

Year 1 - Jays

Date: 10 th March 2023	This week we have been learning about ...
English	<p>Phonics, reading, handwriting and <i>The Last Wolf</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Revising all of the phase 5 sounds in groups. * Exploring why some animals no longer live in the wild in the UK. * Writing letter of advice to Red. * Thinking about how feelings towards the book changed as we read.
Maths	<p>Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Comparing mass. * Exploring the language of volume. * Comparing volume. * Measuring volume. * Comparing capacity. * New tasks have been set on MyMaths.
Other curriculum areas	<p>Art - Painting still life flowers in the style of O'Keeffe - the children worked so hard to create amazing Easter cards!</p> <p>RE - How do Christians show beliefs about Jesus' death and resurrection in worship? What does the story of Easter say to me about sadness, hope or heaven?</p> <p>PSHE - Reviewing the healthy me unit.</p> <p>PE - Tri-Golf and Gymnastics.</p> <p>DT - Making Easter nests.</p> <p>Science - How does day length change across the seasons?</p> <p>Music - Can I listen to a ballet march and make up a dance in response?</p>
Other information and reminders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Miss Senior is now back at university for a few weeks, before joining us for her final teaching block from 9th May. * We are now on Easter holidays until 17th April. Have a fun and safe break! <p><u>IMPORTANT NOTES FOR THE WEEK AFTER EASTER:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * We will now have <u>PE on Mondays</u>. We will spend a week or two finishing off our Tri-golf unit, as I know the children would love to play out on the field. We will then move on to learn about tennis. Children should wear trainers and navy-blue jumpers and joggers as well as their indoor PE kit to ensure they stay warm. * <u>Swimming will be on Tuesdays</u>. We are happy for children to come to school in their usual uniform on these days as they do need to learn to get themselves changed! Swimming kit is close fitting swim shorts or a one-piece swimming costume. Long sleeved tops are not suitable as they hold the cooler water close to the skin whilst standing in the pool and children become cold very quickly. Goggles are fine as long as children can put them on independently. * On <u>Wednesday 19th April</u>, Jays will be visiting Hearts Delight Farm to explore the spring flowers and newly growing trees. On this day, all children will need to wear warm clothes, suitable for a morning in the woods. Even if it is sunny, it is likely to be very chilly in the shade so coats and sun protection will likely be needed in equal measure! We will return to school in time for lunch.