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Mersey Drive Newsletter
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Year 4 visit to the Greater Manchester Police Museum

Year 4 had an exciting opportunity to visit the Greater Manchester Police Museum just before we broke up for the May half term.

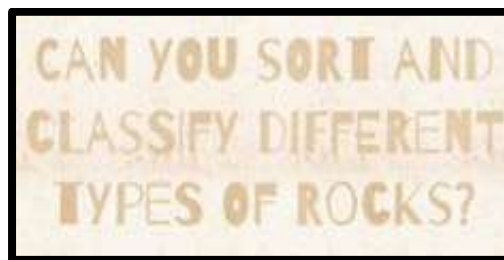
The children investigated the day to day life of the Peeler. They also explored everything from lunches to wages using the museum collection to learn about crime prevention and how it has changed.



Our Nursery and Reception children flew on flight 1AB Nigerian airlines all the way to Nigeria. The weather was hot and sunny and we danced to some amazing Nigerian music.

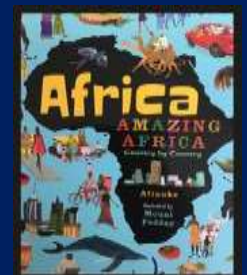


FLIGHT 1AB to Nigeria



'Amazing Africa'!

In the Hive, they have been looking at books, maps and globes, making masks and playing in our savannah tuff tray to introduce our new topic, 'Amazing Africa'!



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Rigby Bear	Awarded weekly to the class with best attendance	
Attendance	Last Week	This Week
Award	Here Everyday Ready On time	Here Everyday Ready On time
Winners	Year 4	Year 5
	Pupils who have been noticed for their excellent behaviour at lunchtimes	
	This Week	This Week
	FSU- Isra Y4- Zeinab	FSU- Avet Y4- Hope
	Y1- Leo Y5- Harriet	Y1- Paisley Y5- Kike
VIP's	Y2- Daisy Y6- Aaron	Y2- Brooke Y6- Olivia
	Y3- Jacob Hive- Gracie	Y3- Grayson Hive- Joseph
Pupils are awarded team points for aiming high and making good choices in school. Pupils can earn points for good work or behaviour, or to acknowledge outstanding effort or acts of kindness in school. On Thursday lunchtimes, Year 6 Team Captains are responsible for collecting points and then sharing the results in Friday's Celebration Assembly.		
Last week's winning team was BLUE with 587 points		
This week's winning team is BLUE with 514 points		
Uniform Reminder		
As we approach the end of this academic year we appreciate that some items of your child's uniform may no longer fit. We kindly ask you to make reasonable alternations to your child's uniform if needed, such as black PE pumps instead of school shoes. Any child not in all black shoes or trainers will be asked to change into school pumps. We appreciated your cooperation and support enforcing our uniform policy.		
Sun Protection		
Please ensure that your child comes to school with sun protection which is appropriate for the weather for that day. This could be applying sun cream before school as well as bringing a bottle of lotion to school, clearly labelled with your child's name. When buying lotion make sure that your child's skin is protected from harmful UVA and UVB rays by checking the cream is SPF 30 or above.		
End of Academic year		
Please ensure that all monies owing are paid and up-to-date by Friday 14th July . This includes dinner money, nursery fees and before and after school club. This includes any money due for week commencing Monday 17th July . Any outstanding arrears will be referred to Bury MBC for collection. Thank you in advance for your cooperation		
Summer Fair & Non- Uniform days		
Our summer fair will be held at school on Thursday, 6th July —a fantastic afternoon filled with fun and games. There'll be the usual tombola's as well as stalls where you will be able to purchase knick-knacks, gifts and homemade treats. In order for our Summer Fair to be a success, we need your help! We are also having two non-uniform days to support our rainbow tombola's at the Fair. The first non-uniform day will be on Friday, 23rd June where we ask for a contribution rainbow tombola. The second non-uniform day will be on Thursday, 29th June where we ask for a contribution of a bottle for our bottle tombola.		



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