's achievements and had opportunity to speak to

their class teacher about their development and next steps for their learning. It is always good to look back and see how far they have come and the progress they have made. Let alone hearing the children discuss the information about world around them and making comparisons between now and in the past. They are looking forward to their visit to Blists Hill where they will be able to experience what life was like in Victorian times. We shall share our photographs etc next week.

Reverend Zoe and her team came into school this week to sing with the children and help prepare for our Easter service at church. This will be in our final week of term. The children will be reminded of the story of Easter and share prayers at this special time of year as part of our RE curriculum.

We also have our Easter FOS event on the Thursday 30th March, the selling of raffle tickets is going well. Please don't feel under any pressure to sell all your tickets. If you are unable to sell them, please pop them into school and we will redistribute them to someone else as there are some families asking for extra tickets.

You should have been given your Big Sing tickets this week (two per family) if you haven't had them then please let Mrs Powell know.

Wishing all our Mums a very happy Mother's Day on Sunday. We do hope you enjoy your gift.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Jenny Griffiths



STARTING THIS MONDAY

THE BIG WALK AND WHEEL TO SCHOOL.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS —SUMMER TERM

When we return to school after Easter it will be the start of the Summer Term and new booking forms and payment will be needed for the 3pm to 4pm After School Clubs. Registration forms are attached to this email, please complete one for any club you would like your child to attend next term and return it, with payment, to one of the class letterboxes. Just let us know if you need a paper copy of the form and we will send one home for you. Please can we ask that all children attending an After School club (3pm to 4pm) have a completed booking form and payment sent in to school by Friday 21st April at the latest, if we have not received a booking form and payment it will not be possible for your child to attend the club. Thank you.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE DIARY

20th March—31st March—Big Walk and Wheel.

Wednesday 22nd March pm – Year 2 attending Newport Big Sing. Children attending need to be collected at 4.30pm from the Burton Borough School.

29th March—Year 2 Forest School

30th March - Spring Fayre inc. Easter bonnet competition





WELCOME TO CLASS 1 PAGE

Well, what a busy week we have had! Parent's Evening, swimming and finally our Blists Hill trip this Friday. We shall share some photos next week with you.

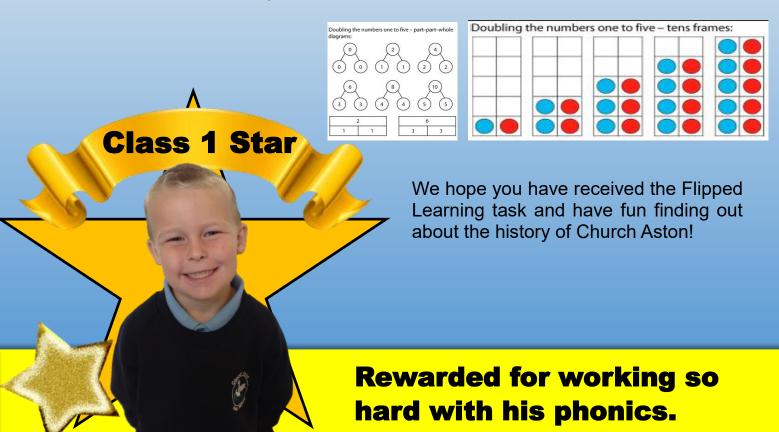
Our focus text this week has been a story called 'The Ironbridge Ogre', another story by a local author which was written for the 'Telford 50' celebrations in 2018. It is about a grumpy ogre who has never left Ironbridge and a little girl who shows him the delights of the local area. Lots of the children said they had been to Ironbridge and the places the ogre visits, which really brought the story to life. We then wrote our own sentences about where we would like to take the Ironbridge ogre.

In phonics we have revised the sounds oo (look at a book), ar (start the car), or (shut the door), and air (that's not fair).

In Maths, Reception have been looking at the composition of 7. We have thought about the different ways we can make 7, and focused on it as '5 and 2 more'.



Year 1 have been working on doubles in Maths, and then moved on to using our doubling facts to work out near doubles, such as 6+7 or 5+6.

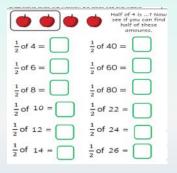


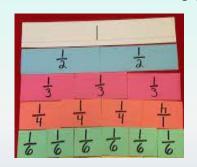
WELCOME TO CLASS 2 PAGE

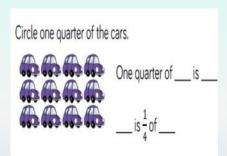
Class 2 have worked really hard AGAIN this week! This week the children have been learning all about Church Aston and how it has changed over time in history. The children looked at similarities and differences within Church Aston village and the school.



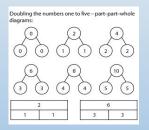
In maths year 2 children have been looking at fractions, we have looked at ½ and ¼ and the children have been making fraction tiles to help them to remember the parts to make a whole. The children have even started to look at reasoning problems. Well done year 2!

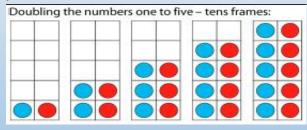






Year 1 children have been working really hard to recognise near doubles and children have been trying to memorise their doubles off by heart. They have been using part whole models and bar models to help them remember what each double makes.





In English we have started our new text 'On the way home' by Jill Murphy. The children loved seeing and hearing all the different reasons Claire had for hurting her knee.



THE BIG SING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR YEAR 2 PARENTS

Doors will open at 3:15pm for the performance.

Parking will be limited on site

The Burton Borough School canteen will be open and serving drinks before the performance.



Rewarded for being an excellent role model and working hard in all her lessons.



