

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Week beginning 27th October– Half term– school closed.
- 3rd November– Pupils return
- 6th November– school book fair starts
- 7th November short Fridays begin – 1.30 finish
- 12th November– Science exhibition after school in main hall
- 17th November– 9.00-10.00am– Parents invited in to retell their favourite stories/ events from their childhood (more info to follow).
- 11th December– Parents Evening

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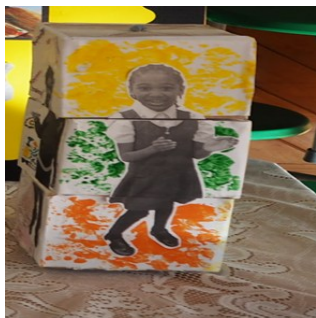
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Shabbat time: Starts Friday at 17.34 and ends Saturday at 18.35

Half term is here! It's been a very busy half term. This week we have been focusing on Art and had our annual Art Day Exhibition. It was great to see so many of you in the hall admiring our pupils work. Standards are exceptionally high and our pupils are engaged with skills and knowledge well beyond primary school expectations.

Here are some snapshots of our work.

Our ARP pupils worked on 'Identity Stacks'.



Year 1 and year 2 looked at the works of Pierre Mondrian. They designed then implemented their bold colour designs with significant impact on the observer.



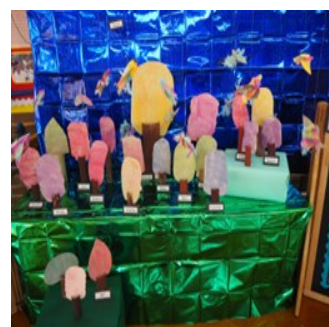
Year 3 and year 4, combined their class topic of Ancient Egyptians with their artwork. They designed and made 'canopic jars' using a variety of techniques and materials.



Year 5 looked at pre and post modern mosaic artists including Antonio Gaudi, William Morris to name but a few. Pupils were able to confidently talk about their work, the artists work and where their design ideas came from.



Meanwhile Early Years were busy with their junk modelling work.



Year 6 looked at the works of Bridget Riley, Yehor Agam amongst many others. Their focus was on perspective. Most of their work literally jumped off the page.



As always our pupils worked with a very positive attitude, learning was fun and outcomes BRILLIANT!

Ms Metin and the Simon Marks Team