

Year 5 Learning Letter

Friday 10th February 2023

Edition No 9.

After half term we will be:

- Continuing our English unit based on persuasive writing.
- Continuing our work in Maths on decimals.
- Investigating forces in science.
- Continuing to learn about the Maya civilisation in Topic.
- Learning about Networks and systems in Computing.

Children's Mental Health Awareness Week

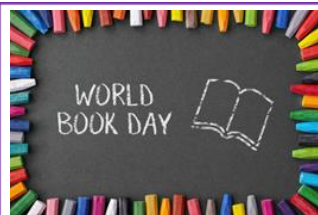
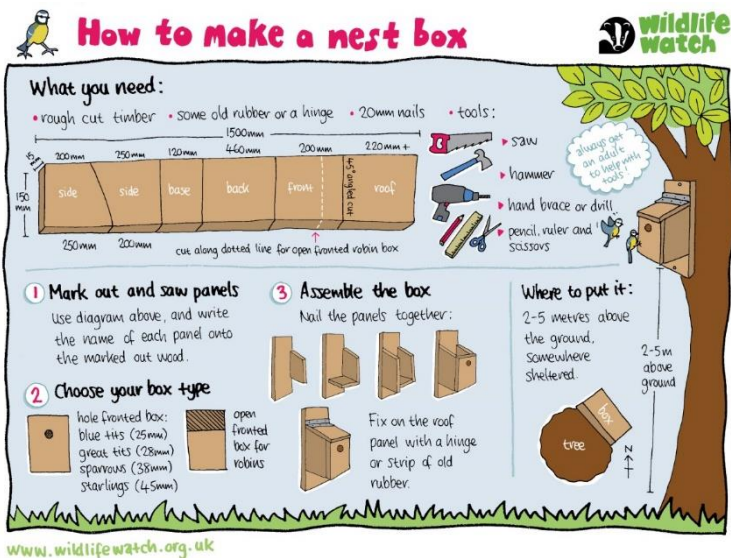
The children really enjoyed the activities we have taken part in this week to highlight the importance of our mental wellbeing. They have read to Reception and Year 1, had a chat with squash and biscuits, made paperchains to connect themselves to their families and classes, checked in with their teachers during registration and had plenty of movement breaks.



February - How to Build a Bird Box

With natural nesting sites in decline, adding a nest-box to your garden can make all the difference to your local birds. The total area of all gardens in the UK exceeds that of our nature reserves, and as development destroys trees, hedges and old buildings, natural nesting sites are in decline. Nest-boxes placed in gardens can make a real difference to the success or failure of a breeding species in an area, especially when accompanied by the regular supply of suitable food and water.

<https://www.surreywildlifetrust.org/actions/how-build-bird-box>



This year we are celebrating this **Friday 3rd March**

On the day, we invite the children to dress as a favourite book character, also complete a single piece of bunting, which shares information on their character. There will be no mufti charge but a suggestion of a used book donation to pass on. More details near the time

Happy Half Term from the Year 5 Team! 😊