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The Newsletter of Fulwell Infant School Academy

Mrs Angus's message...

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Dear parents,

In school in the last fortnight, reception children have walked to the Library and class 8 went up to the metro station and back down Sea Road to visit Barlow's fruit and veg shop. There the children bought apples, oranges, tomatoes and carrots which they happily ate during the afternoon! Their visits out were Geography linked and focused on the 'local area'. The children were very knowledgeable and able to point to the beach, the Stadium of Light, and the school.

Orla even knew where Busy Bees Nursery was! On their return they discussed what they had seen and drew their first 'maps'.

Year 2 classes will further their work on habitats next week as Angela brings her animals to school. They will then go to West Boldon Lodge linked to their work on the Great Fire of London.

Their enthusiasm for History and facts about the Great Fire of London is incredible, they can't stop talking about it! In Art they created Mr Twit's beards and have been using textiles as well as clay to create their pieces.

ATTENDANCE Parents are politely reminded that term time holidays result in unauthorised absences and will lead to Local Authority fines for absences of 5 days. Unfortunately, we must follow national guidelines on attendance and must monitor attendance weekly. Parents choosing to take term time holidays will receive a letter before they go (depending on the length of time their child is absent).

In awards assembly on a Monday, 'Spike' is awarded to the best attending class for the previous week. The children love to win Spike and to lead the school out of the assembly each Monday.

Thank you to parents who have attended the Year 2 curriculum parent meeting and the Reception school place start meeting and to Miss Dickinson, Mrs Dunbar, Miss Hopkinson and Miss Southern for leading the curriculum meeting.

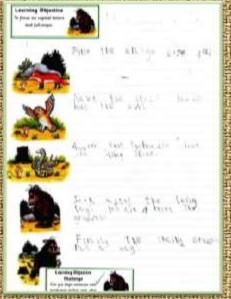
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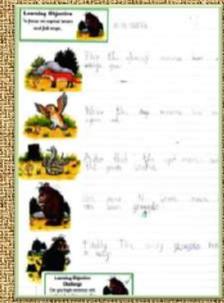




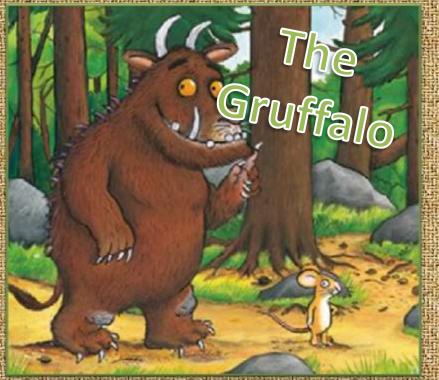
Reception children have been out on their walk this week, exploring the local area. Their discussions revealed a growing understanding of the world and where to find the GP practice, the library, the vets, Tesco's and of course Barlow's in Sea Road where class 8 bought some fruit and vegetables.











Year 1 children are trying so hard with their writing. They are managing independently which is a major achievement. WELL DONE Year 1 - you are all superstars.



