

The Cheddington Link 23rd January 2026



Good afternoon,

Although January appears to be the longest month in history, we have utilised the time here in school. The weather is continuing to be challenging but I was so pleased to see most of our children have coats in school every day - which means we can all get much needed fresh air in our lungs.

I've also been very impressed with the arrival times of all the children. We have been able to shut the gates on time which means everybody is in the right place to get a good start to the day.

PTA

*The PTA are excited to announce they will be holding a Valentines cake sale and second hand uniform sale on **Thursday 12th February at 3.15pm.***

Children's Mental Health Week

We will be celebrating Children's Mental Health week in school from Monday 9th to Friday 13th February. Place2Be are a fantastic website that has lots of resources that we use here in school and for you to use at home with your children. Here is a link:

[Children's Mental Health Week - Place2Be](#)

Parents Evening

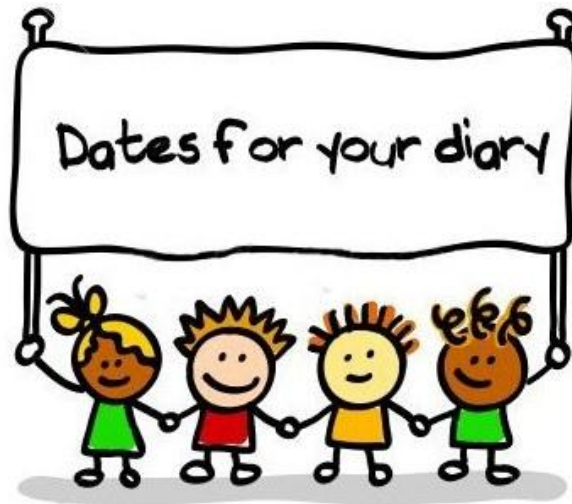
Early next week you will receive an email with information regarding our next parents evenings. They will be on Thursday 26th February and Tuesday 3rd March.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs. Gilly Brown

Headteacher

Dates for your diaries:



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

Monday 9th February - Friday 13th February Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 10th February Safer Internet Day at school

Wednesday 11th February Year 3 Class assembly at 2.45pm - for Year 3 parents and carers

Thursday 12th February Year R Shared Learning at 2.45pm

3.15pm PTA Valentines Cake Sale and Pre-loved Uniform Sale

Friday 13th February Break up for half term

Monday 23rd February Back to school

Thursday 26th February Parents Evening 4pm - 7.30pm (with book fair)

Friday 27th February Rescheduled Young Voices Concert

Tuesday 3rd March Parents Evening 3.45pm - 6.15pm (with book fair)

Thursday 5th March World Book Day - more details to follow

Wednesday 11th March Year R Shared Learning 2.45pm

Saturday 14th March Ascot House Cross-Country

Thursday 19th March Year 1 Class Assembly - for Year 1 parents and carers

Monday 23rd March HEART Award assembly

Thursday 26th March Easter service at the church (just for children)

Break up for Easter holidays at 1.30pm

Learner of The Week



*Butterfly Class - Emily for showing the HEART values throughout the day. Emily shows **appreciation** for the work that others do. Emily shows **teamwork** when working with others in all areas of her learning.*

*Lion Class - Well done to Lenny for **excellence** in his writing. Lenny has been working so hard on writing in all subjects and impressed with his great use of adjectives. Fantastic work!*

*Cheetah Class - Millie for showing great **teamwork** when working with a partner and helping other children when they are upset. Well done Mille.*

*Elephant Class - Aoife for her positive and **respectful** attitude towards her writing, working to include expanded noun phrases and adverbs for description. Great work Aoife.*

*Tiger Class - Morgan for **excellence** during swimming lessons. Morgan faced some big challenges this week and we are very proud of him. Well done Morgan!*

*Flamingo Class - Ruby for showing all the HEART values. She is respectful to her class members and teachers. Ruby is always striving for **excellence** across all subjects.*

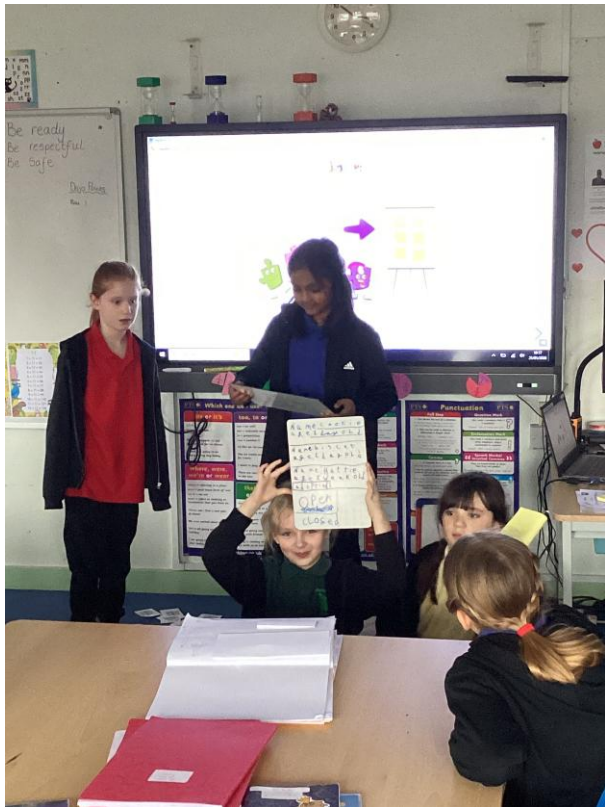
*Giraffe Class - Penny for **excellence** and independence shown in her descriptive writing for our characters and settings, based on our science fiction text: Mortal Engines. Well done Penny :)*

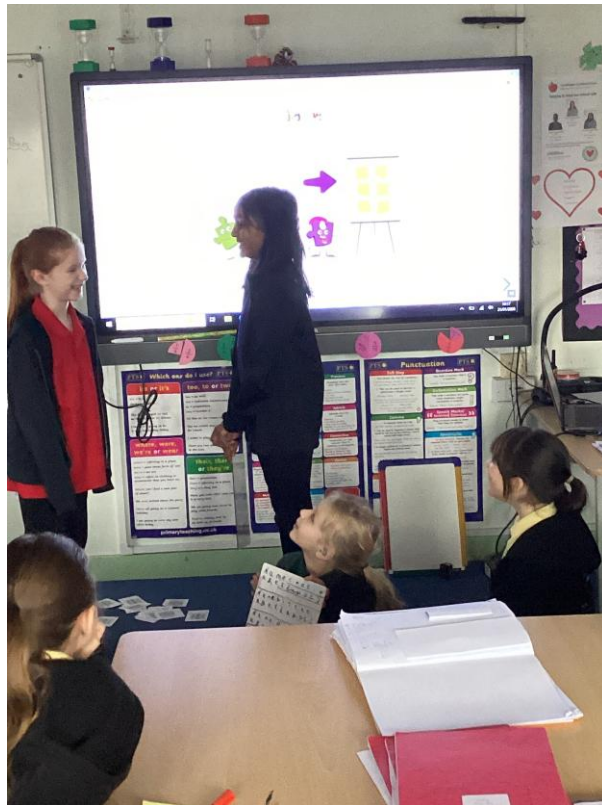
As promised a photograph of our Learners of the Week from last week is below too!



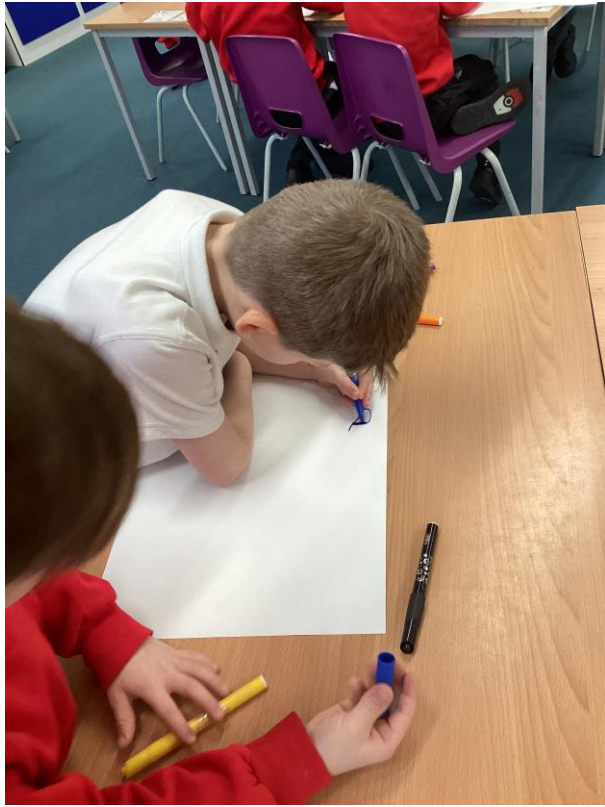
Photos of our learning this week...

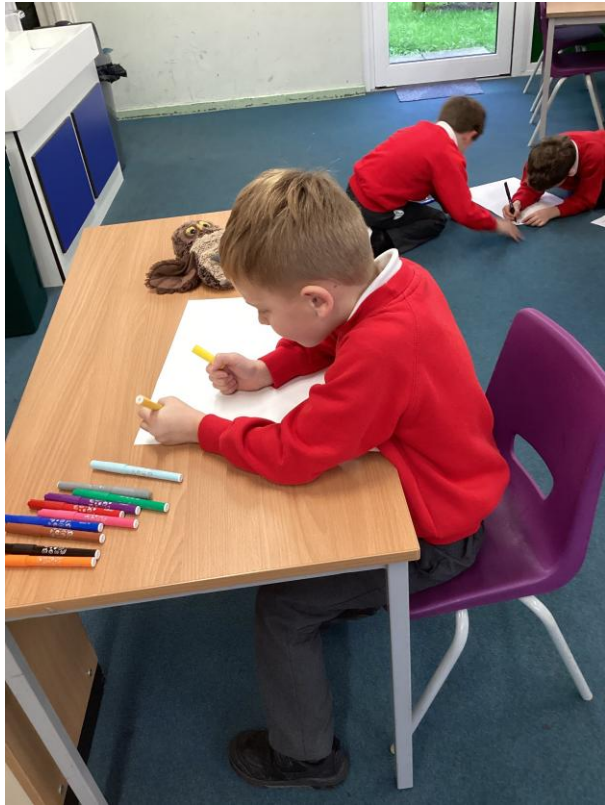














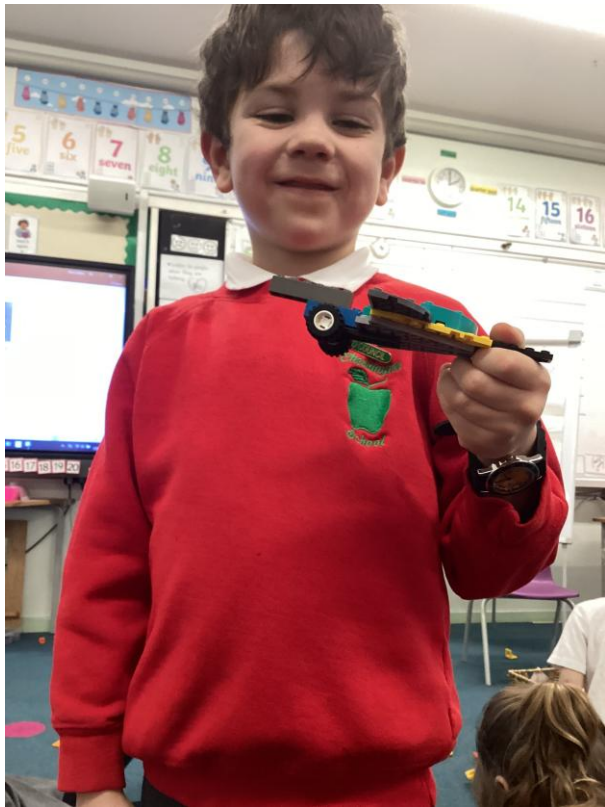


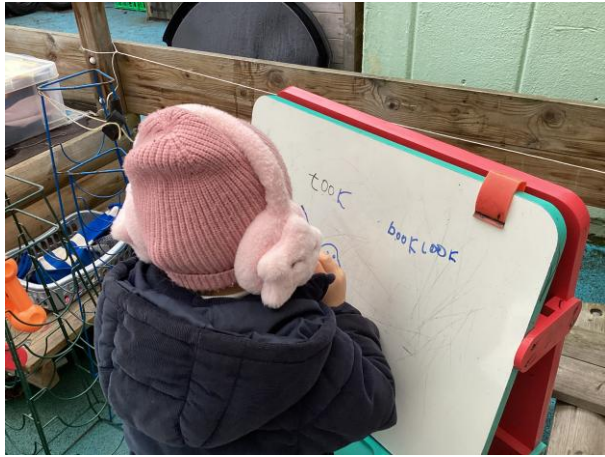












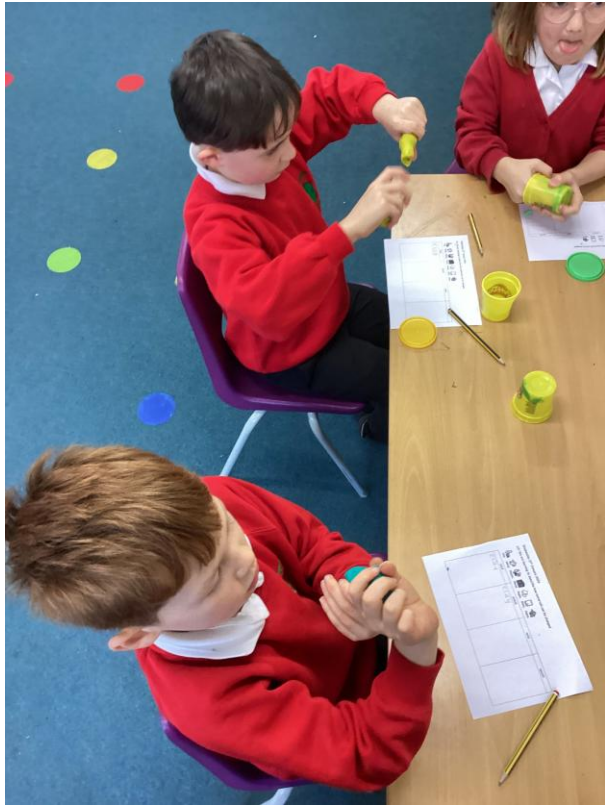






















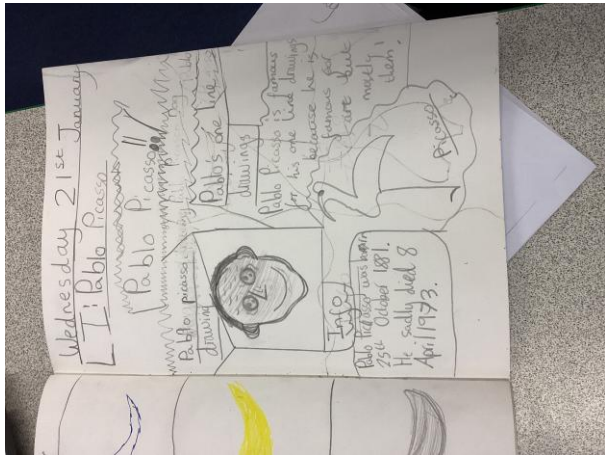
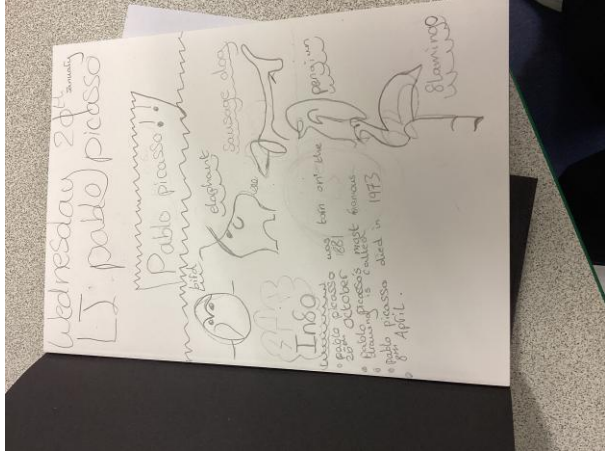
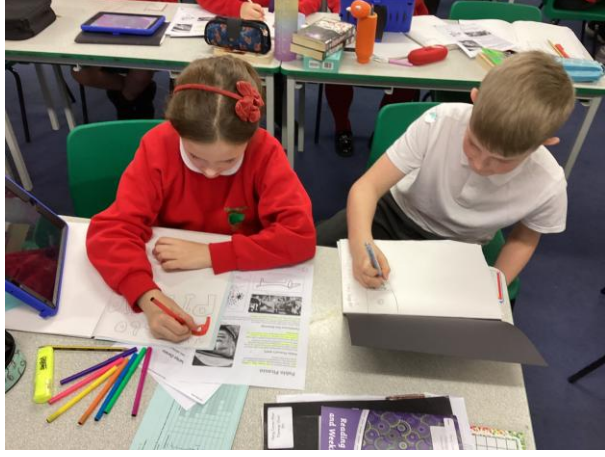








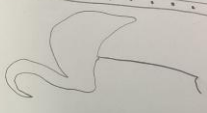





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Painter, sculptor, revolutionary artist.

Pablo Picasso

Pablo Picasso was born on the 25th October 1881 and he was a Spanish Painter, Sculptor, Printmaker and Ceramist. He was the founder of cubism and he was very famous for his work. Some of his most famous works are 'Les Femmes d'Alger' and 'Guernica'.

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Pablo Picasso

Pablo Picasso was born on 25th October 1881 in Málaga, Spain. He was a Spanish painter, sculptor, printmaker and ceramicist who is considered one of the most influential artists of the 20th century. Over his lifetime, Pablo Picasso explored a huge variety of subject matter in his artwork, including still life, the human form, animals and mythology. His most famous painting, 'Guernica', is one of his most famous artworks.

