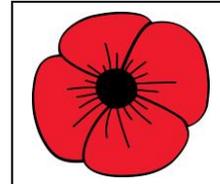




Stillington Primary School
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Well Done!

A huge well done and thank you to all of the children for their hard work, determination and perseverance this week

A special well done to our certificate winners:

Thomas Teal - Special Award for being kind and considerate.

Oscar Rathmell - Special Award for Independent work

Poppy Meadowcroft - Special Award for perseverance.

Grace Langley - Special Award for being kind and considerate.

Congratulations to all our award winners this week. Keep up the good work!

Christmas Decorating Day

We are looking for volunteers to help decorate our school for Christmas this year. Friday 6th Dec, 9 am to 11.00 am. Tea, Coffee and mince pies will all be available and to get into the Christmas mood. Please would you let the teachers know if you could help?

Non Uniform Day

We will be holding a non-uniform day on **29th November**. A contribution of a cake/buns is desired instead of the usual £1. If these could be brought to school on the morning of the 30th, they will then be taken by the **FOSS team** who are holding a cake stall at the Village Christmas Fair from 6pm to 8pm.

All will be welcome.

FOSS Halloween Party

Three Cheers for the FOSS team and all the parents that decorate the hall for what was a fabulous party. Seeing everyone in costume and playing games brought laughter to the room. Fun was had by all. £112.00 was taken less costs. A profit of £42.20 raised.

What have the Infants done this week?

Welcome back, I hope you all had a great holiday! This term in EYFS/KS1 our topic is on our doorstep, so we will be out and about exploring Stillington its history, what it's like now and making our own maps to log what we see on our walks. In English we are learning how to write letters, so look out in the post next week because we will be writing letters home. We are investigating 2d and 3d shapes in maths and we have been naming, talking about their properties, sorting and comparing different shapes. The children are very good at spotting the different shapes in the environment!

We also read a beautiful story called 'Where the poppies now grow', to talk about and understand Remembrance Day, in preparation for the church service on Monday we have made and drawn lots of poppies some for a display and some for us to wear.

What have the Juniors done this week?

This week the Juniors have been developing instructional texts, thinking carefully about using the most appropriate imperative verbs and adverbs. In maths we have been exploring division and how it links with multiplication.

We have also been considering the reliability and use of aerial photographs, using atlases to identify features such as estuaries, mountains and islands. We have also started to develop our own birds-eye drawings which we will soon develop into larger 3d pieces of work.

Next week we will start to explore how electrical circuits work, developing our understanding of what each component does before trying to power our moon buggies!

Have a great weekend,

Mr R