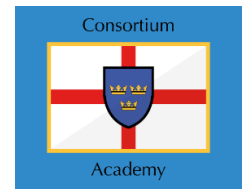




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### Message from Mrs Scott

Welcome

Spring has definitely sprung! It's so beautiful to see the blossoms on the trees and to feel the warm sunshine. This week staff have received training on an approach called PACE - Playfulness, Acceptance, Curiosity & Empathy. If you would like to find out more about this model, please contact Mrs Sam Barnard - SENDCo & Inclusion lead.

Please look out for our new addition to our weekly newsletters starting next week on SEND & Inclusion where Mrs Barnard will be sharing useful information and school news.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our year 6s the very best of luck for next week as we return to statutory SATs. We are very proud of their hard work and the positive attitudes they are displaying.

Best wishes,  
Mrs Scott

### SUN HATS AND SUNCREAM

The forecast is promising some sunny weather next week so please can we ask that you send your child in with a sun hat and sun cream.

But please avoid this one if possible as it contains Almond oil and we are a nut free school.



### Red Kites – Junk Models

Red Kites are going to be doing junk modelling over the next few weeks. If you have any boxes or bits and pieces that we can use please could you send these in to school.

### This week's Awards

#### Star of the Week

William D for making good contributions in Class  
Madison for excellent historical work on Early Islam  
Nancy for always asking when she is unsure  
Sophia for embracing a new way of learning

#### Citizen of the Week

Jack St for being a good partner during Reading  
Clemence for positive encouragement to her peers  
William L for his commitment to his Eco warrior role  
Poppy for encouraging her friends

### Class News

#### Robins

This week Robins have been learning about Africa and we can find it on a map, talk about the equator and the climate in relation to our distance from the equator. We know what the "big five" African animals are and some facts about them and we have also been learning about what a safari is and some of the African animals we could see if we were lucky enough to go on safari.

## Red Kite Class

We have been looking at what makes friendships, who is involved, what they give us and how they make us feel. We have listened to songs about friendship and have had a go at writing our own songs.

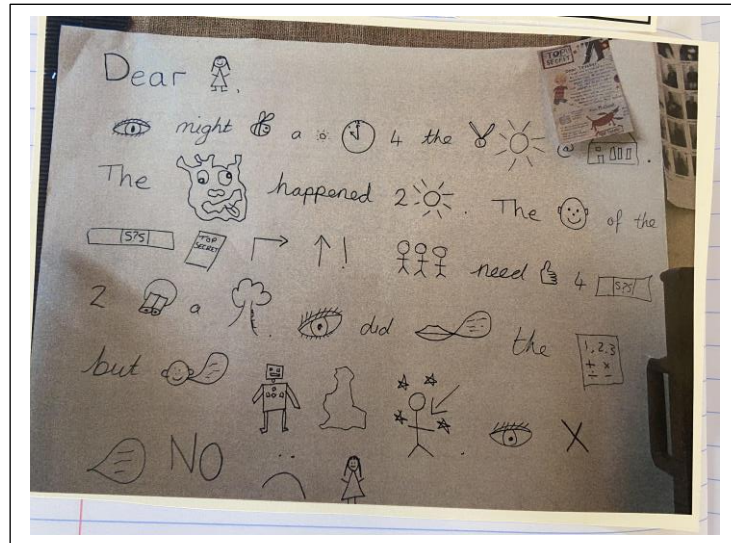
## Woodpeckers

This week Woodpeckers have been receiving letters from a boy called Michael who has been asked by the Secret Service to help them with a special Secret mission

We read the letter together and identified how we could imitate it for our Talk4Writing

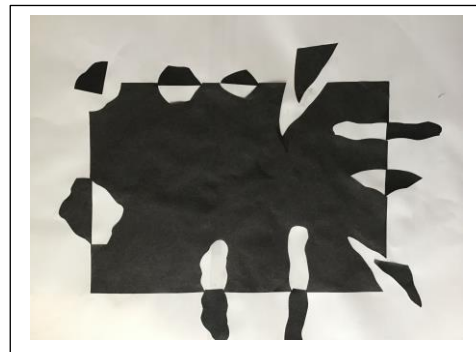
The picture represents the letter

In History we have started our topic focused on the Great Fire of London we have explored what London was like in 1666 and compared it to what London is like now using images, text and first hand experiences of being to London recently



## Starlings

In Starlings we have been learning how to do collages. Last week we worked on pieces inspired by Henri Matisse using positive and negative shapes.



This week we used nature as our inspiration and made owl pictures using natural materials

