



Acorn News...

Friday 14th July 2023

Any issues, concerns or things we need to know about, please speak to the Acorn team before or after school or email: acorn@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Dates for your diary.....

20th July—End of Term 6

4th Sept—Start of school year 2023/24

Welcome Wednesdays—our classroom is open for you to visit and read with your child between 8.30am and 9am

This week's special helpers were:

Ivy, Aiden, Luca, Eddie and Khloe



Remember....

- PE days are Mondays and Wednesdays.
- We will change reading books on a Tuesday and a Friday if your child has read their book at least twice.

Please keep reading with your children at home. It really will make a difference!

If your child reads at least 3 times in a week they will be entered into a draw to win a prize at the end of term



Happy Friday everyone.

This is the end of our last full week in Acorn Class. Please remember that next Friday is a staff development day and therefore children are not in.

This week we have learnt lots of new tricky words; were, little, there and one as well as continuing to read words with adjacent consonants.

In maths we have been doing some special reasoning and working more on matching digits 11-20 with quantities.

On Tuesday we had a chance to move up to year 1 and spend some time with Mrs Pring in the new year 1 classroom. We know transition to a new year group can feel a little daunting for some children and parents and so please do contact us on the class email or catch us at the gate if you have any concerns/things you would like to discuss.

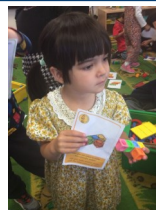
Star of the week this week is Catherine for amazing work in phonics.

Our learning this week...

Year 3 came and read their books to us.



The boys made a castle



Esme did some amazing spatial reasoning





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Home Learning

Please read with your child at least twice a week. Regular reading really does make all the difference to the children's confidence.

Why not try out this fun polar bear pairs game

Simply click the link and put in the code underneath the link. This is a pairs game with all the level 4 tricky words.

[Twinkl Go](#)

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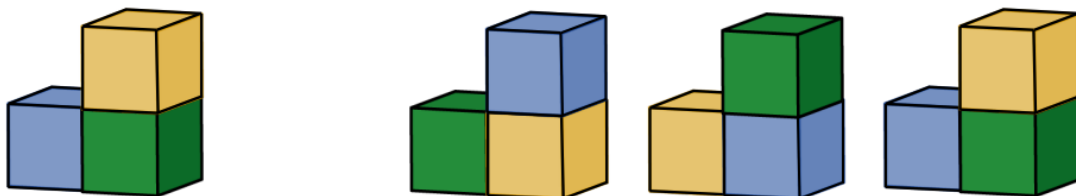
Maths Challenge.

We have been looking at some spatial reasoning this week. You could do this activity with building blocks or you can draw shapes using 3/4 colours.

Play Find My Match.

Place three different models on the table and then ask a friend to hold up a matching model.

Can you find the model that matches the one that your friend is holding up



Vary the arrangement of the cubes in the models each time.