



Alexandra Park Primary School
Care, Aspire, Achieve

Friday 30th September 2022

It's been great to see so many visitors in classrooms this week: Year 6 had a visit from Yorkshire Building Society, Year 4 had a visit from United Utilities, and Year 2 had a visit from a tortoise! We are always looking for opportunities to provide the children with a range of experiences so please let us know if you think you can help with this. As I am sure you will agree, the children are smiling and enjoying every minute of their learning.

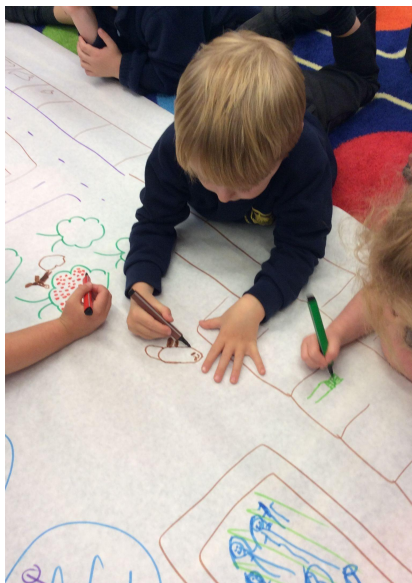
Stay and Read was very popular again this week and it was great that so many of you could join us. We really do value your support with the children's reading, and again, this is another experience that puts a huge smile on the children's faces!

Reception

Reception have had great fun this week celebrating harvest and going on a vegetable hunt! They were very excited to find sweetcorn and courgettes growing in our school garden. We were very impressed with the children's counting skills to 5!



We have also been talking about our route to school, we drew our own map of the school and the local area. We added labels and pictures to help us follow the map. Can you spot our school?



Year 2

Year 2 had a very exciting visitor this week! We were joined by Ted's tortoise Lullah. Everyone absolutely loved meeting her, and asked some really curious questions. We all learned lots about how to look after tortoises and will be able to design the perfect salad for them in our future DT lessons!



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Year 4

Year 4 were visited this week by Janet from United Utilities. They enjoyed learning about the water cycle and even acted it out in the playground! The workshop was full of ideas for how to use less water and to prevent blockages in pipes.



Year 6 - Money Minds

This week, Year 6 welcomed some visitors from Yorkshire Building Society, who delivered a fantastic workshop called 'Money Minds'. The session supported our pupils' financial education and provided an opportunity for them to apply their learning into a scenario: organising an end of year party! The children really enjoyed learning more about the concepts of budgeting, break-even, profits and fixed/variable costs. Well done, Year 6.



Star of the Week

As always, it was an absolute pleasure to share drinks and biscuits with the children chosen this week. They talked enthusiastically about their learning and the things they've been doing in class this week. They also shared the subjects which they enjoy the most. Well done everyone!



Important Dates

- Stay and Read for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children and parents will continue on Thursday mornings 8.40 to 9.10am
- Care in the Community nomination to be sent in via Seesaw on Friday 14th October
- Black History Month - Friday 21st October
- School breaks up for half term on Friday 21st October
- School reopens on Tuesday 1st November
- Parents evenings Wednesday 9th November 3.15pm to 6.00pm
- Parents evening Thursday 10th November 3.15pm to 7.30pm
- Stockport Academy Christmas Market - Saturday 26th November 11am - 2pm