

The Cheddington Link 23rd May 2025



Cheddington Combined School

Enjoying our learning, sharing our success

Blink and this half term has gone! It is certainly one of the shortest half terms I can remember in my 18 years of teaching. That being said, we have been busy as ever:

- Year 6s completed their SATs week like champions
 - Year Rs had their first every school trip to the zoo with their Year 6 Buddies
 - Year 4s completed their bikeability
 - Year 3 & 4 had their first football match representing the school
 - Year 5 & 6 football team went and played at the MK Dons stadium
 - Year R did their first every class assembly
 - Year 2 got very excited seeing baby Blue Tit birds hatching on their 'bird watch camera'
 - The whole school celebrated the 80th anniversary of VE day - with the older children visiting the local history societies displays in the Methodist church
 - Year 2 have enjoyed their forest school sessions (I even managed to join them for s'mores!)
 - The PTA disco was a huge success
 - We've had online safety workshops for our KS2 children, staff and parents
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Wow!

Disco

Thank you to everyone who bought tickets and supported the PTA disco last Friday - we hope the children had a brilliant time! We raised £562 so a huge thank you for all your support.

Preloved uniform sale

The next PTA uniform sale will be taking place on Wednesday 11th June at 3.15pm in the school hall.

Prices range from just 50p/£1 for unbranded items to £2 for school branded jumpers and cardigans, so if you need some extra summer uniform or just want to get organised for September, come and take a look.

Ice Cream Fridays will be back after half term - have a look at the poster below for more details.

Online Safety Parent Workshop

Thank you to everyone who was able to join the parent online workshop last night. The children and staff really enjoyed the workshops led by Alan MacKenzie. Our Year 6 children will be putting together an 'Online safety at Cheddington' leaflet next half term which will share with you all.

Have a lovely half term break and see you all on Monday 2nd June

Mrs. Gilly Brown

Head Teacher



**CHEDDINGTON
PTA**

ICE CREAM FRIDAYS

**FROM
FRIDAY 6TH JUNE**

FROM 3:10
SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

**ICE LOLLIES/POPS - 50P
CONES/MAGNUMS - £1**

CHEDDINGTON VILLAGE FETE

12th July 2025 Cheddington 12 - 5 pm
Recreation Grounds

To reserve a stall email cheddingtonvillagefete@gmail.com

Food, stall, bar and live music!





SUMMER BAND CAMP IN CHEDDINGTON



24TH & 25TH JULY

AT CHEDDINGTON SCHOOL

-£45 PER DAY OR £135 FOR ALL 3 DAYS

-9AM-3.50PM

-PERFORM ON A STAGE IN FRONT OF AN AUDIENCE

-LIMITED SLOTS

**-TO BOOK OR FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CONTACT MARC
ON 07884437028 OR EMAIL INFO@MDMUSICLAB.CO.UK**

Dates for your diaries:

Every week we will include a rolling list of up and coming dates for your diaries:

Monday 2nd June = Year 6 to River Dart, arrive at school at 7am

Tuesday 3rd June = 6pm-7pm Year 5 Secondary School Transfer meeting in the hall

Thursday 5th June = 2.45pm Year 3 meeting for parents about Year 4 residential

Friday 6th June = Year 6 back from River Dart

Wednesday 11th June = PTA second hand uniform sale at 3.15pm

Friday 13th June = Jungle Book performance for all children

Tuesday 17th June =

Sports Day

KS2 10am until 12pm

KS1 1.45pm until 3pm

Thursday 19th June = School for Sports Athlete into school - fundraising event (more details to follow)

Friday 20th June = 2.45pm Year 5 Class Assembly - Year 5 parents invited

Tuesday 24th June = History Man in for Year 1 and Year 6

Thursday 26th June = Year 5 virtual workshop with British Museum, 2.45pm Year R Shared Learning session

Tuesday 1st July = Whole school transition morning (more information to follow) and Year 6 Secondary school transition day (depending on secondary school)

Wednesday 2nd July = Year 6 transition day (depending on secondary school)

Thursday 3rd July = Year 3 trip to the Verulamium in St. Albans

Thursday 10th July = Year 6 performance of The Lion King at Cottesloe School at 6pm - tickets will be available soon!

Monday 14th - Wednesday 16th July = Year 5 Bikeability Level 2

Tuesday 15th July = 2.30pm Year 6 Leavers assembly for Year 6 parents

Wednesday 16th July = 3.30pm - 5pm Celebration of work in classrooms / meet next year's teacher session

Thursday 17th July = History Man in for Year 4 and Year 5

Friday 18th July = Year 6 Enterprise stalls in the hall after school (more detail to follow)

Monday 21st July = 9am Governor Award assembly - invitation only

Wednesday 23rd July = Break up for Summer holidays. School ends at 1.30pm.

PTA Colour Run from 2pm (more details to follow)

Thursday 4th September = School term start

Learner Of The Week





We're so proud that our Learners Of The Week are being recognised for displaying our school values - have a read below to find out how amazing they all are!

*Butterfly Class = Martha for showing **excellence** in all her work and is keen to complete the tasks set. She shows great **teamwork** when working with others in the class.*

*Lion Class = Kenny for showing **excellence** in his writing. He is working so hard on listening to what he needs to do and has done great writing in English and in other subjects. Well done!*

Cheetah Class = Lewis for consistently showing all the HEART values.

*Elephant Class = Marcie for always showing perseverance and **excellence**, particularly in her maths.*

*Tiger Class = Chloe for demonstrating **excellence** in her writing, especially her newspaper report. It has been fantastic to see Chloe including our writing tools and working on her presentation. Keep it up!*

*Flamingo Class = Imogen for showing **excellence** in her work, particularly in maths where she has worked hard, developing resilience and applied her skills :)*

*Giraffe Class = The whole of Giraffe Class thoroughly deserve to be learners of the week this week - they have consistently shown **excellence** and a huge amount of **respect** for each other (and supporting adults) during the entire SATs week. I couldn't be more proud of them!*

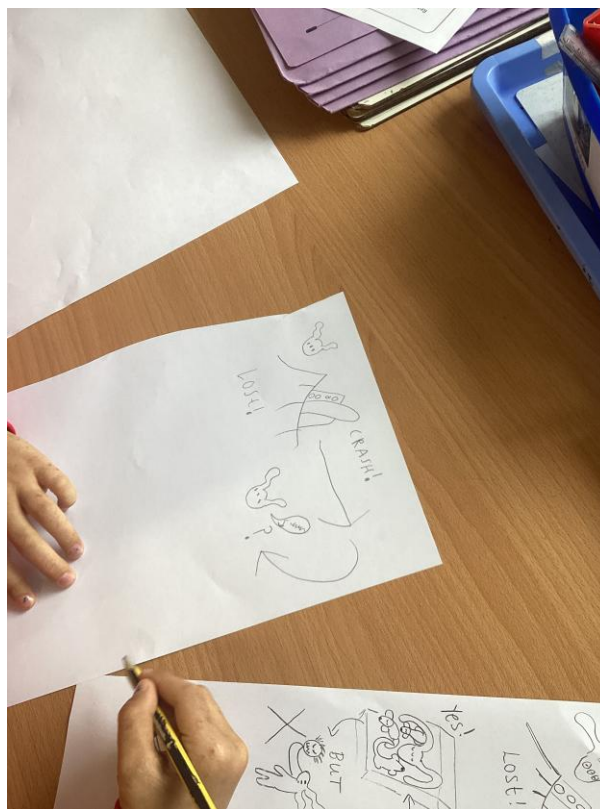
Safeguarding



We have shared this website before but just a reminder that Place 2 Be is a great website full of articles to read and short videos to watch giving support with children's wellbeing and behaviour, direct from mental health experts.

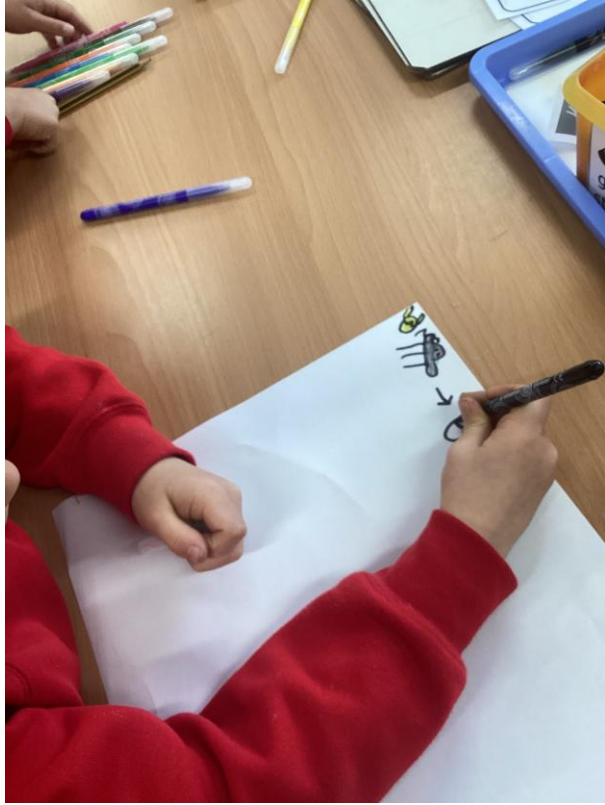
[Parenting Smart - Place 2 Be website](#)

Photos of this week's learning







































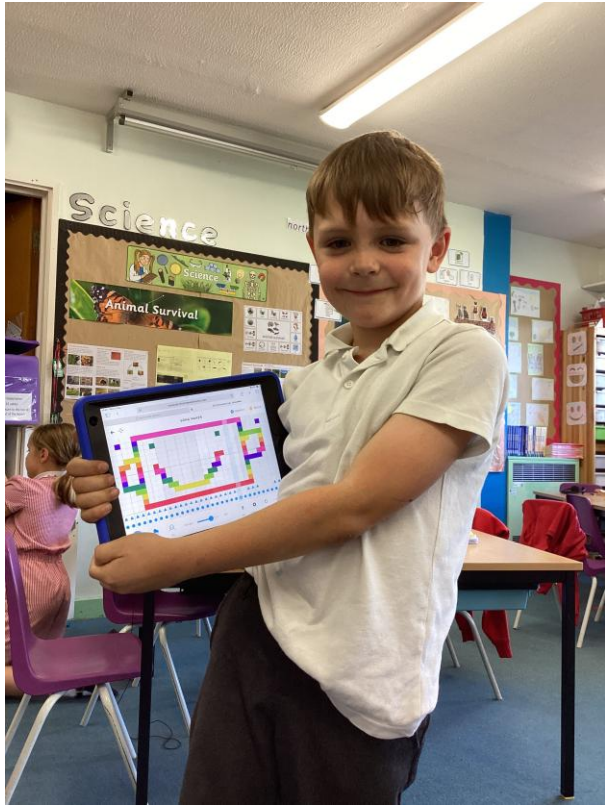












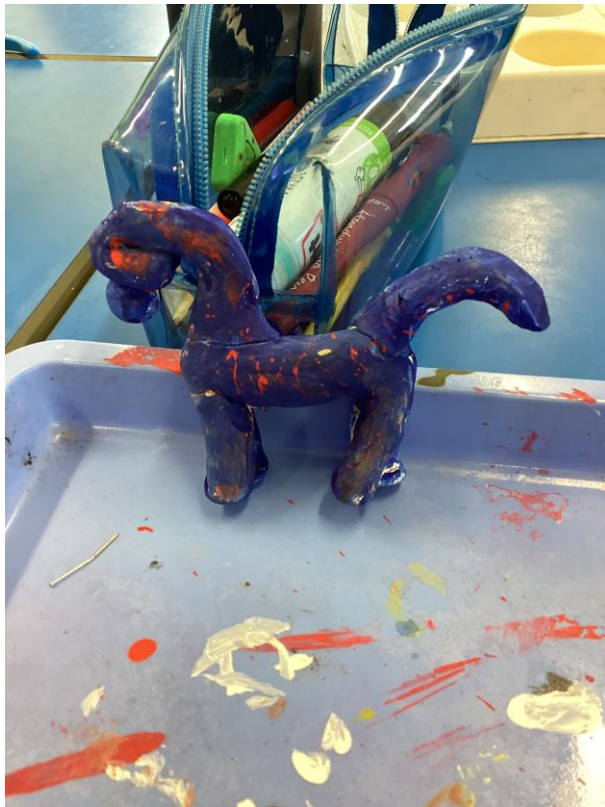






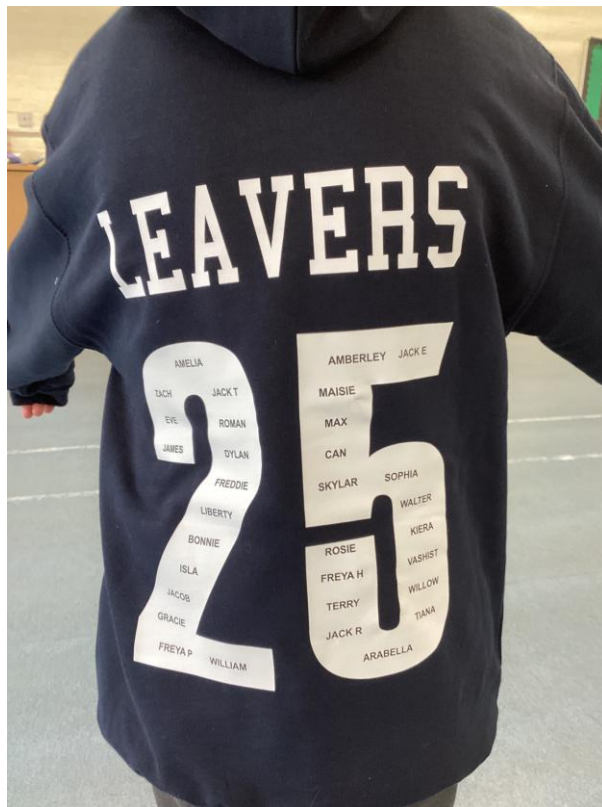


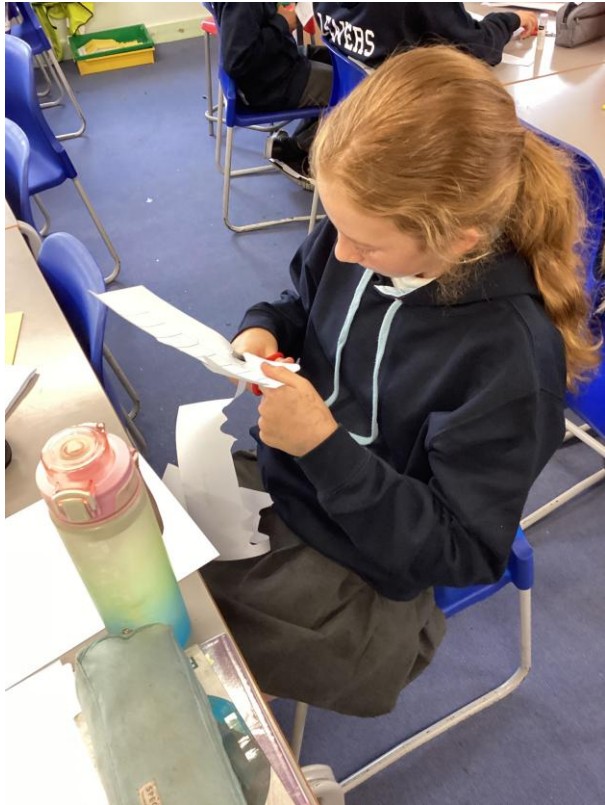
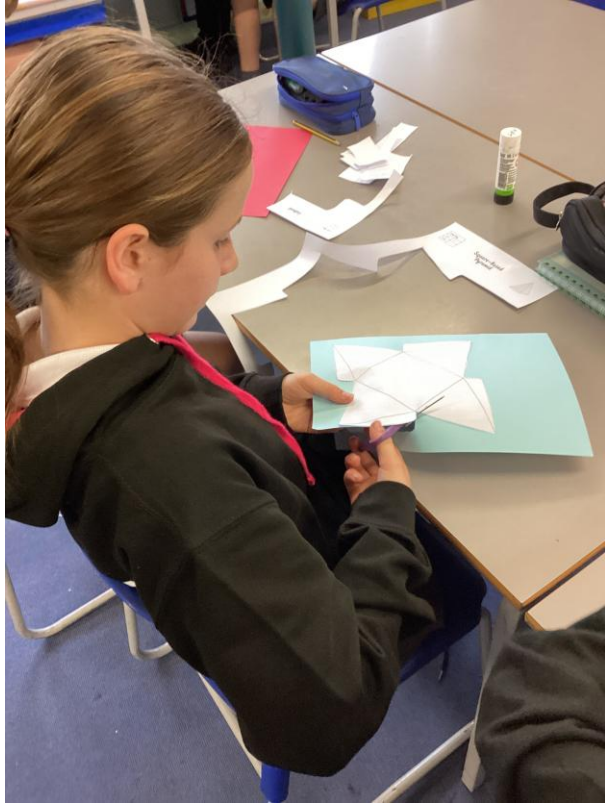


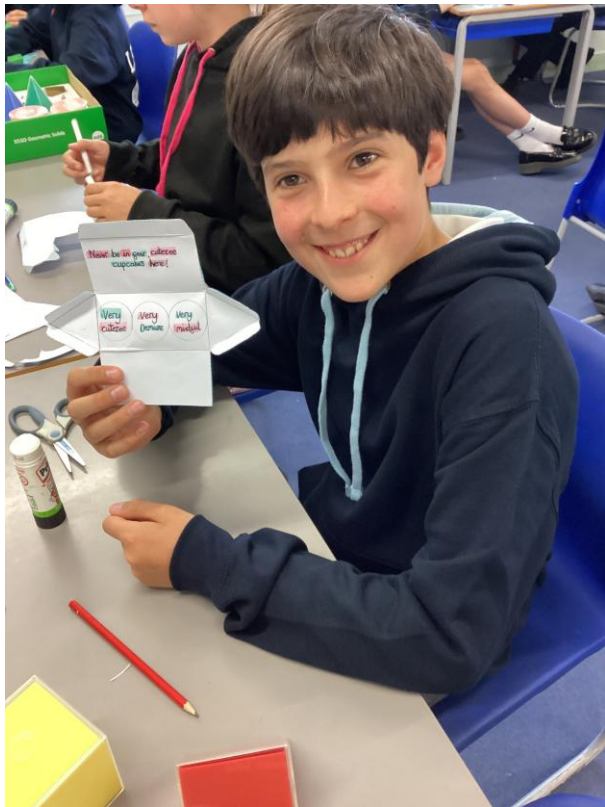
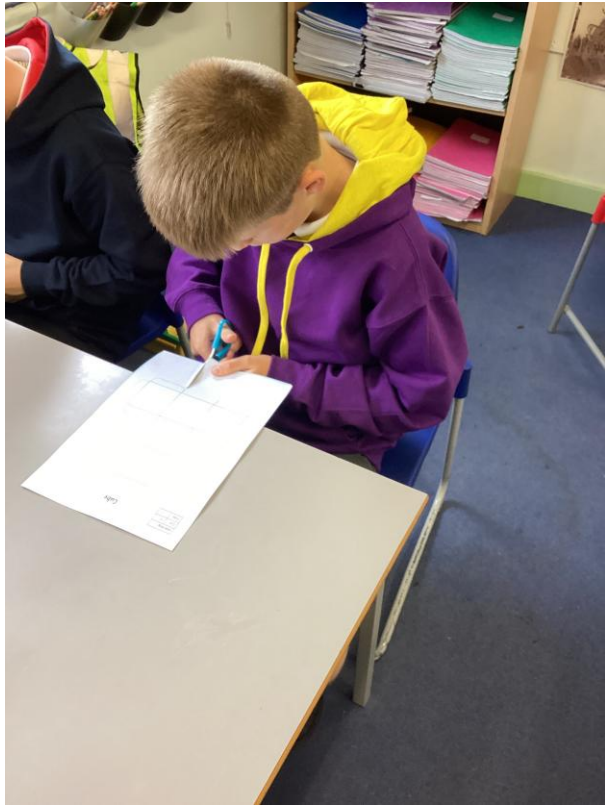




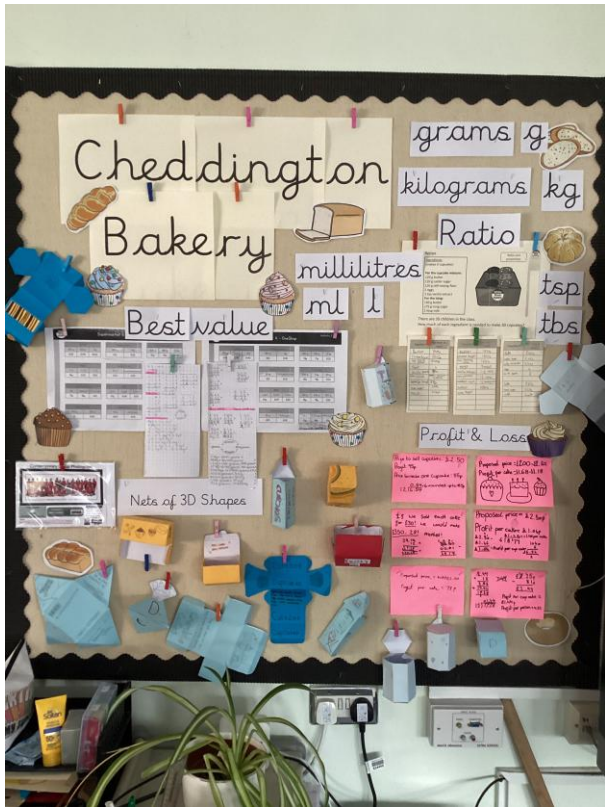


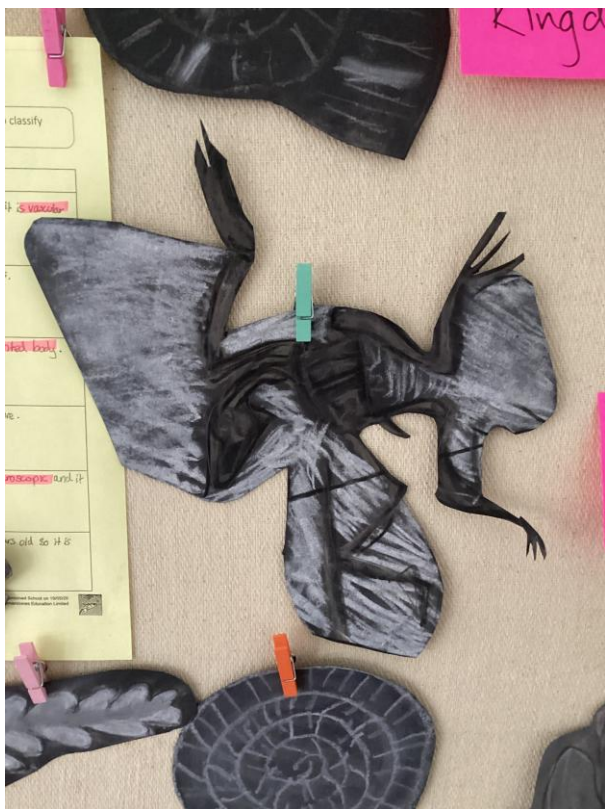
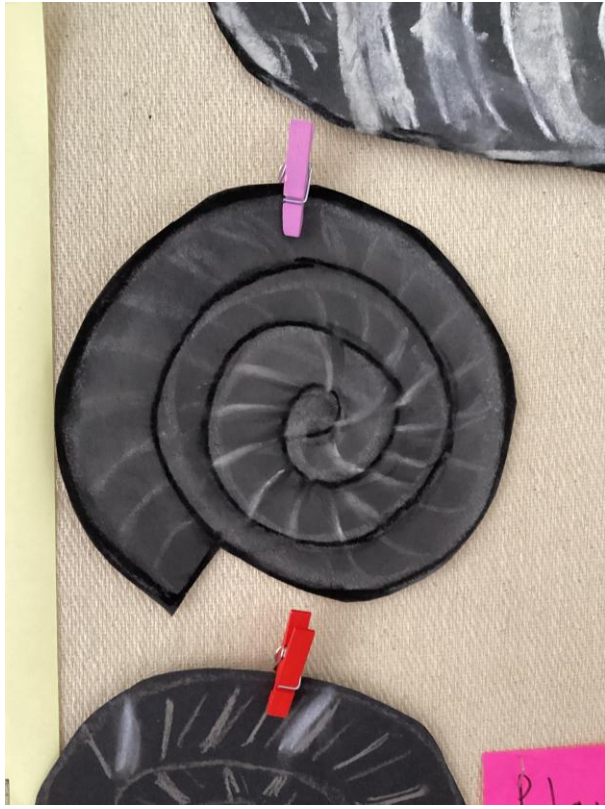


















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n.	Plant kingdom (vascular) 	Leaves are all connected and it looks like a...
eye sockets	Animal kingdom (fish) 	It has no legs, eye sockets
body.	Animal kingdom (arthropod) 	It has a backbone, and
no spine.	Animal kingdom (invertebrate) 	It has no backbone and
maybe a worm t.	Monera kingdom (bacteria) 	It is a tube shape, it looks like bacteria.
as therefore	Animal kingdom (reptile) 	It has four legs, it is only not a dinosaur.

