

GLEBE

GLEBE PARENT NEWSLETTER

I hope you have all had a good week.

Parent Consultation Evenings

Thank you to everyone who came to the meetings over the two evenings. I hope you all had an opportunity to discuss how your child has settled into their new year group and how they are progressing in their learning.

I hope those of you who wished to also took the chance to review our PSHE/RSE resources over the two evenings so you can see the materials we will be using in the new RSE curriculum.

FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2026

Attendance
No. of sessions missed this week
(SESSION = 0.5 DAY)

1B	7
1P	8
4V	8
4K	10
5F	10
2B	11
4G	11
5K	11
2ME	13
3TA	13
6M	13
3JD	14
3F	16
2S	19
1M	20
5I	20
6D	21
RB	23
6L	24
RLW	29

Whole School
301
sessions missed out of a possible 5589



GOVERNOR NEWS

Parent Governor Vacancy

Can you help shape the future of our school?

We need parents of pupils registered at Glebe to make a difference in our school's community by volunteering to become a Parent Governor.

Your voice as a parent is very important to our school and it is vital that the Governing Body has good representation by our parents among its membership.

We are seeking parents who have a real willingness to help, who can listen carefully, read important documents, ask questions, attend training and be able to actively contribute at meetings.

If you can spare approximately ten hours a month then please consider nominating yourself for this interesting voluntary role.

Please contact Mrs Georgiou via email: **dgeorgiou@glebeprimary.org** to register your interest and she will send you more information about the role and expectations of a Governor.

We ask that you register your interest by **Monday 2nd November at 12 noon.**



MR MITCHELL'S SPORTS NEWS

Boys Football

Glebe Shine at the Hillingdon Borough Tournament!

Glebe had a fantastic day at the Hillingdon Borough Tournament this Wednesday, entering two boys' teams and a girls' team. Despite the heavy rain throughout the day, spirits remained high, with plenty of goals, great teamwork and some brilliant performances across all three teams!

Glebe Red enjoyed an unbeaten group stage, winning two and drawing four of their six matches to finish second in their group and qualify for the third-place play-off. They carried their excellent form into the play-off, with Nathan scoring the decisive goal in a 1–0 victory over Breakspear to secure the bronze medal! Even better, finishing third means Glebe Red have now qualified for the regional tournament, a fantastic achievement for the team. Nathan and Jake were the goalscorers throughout the tournament, helping the team finish on a high.

Glebe Red squad: Matija, Roman, Huxley, Jake, Max, Beau, Hector and Nathan.

Glebe White narrowly missed out on qualification by just one point, but still put in some excellent performances, winning two, drawing two and losing two of their six group games. Ethan and Michael both found the net in two important 1–0 victories, showing just how competitive the team was throughout the day.

Glebe White squad: Freddy, Kabir, Chester, Harry, Luke, Ethan, Rayan, Michael and Liam.





MR MITCHELL'S SPORTS NEWS

Girls Football

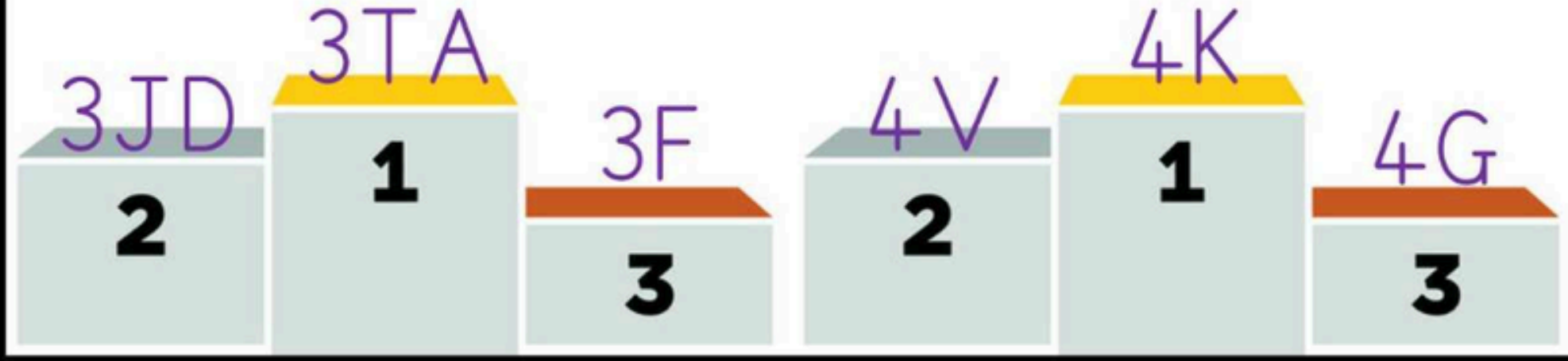
Our Glebe girls were equally impressive, finishing third in their group after winning three games, drawing two and losing just one. They narrowly missed out on qualification but showed fantastic determination and teamwork throughout the tournament. Emily D, Lunar and Iyla led the scoring for the girls, making valuable contributions along the way.

Girls' squad: Ellie, Emily P, Surina, Isabelle, Emily D, Iyla, Betsy, Emily H and Lunar.

A huge well done to all three teams for representing Glebe so brilliantly. The heavy rain certainly didn't stop us, and the players showed fantastic resilience, determination and team spirit from start to finish. With a bronze medal, regional qualification, plenty of goals and performances to be proud of, it was a great day for Glebe!

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

Well done to this half term's Battle of the Band winners.



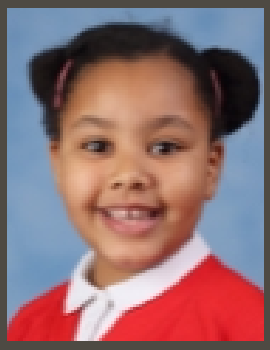




Ambassadors

Weekly Winners

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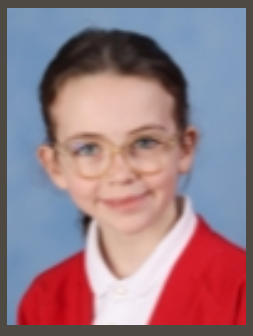


Arriella in 2S is a confident, polite pupil who is always kind and helpful to both adults and her peers. She speaks respectfully to others and is the first to volunteer and lend a helping hand in the classroom. She is a fantastic role model who demonstrates respect and kindness every day!

LKS2

Lani in 3JD for always being polite and respectful to all teachers and helping to keep the classroom tidy.

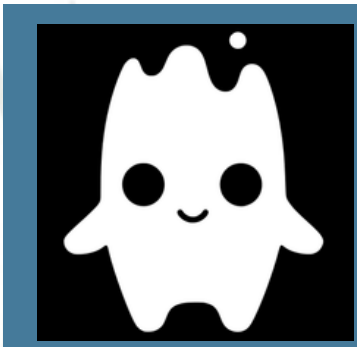
UKS2



Jasmine S in 6L for always showing impeccable manners and being kind to everyone.

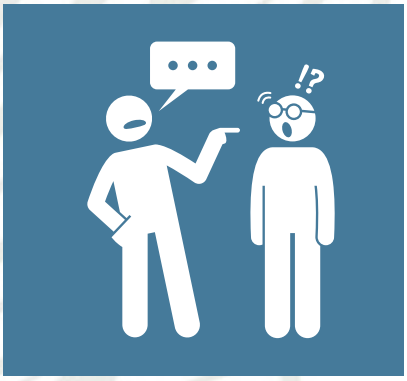
REMEMBER

Key Information & Reminders



Design a Fortnite Sprite Competition

We would like to reassure parents that Jensen in Year 4's Design a Fortnite Sprite Competition is simply a creative design activity and is not linked to playing the Fortnite game. Children do not need to sign up to Fortnite, create an account, or access the game in any way to take part. Participation is entirely voluntary, and any child who would like to enter simply needs to complete their sprite design on the template provided on page 11 and return it to school by 6th November for internal judging.



Rudeness to our Neighbours

I have received several reports in recent weeks regarding instances of Glebe parents being rude and, in some cases, verbally abusive towards local residents. As I have stated previously in this newsletter, if you choose to park or drive inconsiderately, you should expect your actions to be challenged by those affected.

As a school, we work hard to teach our children the importance of responsibility and accountability. Children learn from the adults around them, and I ask all members of our school community to model the respect, courtesy and behaviour we expect from our pupils.

REMEMBER

Key Dates

Autumn Term - 2026

Monday 2nd November - INSET DAY

Monday 9th November - Year 3 trip to Chiltern museum

Tuesday 10th November - Year 3 trip to Chiltern museum

Hearing & Vision checks - Reception

Thursday 12th November - 5I Class Assembly* - 9.15am

*** parking on the playground from 9.05am but not before for safety purposes.**

Thursday 19th November - Open morning for prospective parents (Sept. 27 intake) 9.30 - 11am (by appointment only)

Wednesday 25th November - Open morning for prospective parents (Sept. 27 intake) 9.30 - 11am (by appointment only)

REMEMBER

Key Dates

Autumn Term – 2026 – Lead into Christmas

Thursday 3rd December

Nursery Christmas show - 10am: no parking on site

Year 2 Nativity - 2.30pm: no parking on site

Friday 4th December

Year 2 Nativity - 9.15am: no parking on site

Nursery Christmas show - 2.30pm: no parking on site

Monday 7th December

Nursery Christmas show - 10am: no parking on site

Year 2 Nativity - 2.30pm: no parking on site

Tuesday 8th December

Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 9th December

Christmas fayre (staff & children only)

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 18th December

END OF TERM - SCHOOL FINISHES 1 HOUR EARLY

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BONFIRE NIGHT

5TH NOVEMBER 2026

MAINS

BONFIRE BANGER

VEGGIE BONFIRE BANGER (VG)

HOT BAKED POTATO BAR WITH CHOICE OF FILLING:

BANGING BBQ CHICKEN

WINTER WARMER QUORN KORMA (V)

BAKED POTATO WITH BEANS, CHEESE OR TUNA (GF)

SIDES

SPARKLER SWEETCORN

FIREWORK SLAW

GUY FAWKES SALAD BAR

KINDLING KETCHUP

DESSERTS

ROCKET LOLLY (VG) (GF)

CHOCOLATE CATHERINE WHEELS (V)

FRESH FRUIT (VG) (GF)

GLEBE FORTNITE CHALLENGE

DESIGN YOUR OWN SPOOKY SPRITE

EXAMPLE:



PRIZES

1ST PLACE
£10 AMAZON GIFT CARD

2ND PLACE
£5 AMAZON GIFT CARD

3RD PLACE
MYSTERY FIDGET TOY

WHEN? 6TH NOVEMBER

WHERE? GLEBE SCHOOL

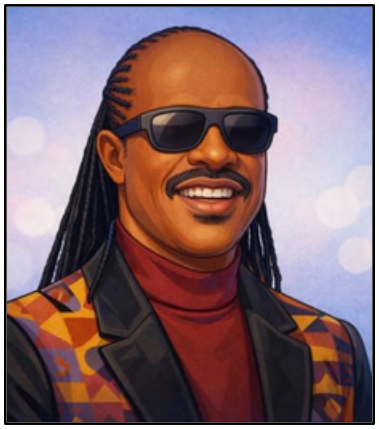
CONTACT: FOR MORE INFO SEE YOUR TEACHER

FORTNITE

HOME INFORMATION

October's Musician of the Month

STEVIE WONDER



Watch and discuss the 'Superstition' music video.

Now Playing

SPOTIFY

1:24 3:11

About: Stevie Wonder is an American singer-songwriter. He is credited as a pioneer and influence by musicians across a range of genres that include rhythm and blues, pop, soul, gospel, funk, and jazz. A virtual one-man band, Wonder's use of synthesizers and other electronic musical instruments during the 1970s reshaped the conventions of R&B.
Genres: Blues, Pop, Soul, Gospel, Funk and Jazz

Active from: 1961 - Present

Origin: Michigan, U.S.A.

Books to read...



If you like Stevie Wonder, try...

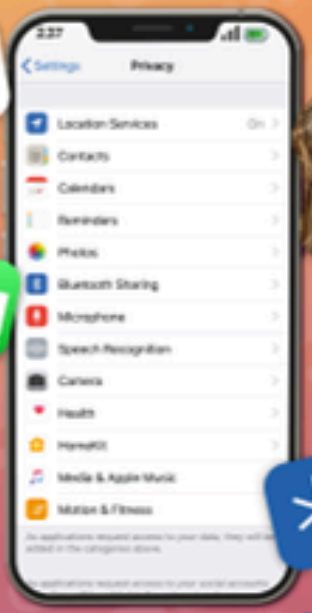
- Ray Charles
- Gladys Knight & The Pips
- Marvin Gaye

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one issue of many which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

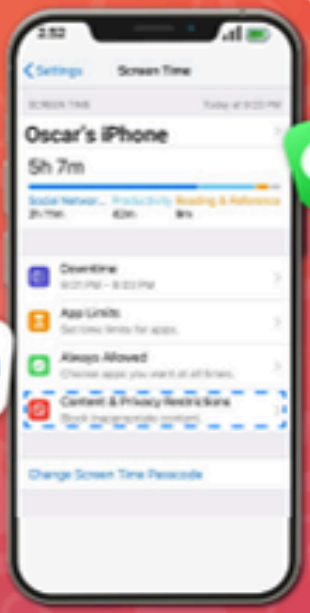
How to Set up PARENTAL CONTROLS for APPS

iPhone

Apple devices come with built-in apps already available: Mail, FaceTime and Safari, for example. However, you can choose which apps and features appear on your child's device and which ones don't. You can also manipulate the features in Game Centre to enhance your child's safety and privacy when playing games, as well as blocking iTunes or App Store purchases if you wish.







How to Restrict Built-in Apps/Features

1. Open Settings
2. Tap Screen Time
3. Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
4. Tap Allowed Apps (you may need to toggle this to 'on' at the top)
5. Enable or disable the apps you wish to appear (or disappear) on your child's device

How to Restrict Game Centre

1. Open Settings
2. Tap Screen Time
3. Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
4. Tap Content Restrictions (you may need to switch the toggle at the top to the 'on' position)
5. Scroll down to Game Centre
6. Choose between Allow, Don't Allow, or Allow with Friends Only in the settings for each feature

How to Restrict iTunes & App Store Purchases

1. Open Settings
2. Tap Screen Time
3. Tap Content & Privacy Restrictions
4. Tap iTunes & App Store Purchases
5. Select Allow or Don't Allow for each feature (you can also lock these settings with a password)

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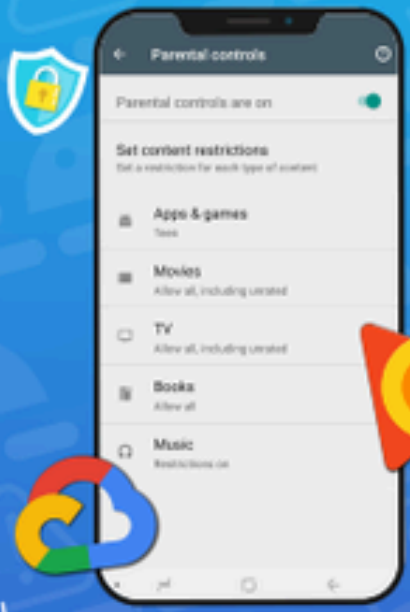
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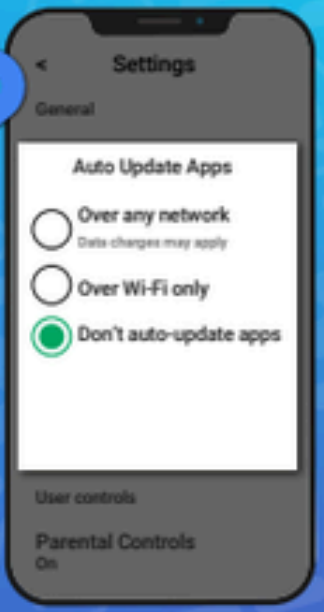
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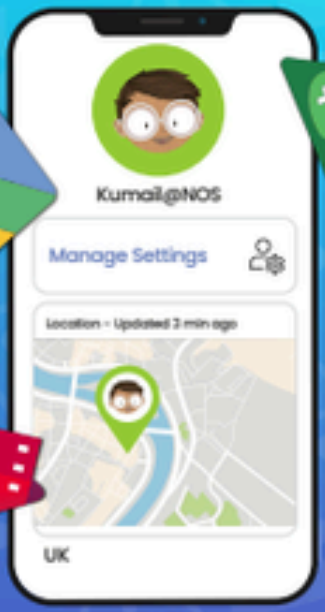
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Android Phone

On Android phones, restricting access to particular apps usually requires going onto Google Play. From there, it's fairly easy to navigate your way through the settings to manage the parental controls and authentications relating to any apps on the device. These features can prevent your child from downloading or buying anything unsuitable for their age. Updated versions of apps or games that your child has already installed may occasionally contain something inappropriate, so we've explained how to stop those, too.







How to Block App Downloads (This Also Disables In-app Purchases):

1. Open Google Play Store
2. Tap the profile icon in the top right
3. Tap Settings
4. Scroll down to the Family section and tap Parental controls
5. Toggle 'Parental controls are off' to 'Parental controls are on'
6. Create a PIN and tap OK
7. Confirm your PIN and tap OK again
8. Tap Apps & Games
9. Set the age limit you wish to set
10. Tap Save to apply your changes

How to Stop Auto-updates

1. Open Google Play Store
2. Tap the profile icon in the top right
3. Tap Settings
4. Tap Auto-Update Apps
5. Select 'Don't auto-update apps' and then tap Done

Restricting Apps Through Google Family Link

1. Open Google Play Family Link for parents
2. Tap the three horizontal lines in the top left
3. Select your child's account
4. Tap Manage
5. Tap Controls on Google Play
6. Tap Apps & Games
7. Select the age limit you wish to set



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METROPOLITAN POLICE Working together for a safer London

TERRITORIAL POLICING

Important information regarding Electric Scooters and Electric Bikes

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Metropolitan Police Service is increasingly dealing with incidents involving e-scooters and e-bikes being used in an anti-social and dangerous manner.

Many parents purchase these vehicles for their children without realising there are legal restrictions regarding where and how they can be used.
Please be aware:

- Privately owned e-scooters and some e-bikes cannot be used on public roads, pavements or public spaces.
- Modified or illegally adapted e-bikes may be treated as motor vehicles in law.
- Riders can be reported for offences including careless driving, dangerous driving, driving without insurance and riding in an anti-social manner.
- Police have powers to stop and seize vehicles being used unlawfully or anti-socially.
- A seized vehicle may not be returned and owners can face recovery fees, fines and court proceedings.

We have received reports of e-scooters and e-bikes being ridden dangerously near pedestrians, schools, parks and shopping areas. These behaviours place both riders and members of the public at risk of serious injury.

In addition, we are increasingly seeing individuals in possession of e-bikes and e-scooters becoming targets for theft and robberies.

Parents and guardians are encouraged to:

- Check whether any e-bike purchased complies with UK legislation.
- Supervise children using such vehicles and discuss personal safety.
- Discuss road safety and responsible behaviour.
- Ensure children understand that police can seize vehicles being used illegally.

Our aim is to educate young people and keep our communities safe. However, where offences occur, enforcement action will be taken.

Thank you for your support.
Yours faithfully,
Metropolitan Police Service

ADVICE FOR PUPILS, PARENTS AND CARERS

PHONE SAFE. PEOPLE FIRST.

Practical steps to reduce theft and get help when you need it.



01 On the way to school

• Keep your phone out of sight in a zipped pocket or bag. Put it away as soon as you finish using it.

• If you need to check a message or route, stop somewhere safe, away from the kerb. Look around before taking your phone out.

• Keep aware of people approaching, including on bikes or mopeds. Avoid distractions that stop you noticing your surroundings.

• Do not leave your phone on a table or hand it to someone you do not know. Follow your school's phone rules.

02 Set it up together

• Use a strong passcode, Face ID or fingerprint unlock, and a short automatic screen lock. Keep passcodes private.

• Turn on Find My and Stolen Device Protection on supported iPhones. On supported Android phones, enable theft protection and device finding.

• Hide lock-screen message previews, install updates and back up important information.

• Keep the IMEI and serial number somewhere separate. Dial ***#06#** to see the IMEI. Save a trusted adult's number somewhere other than the phone.

03 If someone threatens you

• **Your safety comes first.** Do not fight for a phone, chase someone or try to get it back yourself.

• Move to a safe, staffed place, such as a school office or shop, and ask for help. Tell a parent, carer or trusted member of school staff.

• If a tracker shows the phone's location, share it with police. Do not go there yourself.

04 Act quickly after a theft

• Use another device to mark the iPhone as lost at **icloud.com/find**, or use the manufacturer's Android locking service.

• Contact the network provider to block the SIM and handset. Tell your bank if payment apps or accounts may be at risk; secure your email and other accounts.

• **Do not remove a stolen iPhone from Find My.** Ignore messages claiming it has been found that ask for passwords, codes or removal from your account.

Parents and schools: agree a safe journey and a backup way to make contact. Reassure children: "Tell us straight away. We will help you." Reporting to school does not replace a police report.

REPORT IT. GET SUPPORT.

999 - if you are in danger, someone is injured, or the crime is happening or has only just happened. Use another phone or ask someone to call.

101 or met.police.uk - for a non-emergency report. Select "Report" then "Report a crime". Report threats and attempted thefts too, even if nothing was taken.

Help police: give the time, location, what happened, descriptions and direction of travel. Provide the IMEI and any tracking information. Keep messages and the crime reference number. Do not put yourself at risk to collect evidence.

Being targeted is never your fault. A phone can be replaced; you cannot.

Sources: Metropolitan Police - Protect your phone / Be Switched On; Apple Support - stolen iPhone (120837).

Further advice: met.police.uk/phonesnatch | support.apple.com/en-gb/120837 | Prepared 16 October 2026

THE LITTLE RECYCLERS

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING

friends of Glebe

More clothes - more funds for your organisation

1 kg = £0.45

YOUR COLLECTION IS ARRANGED ON:

Friday 6th November
9AM*

FILL ANY BAG WITH CLOTHING AND BRING THEM TO SCHOOL
WE WILL COLLECT AND WEIGH THEM

✓ WE ACCEPT

- Good quality clean clothing (adult's, children's, baby)
- Shoes (paired)
- Bags
- Hats & scarves
- Belts
- Fashion accessories
- Swimwear, lingerie
- Jewellery
- Perfumes

✗ WE DON'T ACCEPT

- Uniforms
- Dirty, wet, ripped, damaged clothing
- Traditional clothing
- Duvets & pillows
- Single shoes
- Toys, stationery
- Bric-a-brac & electrical items
- Books, CDs, DVDs
- Workwear
- Carpets, rugs, mats, curtains
- Hygiene items, diapers
- Linen & towels

PLEASE NO UNIFORMS & DUVETS!

RAISE MONEY FOR YOUR SCHOOL BY GIVING AWAY YOUR UNWANTED CLOTHES

*PLEASE DO NOT BRING BAGS BEFORE OR AFTER THIS DATE

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AGM

WE NEED YOU!

MONDAY
16TH
NOVEMBER

THE SMALL HALL
6.30PM

COME ALONG & MEET THE SMALL COMMITTEE

NO NEED TO COMMIT A LOT OF TIME!

HAVE A SAY ABOUT HOW WE RAISE MONEY

AND HOW IT'S SPENT

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

FRIENDS OF GLEBE ARE PLEASED TO INVITE YOU TO OUR

SPARKLE DISCO

THURSDAY 19TH NOVEMBER

YEARS 1,2 & 3 - 5:00-6:00PM

YEARS 4,5 & 6 - 6:30-7:30PM

£5 INCLUDING A SNACK

TICKETS MUST BE BOUGHT IN ADVANCE FROM

WWW.PTA-EVENTS.CO.UK/GLEBEPRIMARYICKENHAM

CODE: GLEBEPRIMARYICKENHAM

OR

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Free school meals

A quick guide for parents and carers

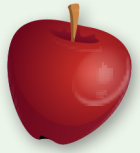


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Free school meals can help with the cost of living. The scheme also ensures children have a healthy meal during the school day.

This helps them focus in class, stay well and supports their learning. This leaflet explains the different types of free school meals, who can get them, and how to apply.



Types of free school meals

Universal Infant Free School Meals (Reception to Year 2)

- Your child getsafree school lunchifthey areinReception,Year 1 or Year 2.
- We would encourage families to apply for Targeted or Expanded free school meals, because your child's school will receive extra funding ifyou qualify forTargetedmeals.

Universal Free School Meals for Key Stage 2 (Year 3 to Year 6)

- Through the Mayorof London's UniversalFreeSchool Meals programme your child currently gets a free school meal if they are in Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 or Year 6.
- We would encourage families to apply for Targeted or Expanded free school meals, because your child's school will receive extra funding if you qualify for Targeted meals.

Targeted free school meals

- Targetedfree school meals are for children whose parents/carers meet the government's eligibility rules.



- Example (not a full list): you may qualify if you are on Universal Credit and your household income is under £7,400 a year (after tax and not including benefits).
- If eligible, your child gets free meals and the school will receive extra funding (pupil premium). Schools can use this money to provide extra learning support, resources and activities to help children do well at school.



Key points

- Youmustapply.
- Once awarded, eligibility will continue unless a review shows your family no longer meets the qualifying criteria. Eligibility will be checked annually.
- If eligible, your child gets free meals, access to the Holiday Activities and Food programme and the school will get extra funding.

Expanded free school meals

Expandedfreeschoolmealsarefor children whose parents/carers receiveUniversal Credit.

Key points

- Youmust apply.
- Once awarded, eligibility will continue unless a review shows your family no longer meets the qualifying criteria. Eligibility will be checked annually.
- Eligibility for Expanded Free School Meals does not attract pupil premium funding.

Auto-enrolment

- For children not previously recorded as receiving free school meals, the council will check annually if families are eligible for Targeted or Expanded free school meals.
- The council will use benefits data to compare against the School Census information.
- If your family is included, we will write to you. You can choose to opt out by following the instructions in the letter.



How to apply

You will needto apply through your child's school and provide the following information so that your eligibility can be checked:



- your National Insurance (NI) number or National Asylum Support Service (NASS) number (this can be found on your benefit entitlement letter)
- your date of birth
- your surname
- your full address
- your child's details.

For further information, please contact your child's school directly.



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What's on... at Ickenham Library

Autumn

We hope that you have had a good summer break and that you have settled into the new school year and are looking forward to the half term break!

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Well done to everyone who took part in this year's Summer Reading Challenge!! Congratulations to Glebe who had the most children joining and completing the challenge! We hope you enjoyed the books you borrowed.

	Number of children joining	Number of children completing
Glebe	153	73
Breakspear	136	63

Saturdays 10.30am to 12pm

Lego Club

Build amazing creations with LEGO® bricks. For ages 5 to 11. No need to book, just drop in but parents do need to supervise...they can even create alongside!



Scan the QR code to keep up to date and book for events

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What's on... at Ickenham Library

Autumn

Come to our magical Harry Potter Day at the Great Barn in Ruislip on Thursday 29th October from 10am until 2pm including activities, stories and a fancy-dress parade!



Tickets are free but you will need to book your place!!

GO ALL IN.

Scan the QR code for more information and to book

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Ruislip Rugby Club



Saturday 7th November

Gates Open at 17.30

Display from 19.30

No Pets Please • No Sparklers • No Parking on Site

Please respect residents and their property in the area

Entry

In Advance
£10.00
+ booking fees

On the night
£12.00

Book Now!

www.ruisliprugby.co.uk

Barbeque & Food available

Bar Open *from* 6.00 p.m.

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West End Road
Ruislip HA4 6DR

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Scouts

Fun, Friendship, Adventure

TIME FOR FUN!



Join our **1st Ickenham Beaver Colony** for fun, friendship and activities that get you thinking as well as doing.

We meet Saturdays Mornings
9:30am to 11:00am
at 1st Ickenham Scout Hut

For Girls and Boys
Aged 6 to 8 years old

FUN GAMES | OUTDOOR ADVENTURES | CREATIVE CRAFTS | TEAMWORK CHALLENGES | EXCITING TRIPS

Ages 6-8







1st Ickenham Scouts HQ: Community Close, Ickenham, Middlesex, UB10 8RE

Visit our website
www.1stickenhamscouts.org.uk

Scan Me!

1st Ickenham Scout Group Registered Charity No. 274112

EACH CHILD RECIEVES A TROPHY!

OCTOBER HALF TERM CAMP

Venue
Swakeleys High School, Clifton Gardens, Uxbridge, Ub10 0ej

Date
Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October

Time 9am-3pm
Age 4-13 Years

Prices
£100 For The Week.
£60 Additional Siblings
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Day Schedule
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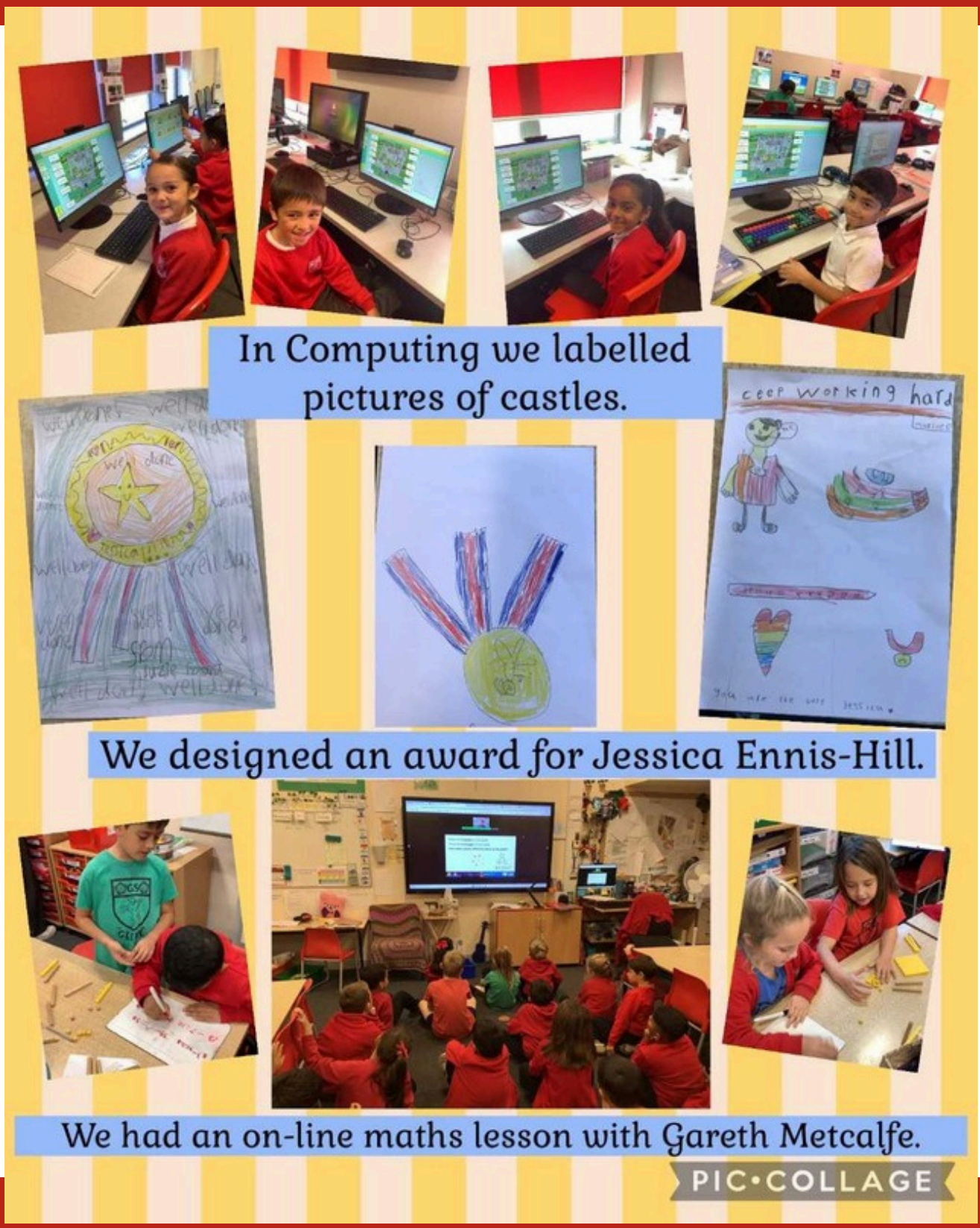
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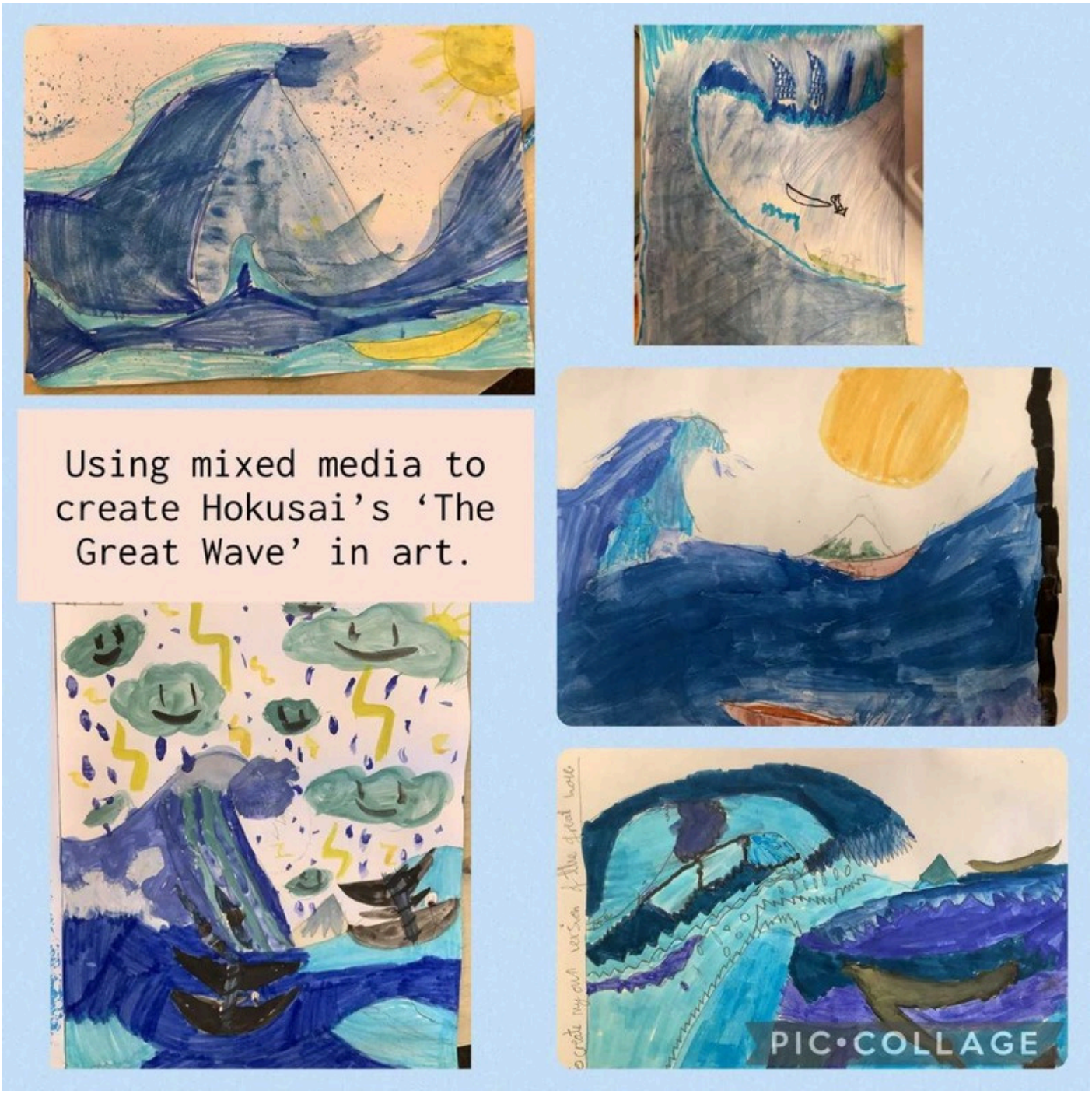
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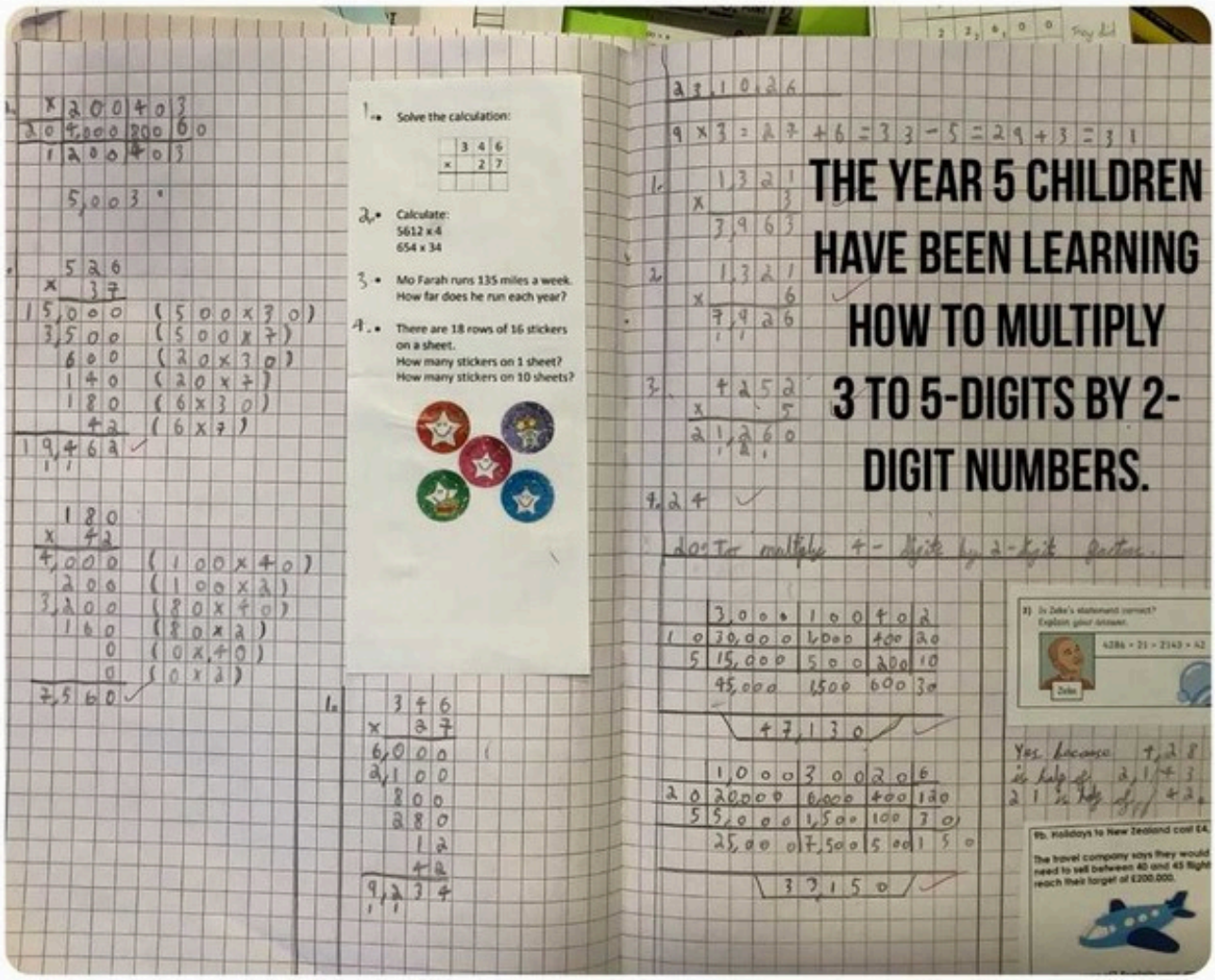
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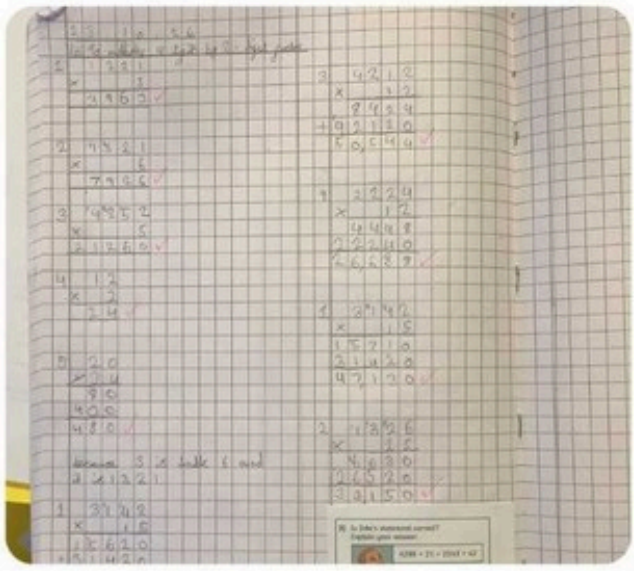
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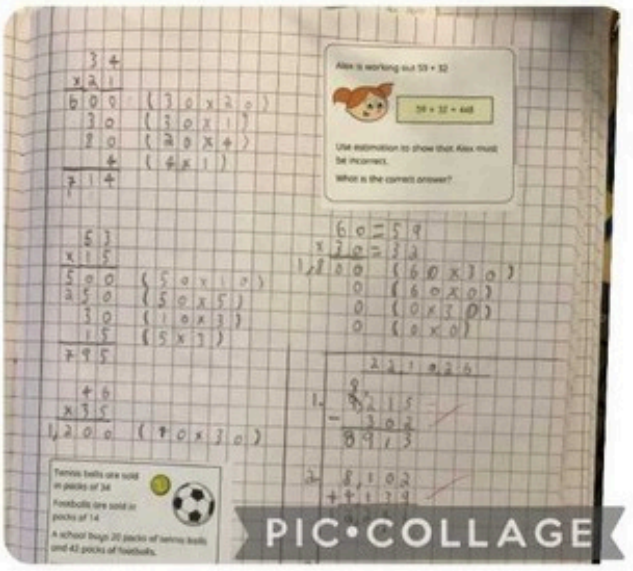


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Wishing you all a lovely half term.

See you all on 3rd November

Mrs Penney

Philosopher's Corner

If you could travel back in time, would you change anything?

