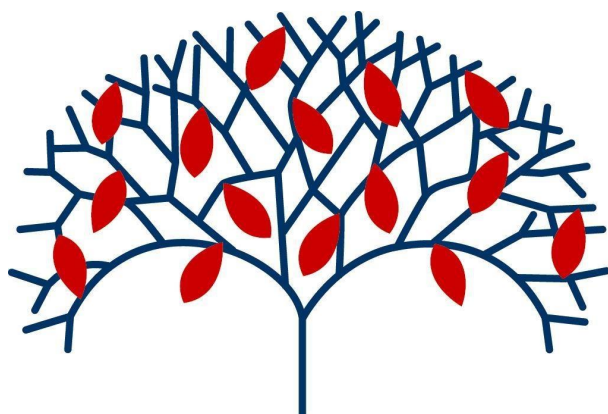


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Merit Awards



- Reception: Ben S (caring) Oscar (learning) Arlo (achieving)
- Year One & Two: Rufus (caring) Poppy (learning) Dawson (achieving)
- Year Three: Caldyn (caring) Samuel (learning) Audrey (achieving)
- Year Four: Francesca (caring) Lizzy (learning) Dylan (achieving)
- Year Five: Tilly (caring) Jude (learning) Rex (achieving)
- Year Six: Isabelle (caring) Oliver (learning) Oscar (achieving)

Happy birthday this week to...



Orla C - 7 years old

Audrey D - 8 years old

Henry F - 9 years old

Spotlight on Learning - Year 6

This week, we have been busy finishing our stories in writing all about life in war-torn France in World War II. In our history, we have been learning about war and conflict and have thought about ~~war and here~~ the Home Front and the fight for victory at home and right here in Manchester.

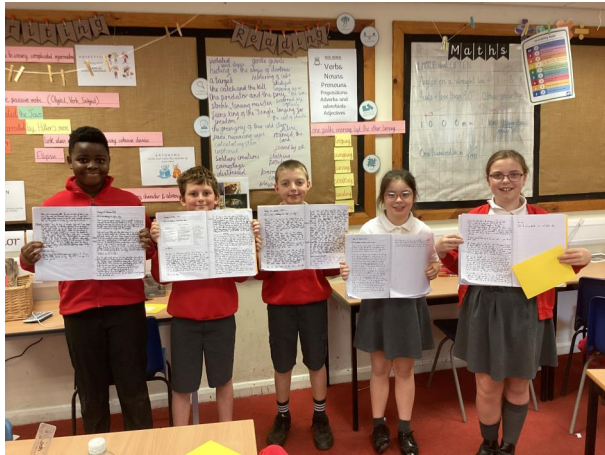
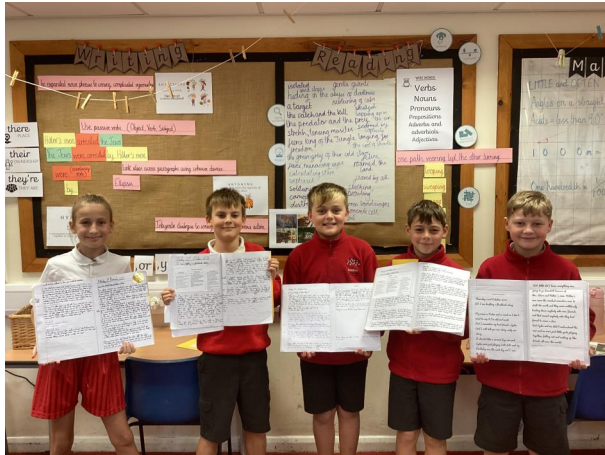
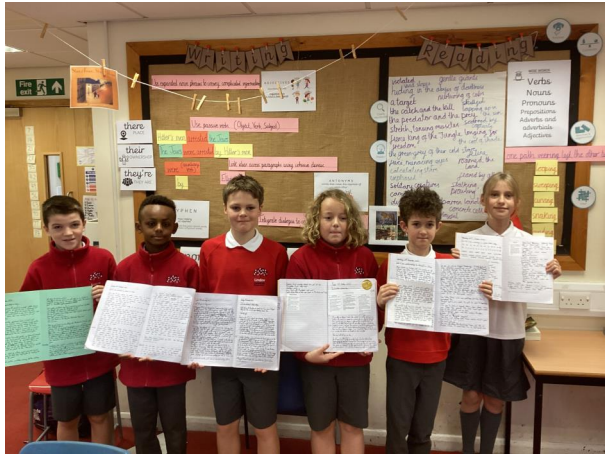
We have also been learning to sing special war time songs in music. As we begin our new topic of "Endangered and Empowered," we are enjoying our science lessons all about classifying animals and our poetry fortnight means we are reading poems all about tigers.

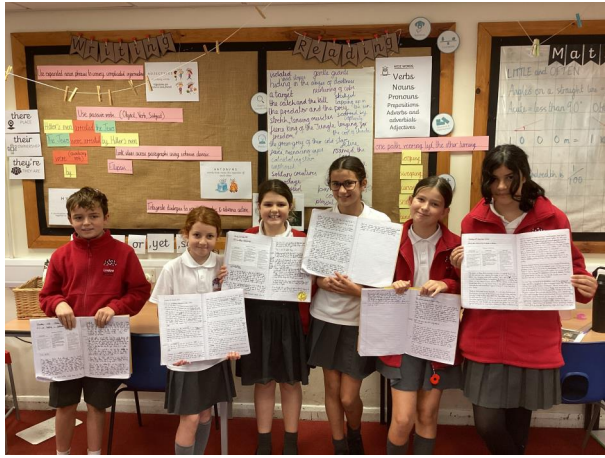
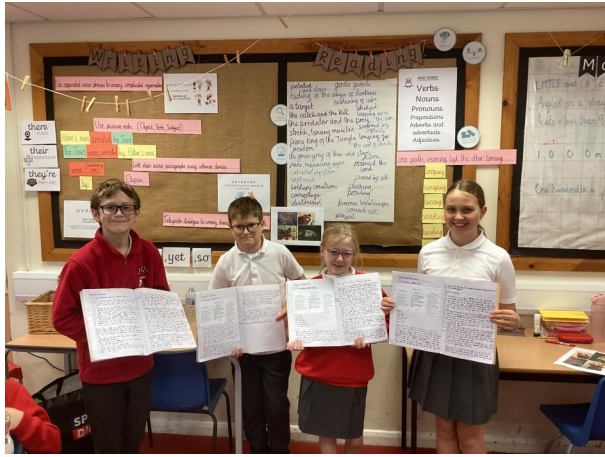
Isabelle Hume and Toby Jones,
Head boy and head girl.

Year 6 have been busy this week embracing their new topic of 'Endangered & Empowered' as we have begun to perform our focus poem, A tiger in the Zoo by Leslie Norris. We are working towards writing our own poems in English to perform to each other as we contrast the life of tigers out in the wilderness with the confines of captivity. Our D & T learning is also seeing us research endangered animals this half term as we prepare to design, make and build an 'Automata Animal' with moving parts using a cam mechanism. In Science, we are learning about classification systems to allow us to organise our understanding of families beyond their type as a vertebrate or invertebrate and thinking about the merits of different systems of classification of organisms through time. Our PSHE learning is thinking about our aspirations for the future, and we are certainly being inspired by our reading as we embrace non-fiction to learn more about the world around us and, this week, we have travelled to India in our reading to learn about its culture and its native species. In PE, we are working with Jack on Rugby and have also begun to think about the six components of fitness this week as we challenge ourselves to recognise our own strengths and consider what we can target to develop.

As the Year 6 teacher, it has been wonderful to welcome the children back this week after the half term break and see the children's great passion and enthusiasm for our new topic, their maturity in questioning and discussing their learning so articulately and, as a class, we look forward to marking Remembrance Day next week and have been busy selling poppies at break times to support the work of the Royal British Legion. We also will now approach this day with a deeper understanding of its significance through our recent learning about the war. In Music, we are learning all about war songs with Mrs Porteous, and the importance they had in boosting morale, as we continue to look at 'Conflict through time' in our History lessons.

The photos below are of Year 6 with their story writing, where they have retold the story of two best friends living in war-torn France in 1942. One little girl was Jewish and her best friend was not. The children have so respectfully shared their story as the war separated them apart.







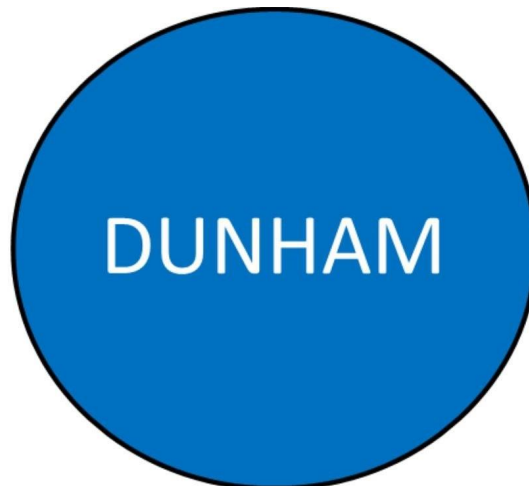
Dress Down Days

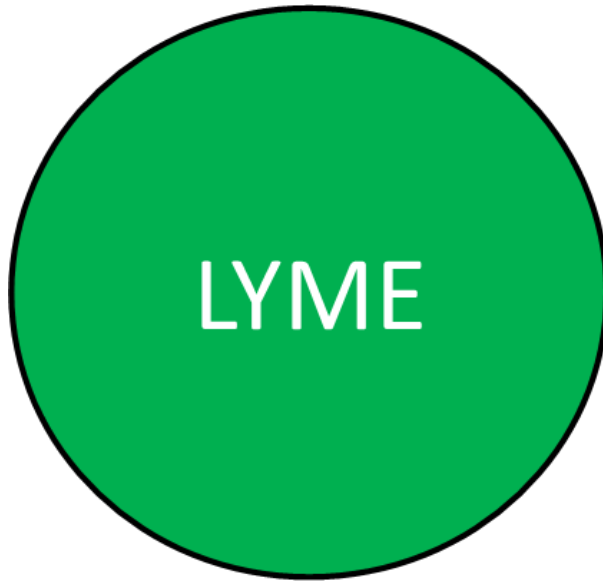
Thank You for Supporting Our PTA!

A huge thank you to all the parents and families who have kindly donated items for our PTA stall at the Wilmslow Bonfire. Your generosity and support make such a difference — helping us raise valuable funds for our school while bringing our community together.

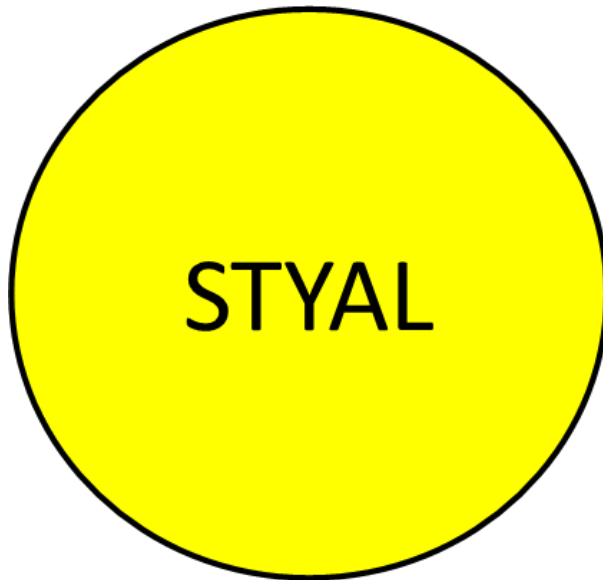
Mr Billington has weighed all of the sweets and the house who made the greatest contribution, and who therefore earned extra play today, was... Dunham House. Well done!

House Points





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Congratulations to this week's winner, Dunham!