



# Otters Class Newsletter

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026

## What have the Otters been up to this week?

- In maths this week, we have finished our first fractions topic by exploring mixed numbers and improper fractions and converting them into each other. The children have done really well with this once they understood the methods.
- For English, we have written our own poems about light and dark and our mums for mother's day.
- In Science we looked at how light reflects using mirrors. We played a few games to help us experiment how light reflects to help us see.
- In Computing, the children created houses out of shapes by layering and grouping - they were all really focussed and produced some great results.
- In RE, we continued to look at the Easter Story and focussed on Maundy Thursday. The children thought about why Christians think that Maundy Thursday is important.
- On Friday, we took part in Farm Quest which is a science based online farm workshop where we explored how farms help us get our food.

Our Core Concept  
this term is...

Perception and  
Empathy

- This week for DT, we explored how best to create an Anglo-Saxon house using what we have on the school field - mud and sticks. We learnt about weaving and how to create a strong structure.

## Celebrations and What the Otters have to say...

For our **'Work on the Wall'** this week we are celebrating **Zac** and **Vihaan**. I have chosen Zac because he has put in 110% effort into all his work this week and made us super proud and I have chosen Vihaan for always working super neatly especially in maths and for getting on to the challenge questions and helping others.

**Our Headteacher's Award** goes to **Blanche** for showing compassion in lots of different pieces of work this week. She neatly and methodically planned out a piece of writing and then took time to write the most beautiful poem to her mum.

### *Our Pupil Voice:*

"I love the new sofas in the classroom, they are so comfy." Thank you Mrs Buss

## Important Information:

- **Welly Wednesday** is our new outdoor learning time so please ensure children have wellies, layers and a change of clothes in school as it is very muddy.
- **Farm School** for year 4 is **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**.
- **Parents Evening:** **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March** - Please message me on dojo with your preferred date and time and I will try and accommodate.

The children  
have worked  
super hard this  
week.

Have a lovely  
weekend!

Miss Titmarsh

