



OUR ENRICHMENT TRIPS ARE BACK!

This week, Mr Doyle has rekindled our amazing enrichment trip offer, now that the weather has improved and Mrs Sainsbury has taken up her new role as Designated Safeguarding Lead (giving Mr Doyle more time to tackle other areas). Pupils have enjoyed a wellbeing walk in Sefton Park, where they met up with some friends from @llpartnership; a visit to Delamere Forest for our core values award winners and an exciting workshop at LFC. We are delighted to be in a position to provide these memorable learning experiences for our children. We're off to Speke Hall next week!

Year 5 Food is Art Club

Our Year 5 'food is art club' with Mrs Wright from our friends at Apple of my Eye proved to be a real hit again this week. In this extra-curricular club, children are tasked with making dishes inspired by famous artists. This week, Vincent Van Gogh was the order of the day! The children used Van Gogh's sunflowers as a theme for their focaccia bread designs! How delicious!

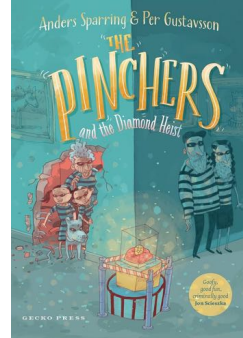
Putting Science on the map at Flo Melly!

Mr Mullin, our Science Lead, has recently enrolled us onto the Primary Science Quality Mark (PSQM) - an evidence-informed, professional development and school improvement programme with the aim of putting Science on the map at our school. This week, Mr Mullin, arranged and facilitated a trip to the Eureka Science and Discovery Centre for our pupils in the Nest and organised a STEM workshop for pupils in Year 5 to explore levers and making their own catapults! We have such a vibrant Science curriculum at our school. For more information, please visit our school website: <https://florencemelly.org/our-core-curriculum-%20offer/>. At Flo Melly, we are Scientists!

This Week's Book Recommendation...

This week's book recommendation is [The Pinchers and the Diamond Heist by Anders Sparring](#). In a family of thieves, Theo Pincher, is the only person who cannot lie. In fact, he hopes to become a police officer when he grows up, although he's not yet shared this ambition with his family. Theo's parents, Nic and Rob, are thrilled when they learn that the famous Gold Diamond is being exhibited that evening at the Royal Palace. Insisting they just want to look at the jewel, and definitely not touch it, the pair go to the exhibition, leaving Theo at home to look after his little sister Ellen where chaos ensues! This hilarious crime caper has it all: a dazzling diamond, sticks of dynamite, false beards and even a daring jailbreak. The short chapters feature plenty of colourful, quirky illustrations, which bring the eccentric characters to life.

Check out our newest feature - our Attendance Matters update!



IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

30/04/24

3M to visit Dewa Museum Chester

30/04/24

Blessed Sacrament Cross Country Race

02/05/24

Enrichment trip to Speke Hall

02/05/24

EYFS Closure for Elections

NEXT WEEK'S SCHOOL MENU



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast
Midday Meal
Afternoon Tea

Next week's dinner menu is 'Week 3'. For further details, please click on the menu above.

Attendance Matters at Florence Melly Community Primary School!





End of the Week Update for Parents/Carers - Friday 26th April 2024

Relationships, Health and Sex Education (RHSE) - Caring and Responsibility

Mr Leach has thoroughly enjoyed observing RHSE lessons across the school this week. Our whole school theme has been 'caring and responsibility' and children have explored progressive topics within this umbrella theme. In Year 3 pupils looked at empathy and putting themselves in other peoples' shoes. In Year 5, pupils explored isolation and loneliness and in Year 2 pupils identified people in the community who help them. Our RHSE lessons are a big part of our Cultural Capital Curriculum offer - and a vital way of teaching the children about the world beyond the classroom.



**SPOTLIGHT
ON
CURRICULUM**

Year group Curriculum Maps

If you missed them on Class Dojo last week, please find attached, links to our year group specific curriculum maps. These provide an overview of what your child will be learning about this half-term:

- [Nursery Curriculum Map](#)
- [Reception Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 1 Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 2 Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 3 Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 4 Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 5 Curriculum Map](#)
- [Year 6 Curriculum Map](#)

Clubmoor & Ellergreen Children's Centre/Family Hub

We are excited to share some wonderful news with you! The Clubmoor & Ellergreen Children's Centre/Family Hub Spring timetable is now live, offering a diverse range of services and activities for families in our community. We invite you to explore the document, which includes detailed information about their new services, workshops, playgroups, and support sessions: [Children's Centre/Family Hub Spring Timetable](#).

EYFS Closure for Election Day - Thursday 2nd May 2024

Unfortunately, on Thursday 2nd May 2024, local elections are taking place in Liverpool, and our Early Years setting is being used as a polling station. We have, as a result, taken the difficult decision to close our EYFS and 'Nest' provision for the day. That means that our nursery, reception and Nest children will not be able to attend school, on site, on that day. All other children can attend school on Thursday 2nd May! We are closing our EYFS because hundreds of members of the public will access the school site (on that day), using the nursery/reception entrance. This will cause issues with the drop off and pick up and issues with the security of this part of the site throughout the day. The safety of our children is our number one priority! We appreciate that this is not ideal and we apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Head over to our [Twitter](#) and [Flickr](#) feeds for more updates, news and photos!

