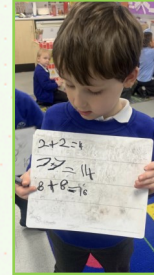
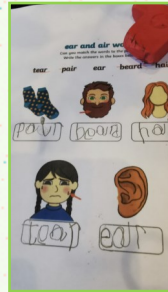
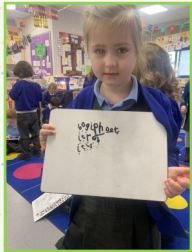


Wheat Aleph and Wheat Bet

This week, Reception have been learning all about the Jewish festival of Passover (or Pesach in Hebrew). We have had lots of exciting activities, from sequencing pictures of the story and writing sentences, in Literacy. We have made our own fantastic Seder plates ready for our Reception Seder, next week. The eggs in class have also hatched, and we now have lots of little chicks to look at and discuss. The children are looking after them well and handling them very carefully. They're very cute! In Maths we recapped our doubling skills and in Phonics we are now revisiting all of phase 2 and phase 3 sounds, because we have learnt them all. Another very busy and fun week!



Year 1

Barley Aleph and Barley Bet

This week we have been learning more about Passover and the preparation that goes into a Seder. We have written our own invitations and thought about what we would include to make our Seder meal and party extra special! In Maths, we have begun to explore measurement, introducing the year group to cm's. We have taken part in all kinds of wonderful practical Maths activities, including a measuring hunt challenge. In topic, we have continued our learning linked to plants, identifying the key differences of deciduous and evergreen trees. The children have blown us away with their beautiful observational drawings of different trees. A humongous well done to each and every child!



Grape Aleph and Grape Bet

Grape classes have had a very busy week learning all about the ness suffix in English, we have been writing recipes to make a Miss Trunchbull with ingredients such as a dash of selfishness or a pinch of angriness. In

Maths we have begun learning about fractions and have been finding halves and quarters. We have also been learning about Queen Victoria, why the Victorian period was named after her and watched some of the first ever filmed jubilee. We have also been learning about the rights that we have and how we can respect the rights of others and discussing how the law and rules in school help protect our rights.

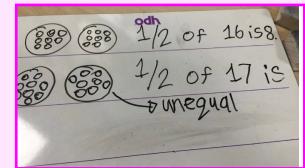
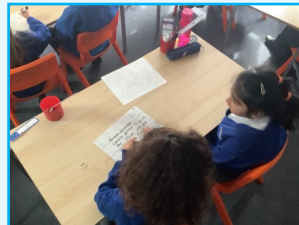
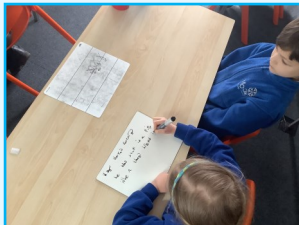


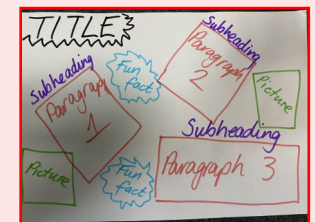
Fig Aleph

Fig Aleph have had an amazing week showing a great level of maturity at how quickly they have settled back into the routines of school. In English, we have started our next Big Write which involves writing a news report. We have been practising our interviewing skills and leaning the key features of a news report. In Maths, we are coming to the end of our topic on perimeter. In Geography, we have been learning about human settlements and what makes a product fair trade. In Music, we have been playing songs using the Boomwackers.



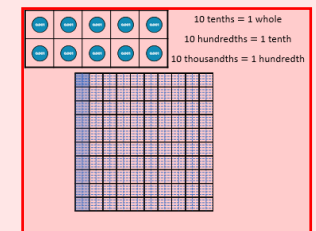
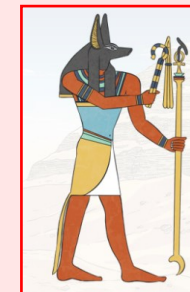
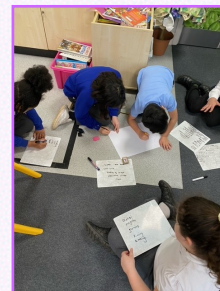
Olive Aleph

This week we have been working hard on decimals in Maths! We have been looking at how the idea of decimals link to fractions and have been using these skills to solve problems. In English, we have started to plan our information texts. When we have completed them, we will be creating a class book to explain all about Passover! In computing we are tackling some tricky coding to help us to create a new game with many moving pieces!! In Jewish Studies, we have been discussing the Modah Ani and making sure that we understand what we are saying every morning and why we say it. We have looked at some of the different Gods that the Ancient Egyptians worshipped, and we were looking for similarities and differences between their customs and those of Judaism. We've now learnt the word "monotheistic" too!



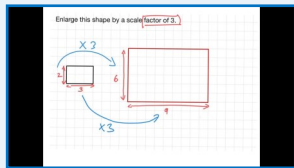
Pomegranate Aleph and Pomegranate Bet

This week in Pomegranate Aleph we used the IT suit to publish our brochures on Purple Mash. In Maths we used counters and number lines to work on our multiplication and division. During circle time we began a tree of life art work project where students started with the roots and ground of the picture representing people who have been influences in their lives and where they come from as well as what students' hobbies and daily activities are today. For Jewish Learning this week we designed our own Kosher electrical Hanukkah where students needed to use their knowledge of electrical circuits to develop their designs.



Date Aleph

This week, Year 6 have been reading more of 'Goodnight Mr Tom' and comparing the book with the film version! Some of us were surprised by the on-screen portrayals but others thought the characters were exactly as they had imagined. The best part was reading about Willie's party which we are going to retell through a picture diary at the end of the week! In History, we learnt all about a Jewish girl called Vera and her journey to Britain during WW2.. We learnt more about Kindertransport and had interesting discussions around her experiences in class. In Maths, we have been superstars with ratio and after some fun (and messy) scale investigations we were able to reason and discuss how we can use our skills to calculate scale enlargements.



Attendance

Wheat Aleph	95.11%
Wheat Bet	94.55%
Barley Aleph	100%
Barley Bet	93.26%
Grape Aleph	98.44%
Grape Bet	98.35%
Fig Aleph	85.62%
Pomegranate Aleph	95.88%
Pomegranate Bet	100%
Olive Aleph	95.39%
Date Aleph	93.02%
WHOLE SCHOOL	95.5%

Class Winners

Barley Aleph & Pomegranate Bet

House Winner

Yarok



Adom	91.67%
Kahol	97.14%
Tsahov	94.27%
Yarok	98.65%

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Key Stage One

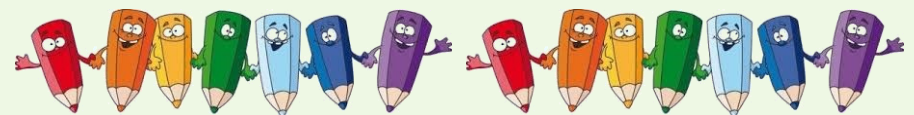
Elizabeth Stebbing in Barley Aleph for a stunning and skilfully drawn still life of sunflowers. Elizabeth has made close and careful observations on V. Gogh's Sunflowers to enable her to create a beautiful and harmonious flower composition. Well done!



Key Stage Two

Julia in Pomegranate Aleph for winning a Spring Time Art Competition in Lyle Care Home. Julia created a delightful and captivating spring scene capturing the lightness and playfulness of Spring.

The residents said they "felt a real sense of connection with the community from this" and we're honoured that our children had painted the pictures for them! Huge Congratulations to Julia! Mosaic is really proud of you!!!



Looking for working couples for research about the impact of Covid-19 impact in the Wandsworth and Richmond area!

Researchers from the University of Roehampton and University of Bath are investigating the experiences of working couples in Wandsworth and Richmond during Covid-19. They aim to study the immediate challenges faced and strategies developed by couples to respond to changes in their working and family lives.

They are looking for couples who are willing to be interviewed together via zoom or by phone. The interview will last between 60 and 90 min. Couples will be offered a compensation of £40 per couple for their time.

If you would like to participate in this study, please register here:

<https://workingcouplesresearch.wordpress.com/>

If you require more information, please get in touch with Dr. Mayra Ruiz-Castro at mayra.ruizcastro@roehampton.ac.uk.

The research project is funded by the 2020/21 Strategic Priorities Fund Programme (UK Research and Innovation)



Dear Parents and Carers,

On Tuesday, the Mosaic Eco Warriors had a wonderful time planting five fruit trees given to the school by the Tree Council as part of their Orchards for Schools programme. The children got stuck in learning about mulch, compost, and how to care for the young apple, pear, plum and cherry trees. The school will also be receiving some resources to help engage classes in the orchard project, which is an excellent way to connect kids with nature and give them hands-on experience growing food! We'd like to say a big thank you again to the families who sponsored the project by buying the pots for the trees - your children will shortly receive a lovely slate plaque to decorate with the name they've chosen for their sponsored tree or pot. More information on the Orchards for Schools project can be found here:

<https://treecouncil.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/School-Orchards.pdf>

Many thanks,
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