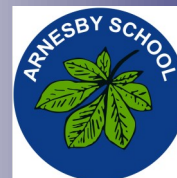


ARNESBY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Written and edited by the children

14th March 2025



At the moment a lot is going on around our small school that always smiles and shines.

Our amazing Headteacher, Mrs James, is always there for us, helping us shine. She teaches us that it's ok to make mistakes as it helps us learn more.

In this newsletter, all the children of Arnesby have dedicated some time to write this amazing newsletter for you. We have learnt how to edit a newsletter and some techniques when creating text to make it more readable.



We have some new equipment and more games to play in the playground

Thank you to Arnesby's wonderful staff

Mrs Cox— Peace Class teacher and good assembly leader.
Mr Kearney- Endurance Class teacher smart and an ancient joke teller!
Mrs Jaswal- Courage Class teacher and good explainer
Tricia- our incredible office manager
Nikki- our helpful ELSA, who is always good at listening
Donna- our great PE teacher who helps us stay healthy
Mrs Pierce- our class assistant who helps us tidy and helps us at playtime
Mrs Sherwood- our class assistant who is always helpful
Thank you to all our Governors and the PTA.

including a figure of eight balance beam, stepping stones, a dart board with Velcro darts!

We hope you will all love reading this and thank you to all those who help this school grow.

Written by Emy, Hollis and Cearna

Matthew
Jesus as the King

Mark
Jesus as a servant

Luke
Jesus as the saviour

John
Jesus as God

UPCOMING EVENTS:

"Move It March" project will run from Saturday 1st March until Monday 31st March.

28th March

Whole school history trip to the Black Country Museum

April 7th—11th

Year 5&6 Residential at Redridge.

Visits in school for prospective parents.

Please book an appointment with the school office.

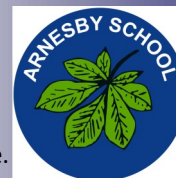
Keep attending everyday it makes such a difference to our learning and social interaction.

Our attendance so far is:

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What's happening in school? Peace Class



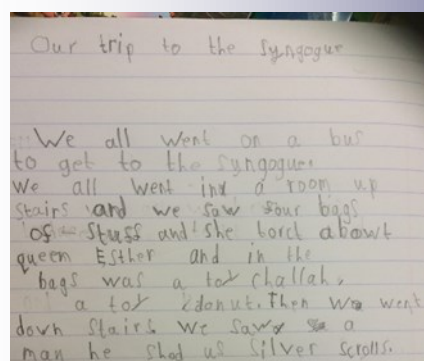
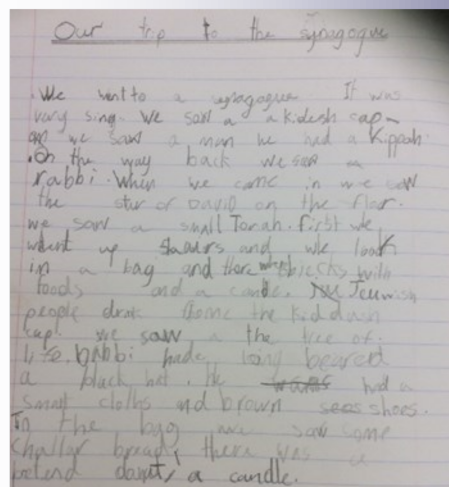
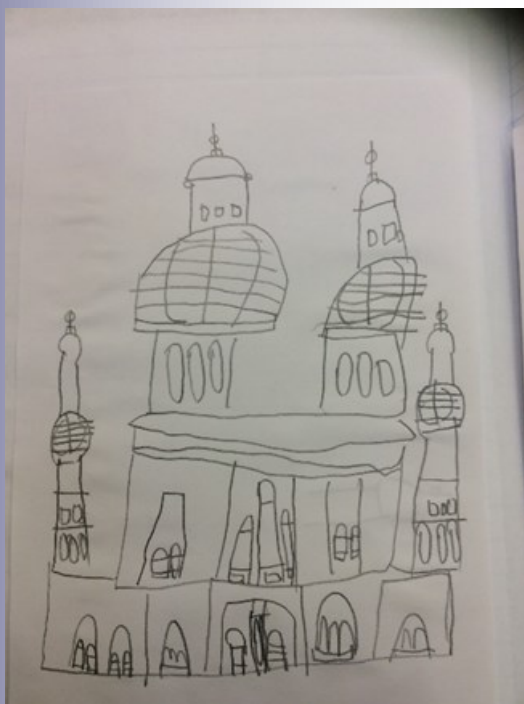
This week the whole school went to visit a synagogue. The children had covered a unit about the Jewish religion in RE, so were excited to go and see what a synagogue is like.

Peace Class start-



ed upstairs in the education room where they explored artefacts from different festivals and celebrations. Then they went downstairs into the synagogue where they found out where the worship took place.

From the photos we took, we looked through them all and had a discussion about what we had learned and remembered. Have a look at our writing and pictures of a synagogue.

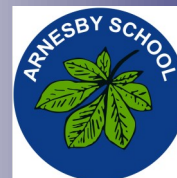


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What's happening in school? Courage Class



Maths in Courage Class by Myla and Lana

January 1 / March 2020

MATHS!

In courage class we have been working really hard in our maths. Yr 3's have been shining so brightly in working on the capacity of liquid and Yr 4's have been concentrating very hard on fractions of an amount. We have been understanding it a lot. Do you know what $\frac{3}{4}$ of 400 is? Because we do!

$\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{3}$

In Yr 4 we have been concentrating really hard to figure out the answers to fractions. Fractions of an amount is what we are learning about and soon enough we were pros at it!

Yr 3's have been enjoying measuring. Scales and have found lots of possibilities. Measuring Scales Capacity and volume they have been learning about litres and millilitres. Which is a bit challenging for some but makes them a little braver.

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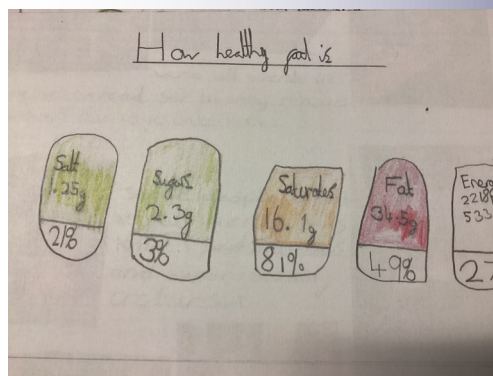
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Erin, Bernie and Leighla

Courage Class have been learning about the Mediterranean sea. People go there for holidays because the sea is hot when it is winter.

DT by Theo and George

In DT we have been learning about food hygiene and how to handle food. We have also learnt that you wash your hands for 20 seconds Here is a picture to prove it.



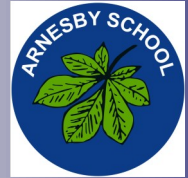
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What's happening in school? World Book Day



World book day written by Morgan and Cohen from Courage class

At school we've been thinking about silent letters . So, for World Book Day every-one came as silent letters characters.

Everyone was going into their houses.

They went to a class and read for twenty minutes and shared their favourite books.



Some people went as plumbers, witches, knights and supernatural creatures.



Nikki is autumn, Mrs Jaswal has a whistle and a knot. Tricia has scissors , Mrs Cox has a broom, Mrs Pierce is a plumber and Mr Kearney is a writer.



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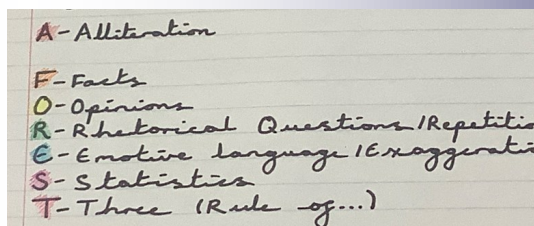
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What's happening in school? Endurance Class



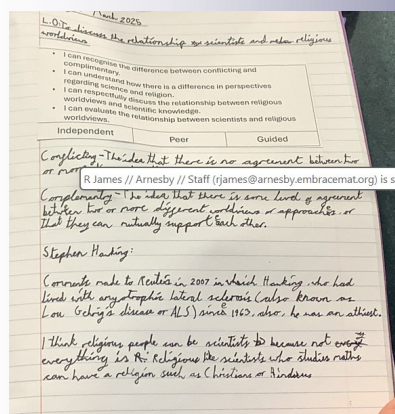
Written by Hugo, Arlo, James and Oscar.

In Endurance Class in English we have been learning persuasive writing. We have learned 'A FOREST'. We also learned the acronym PEE stands for points evidence and explanation.



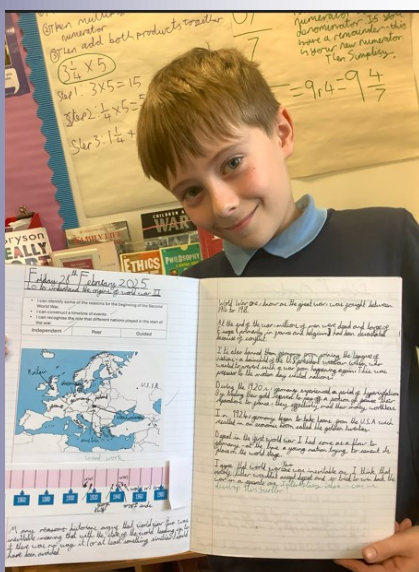
RE and science

In RE we have been learning about conflicting or complementary world views to see if science and religions can go together such as The Big Bang Theory and Genesis 1. In science, we have finished how living things are grouped and classified and are moving onto Electricity and how power works.

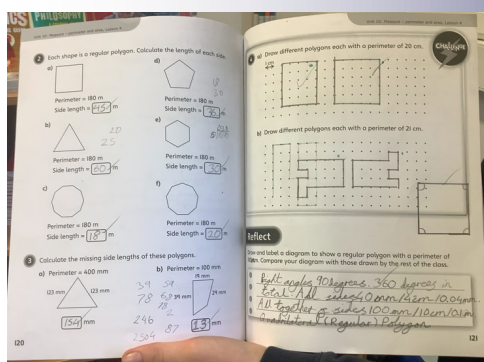


Oscar said "my favourite subject is History". In History we have been learning about world War 2 and about Adolf Hitler and Chamberlain and the appeasement.

We also learned the 3 main reasons that made the war happen.



Ask us what they were!



In Maths we have recently moved onto area and perimeter and our year 6 is moving onto 3D shapes.

Arlo said I really like maths because we always do really tricky stuff and Mr Kearney helps us when we get stuck.

In VIPERS, we have almost finished the Frozen Horizon and we are about to start the new book the adventures of Odysseus which we are all looking forward to hearing Mr Kearney explain it. We remember to explain our answers by back street boys because of their famous song Tell me why?

Also, in about 4 week's time, our class is going on our residential. We are going with another school to Wales! It's called Red Ridge and there are a bunch of activities and a disco at the end of the week!

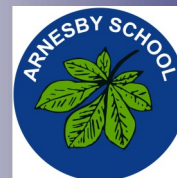
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What's happening in school? Library plans

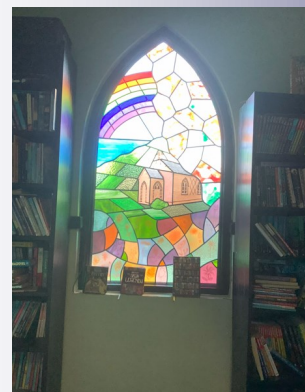


Written by Emily, Sinead and Elsie

This year we have had loads of fantastic reading opportunities including World Book Day, where we had to dress up as silent letters eg, gnome, and Pirate Reading Day, Extreme reading, and reading in our pyjamas.

All classes have their own mini-library that's how important we think reading is to Arnesby school. Teachers encourage the pupils to read more and try to make it fun. New reading opportunity days are coming up and they going to be as fun as ever!

Reading is really important as it helps our minds and expands our knowledge. When we spoke to Mrs James she said *"Reading is a gateway to life"*. Arnesby children think so too and try very hard in our reading.



We are refurbishing our library. At parents evening parents were asked to recommend the library design option they liked; either option 1, 2 or 3. For our new library some books recommended by some Arnesby children are Roald Dahl, Harry Potter, Fairies and unicorns, science books, biographies and Lego books.



The librarians jobs in the library are to keep the library tidy, help people to take books out and return them and help people make choices. They make the library better for everyone and also to make it a nice place to be.

Arnesby school is a place where we thrive in our learning and our reading helps massively.

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Vision and Values—Arnesby Wombles



Hollis said:

Wombling was really good fun and we did really, really well with collecting rubbish. We collected lots of things in a bag

Joey said:

I liked how we could pick it up and I liked doing it with my best friend.

Renae said:

I liked how Hollis said she had found a frog and then it was just a toy frog! And I want to do it again because it was challenging.



Elsie said:

Wombling was really fun and I like how we tried to make the village better for everyone as there's no litter.

Lily said:

I liked that you would pick it up and see and decide if it wanted to go in the bin

Reuben said:

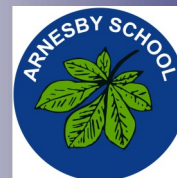
I liked it because I got to be with some of my friends

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Ash Wednesday



Ash Wednesday written by Arlo and Alice in Courage Class



Reverend Stephen showed the order of Easter events in pictures on a stole. He is sharing the story.



At Arnesby Church Ash Wednesday's service, Reverend Stephen told us how you draw a cross on our heads which is made from burnt palm crosses mixed with olive oil.

At the service Arlo and Emy had to tell a story about Ezekiel's nightmare. Ezekiel dreamed that people were using God's name disrespectfully.

Rev. Stephen was putting the cross on Michelle's head to represent Jesus on the cross. Then we went back to Arnesby School.



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