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Nursery and Reception

This week the children have been learning about what it is like in the rainforest and discovering that it is very hot and wet there. The children have greatly enjoyed reading the story 'One Day on our Blue Planet: In the Rainforest' to help support our learning. The children have already begun to learn lots of interesting facts!



Years 1 & 2

This week in year 1 and 2 we have been looking at our local area, including human and physical geography features. We have also been compiling a list of facts in order to create a non-chronological report all about whales, we have learned lots of very interesting facts through doing this! We use books, computers and articles to help us research.

Years 3 & 4

This week in French we have been learning about countries and their flags. We have been remembering colours in French and learning new words to describe shapes and designs of flags.





Years 5 & 6

This week in class 4 we have been planning and writing a diary entry for one of the miners in our book, exploring the different thoughts, emotions and senses the mine workers would experience throughout the day. In Geography we were exploring ordnance survey maps of our local area, we identified some of the features of our local area and recorded the grid reference in our books.





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PAFFS

29th April Tuck Shop

Thank you to all you generous bakers, parents, teachers & children, last week's tuck shop was a great success, raising **£86** which is fabulous! Thank you all for your continued support.

Next tuck shop is Friday 27th May and will be combined with the raffle draw; we are planning to sell ice cream & ice lollies, let's cross our fingers that the sun shines!

Spring Raffle

Last week you will have received some Spring Raffle tickets in the book bags, thank you so much to all those who have already sold & returned money & counterfoils and to all of you doing an amazing job selling them.

We still have some books available so if you would like some additional ones please ask a member of the PAFFS team or pass along a message via Chloe in the office.

Please return any unsold raffle tickets as we might be able to sell them on, all ticket counterfoils, money & unsold tickets need to be returned no later than Tuesday 24th May.

Growing up in North Yorkshire Survey

As part of North Yorkshire County council, we are invited to complete a survey which looks at what is going well and where we need to focus to support our pupils. The survey will be taking place for years 2/3 and years 4/5/6 next week. Please see the attached letter for further information. If you have any questions, please contact your class teacher.

Virtual Book Fair - all next week!

Books, books and more books....whether you're buying birthday gifts, a treat for your child or simply books to enjoy every day...We have something for everyone all available at next weeks Virtual Book Fair.

You and your children will be pleased to know there is a huge range of brand-new books from which to choose, including board books, picture books, chapter books and hundreds of non-fiction titles, all at just £2.50 each!

To order, see below: Simply visit www.booksforbugs.co.uk/shop and choose your books. Once you get to the checkout stage, please compete the billing details as normal but remember at the delivery details stage to add your child's name and class where prompted. This link shows you how easy it is to order: https://booksforbugs.co.uk/virtual-book-fair-info-for-parents/

For the delivery address please put **Foston C.E. Primary School** and the school's postcode **YO60 7QB**, this will remove all postage fees. You can order up until **midnight on Sunday 15**th **May**. All orders will then be dispatched, and we will let you know when you can collect from school.

Buying through the Virtual Book Fair will help **Foston Primary School as** we will receive a free book for every 5 collectively sold that has a value of £2.50 for the children to be able to use in school, so every book counts!

SATs Breakfast club

With SATs taking place next week, we would like to invite all year 6 pupils to attend breakfast club from 8:15am with Mr Carlisle from Monday – Thursday (Free of charge). Pupils will be provided with a breakfast choice each day and key knowledge will be recapped linked to the SATs papers covered that day. If you have any questions, please contact Mr Carlisle.

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Diary Dates

Friday 6th May	KS1 Arboretum trip
Friday 27th May, school pick up	PAFFS tuck shop & raffle draw
Friday 27th May	Summer half term, last day at school
Monday 6th June	First day back at school after summer half term
Friday 22nd July	Summer holidays, last day at school