



Orchard Weekly Bulletin 17th May 2021



GET CREATIVE WITH
CLASSICAL MUSIC

BBC
MUSIC

Ten Pieces

We will be holding our own Ten Pieces Week at school during the week commencing 24th May. This year we are looking closely at the work from Florence Price:

As an African-American woman, Florence Price combined the traditions of classical music with the sound of spiritual and West African rhythms and dance from her own culture.

In 1933 she overcame prejudice to become the first black female composer to have her work performed by a major orchestra.

The children will be involved in many creative activities such as drumming, African art and crafts and maybe even some body percussion!!!

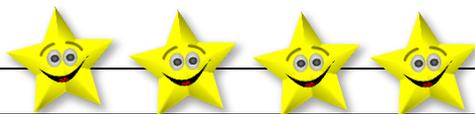
As part of the art activities some children will be making Rain sticks.

We really need some cardboard tubes for this activity so if you are able to send some into school, that would be great. We are looking for the tubes that come inside of kitchen roll paper please. Thank you.

Attendance Challenge

Position	Class	Attendance
1 st	Mrs Marriott	100%
2 nd	Mr Jackson	98.6%
3 rd	Mrs Mee	98.2%

Whole School Attendance
95.3%



Celebration Assembly

Huge congratulations to the following children who received the Orchard celebration 'Shout Outs' on Friday.

Jacy Watson (RC) Isla Burgin (RBE) Sophia Knowles (1M) Rebecca Marsh (1/2B) Heidi Pearce (2JT) Riley Naylor (3OF) Heidi Clarke (3/4W) Lukass Medunekis (4H) Hattie Shiels (5/6H) Ryan Smith (5/6M) Isabelle Thompson (5/6J) Mrs. Chambers - Class 1M

They have been awarded special Dojo points to mark the occasion. We hope that the children have enjoyed telling you what they have achieved their special mention for.

Taking 5 - outside with nature

We really enjoyed keeping our minds healthy, by practising our Take 5 breathing on the field. As we took the time to relax and feel calm, we could smell the flowers and hear the birds singing.

Our Reception children also connected with nature by planting some sunflower seeds. We look forward to watching them grow.



Mental Health Awareness Week

With Nature being the theme for this year's Mental Health Awareness Week, 3OF went outside last week and took some time to relax. They looked up at the clouds to see what shapes they could see. They didn't let the grey colour dull their imaginations!

Some things the children saw included a rhino, an ice cream, a dragon and a mountain!

The children said it was fun and it made them feel calm and relaxed.



Term Dates

A reminder that school is closed on Friday 28th May for INSET Day. It is then the May half-term holidays. Children will return to school on Monday 7th June. We break up for the Summer Holidays on 28th July.

House Point Target

This Weeks House Point Target:
I will unlock my resilience and keep trying.

