



Well done Summer!

Summer in Year 3, has been making loom band bracelets over the summer to raise money for the NHS. She has raised about £965! She has been selling them in a couple of shops in Wigston and to her family and friends. There was even a piece in the Leicester Mercury about her!

Well done Iris!

We are so proud of Iris in Year 5, who had a whopping 13 inches of her hair cut off which was bagged and sent to the Little Princess Trust. The hair donation will now be used to make real hair wigs for children suffering from hair loss as a result of cancer and other medical conditions.



Iris wanted to try and help someone feel better about themselves and she also saw it as fitting tribute to her grandad, who sadly passed away recently.

KS2 VIRTUAL 5K CHALLENGE

This half term, all KS2 children have taken part in a virtual 5k challenge and a virtual cricket fielding challenge competing against other schools in Oadby and Wigston. For the 5k challenge, children have been competing in teams, taking it in turns to run a lap of the playground or field to complete 5k in the fastest possible time!

We have also had 90 children taking part in this at cross country club after school!

Well done to everyone involved.

It is great to have so many pupils getting fit!



Attendance

We are so proud of our attendance this half term!

337 children have been here every day since we opened in September!

Well done to all of you!

Our Fantastic New Library!

During the summer holidays, we had a new makeover to our school library. We are very proud of how it looks, and pupils have loved it so far!

We love reading at Parkland and can't wait to put lots of brand new books into it very soon!



Which book will you read next?



Our Fabulous Learning!

Pre-School

The children have settled into preschool routines with ease showing a great deal of resilience, we are extremely proud of the kindness they are showing one another and their ability to build friendships whilst adapting to their new environment.

A well-deserved, well done to each and every one of them!

EYFS

EYFS have started phonics. They are working really hard to read and write phase 2 sounds and apply their phonic skills independently. Some children have even shared videos on tapestry of practising phonics at home.

Year 1

Year 1 have made huge improvements in their writing and most children are using full stops, capital letters and finger spaces. Letter formation is getting better too!

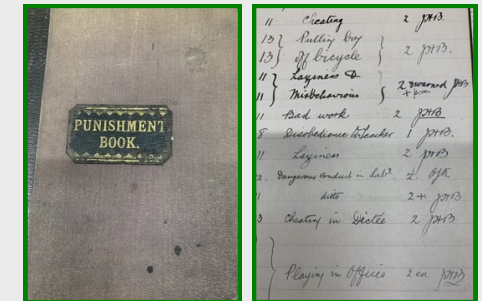
Keep it up Year 1

Year 2

Year 2 were lucky to have a talk by Mrs Tebbutt this week all about the changes she has seen in her time at Parkland.

We think she is amazing to have worked here for 37 years!

It helped the children to really understand how things change over time and how the punishments were a lot harsher than they are now!



Year 3

Year 3 created a Lowry inspired industrial landscape of South Wigston, using his painting techniques and colours. Their creativity is now on display along the whole of one corridor.

Well done!



Year 4

Children have presented their understanding of human teeth and the digestive system in groups. They worked as a team to make notes then presented to the rest of the class using clear voices and confident knowledge.

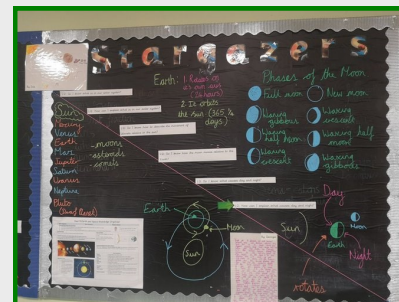
Well done Year 4!



Year 5

Year 5 have done lots of exciting Science learning and English writing about Space this term. Their class text was called George's Secret Key to the Universe and it was written by Steven Hawking and his daughter Lucy.

They have loved listening to this story being read every day!



Year 6

Year 6 have been working really hard on their climate change speeches in the last two weeks.

They have spoken and written very passionately about this topic; we are very proud of their commitment to making this world a cleaner and better place!