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A Message from Miss Smithson



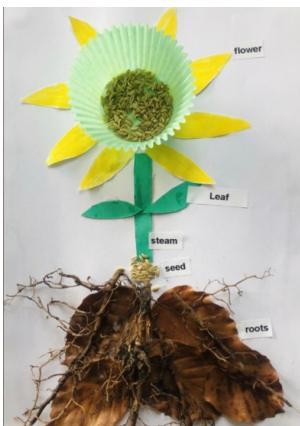
I have been blown away by all the excellent reading and phonics work all our children have been doing. We have awarded so many bronze, silver and gold certificates and wrist bands already this half term! Well done everyone and keep up the hard work!

Creative Kingfishers

Look at this gorgeous artwork created by Kingfishers this week!



Super science work by
Woodpeckers!



Ice Decorations

These ice decorations the children have made at home are gorgeous and are definitely brightening up their gardens!



Welcome to our new Parent Governor



Firstly, thank you to all of you who voted for me to become your parent governor. I thought it would be useful for you to know who I am and a bit about me.

I've lived in Skelton now for nearly 4 years with my husband and 5 year old daughter, Sophie. We moved to Skelton village as we wanted to live in a small community not too far from York and we felt Skelton offered us that and we've not been disappointed. In my professional life I work for a large Building Society, delivering marketing communications.

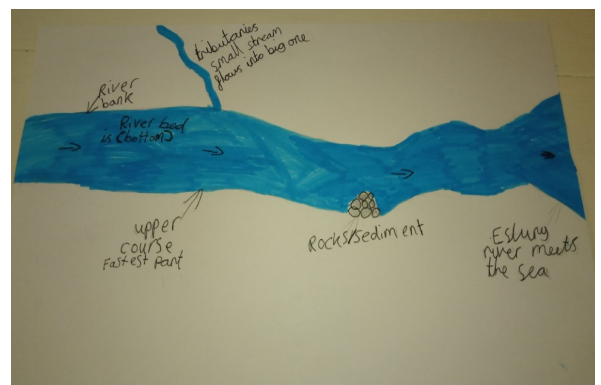
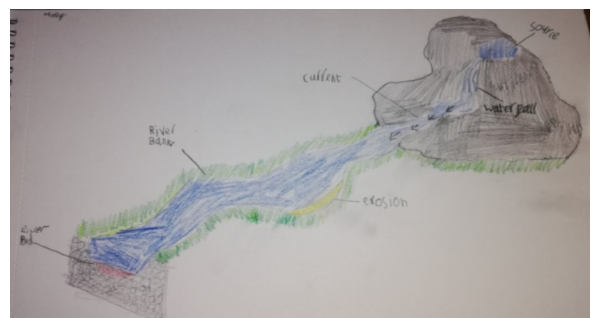
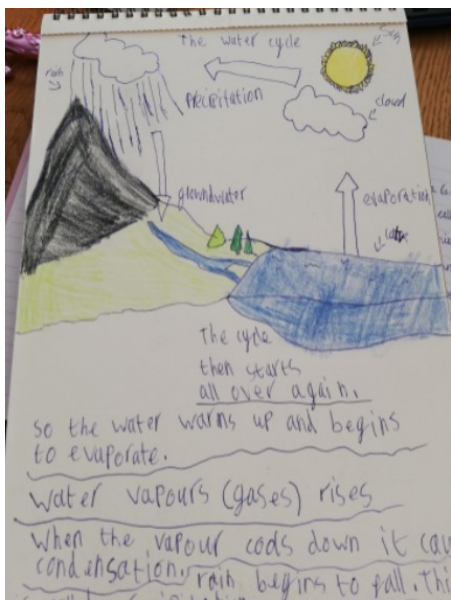
Outside of work, when we're not in lockdown, I like to spend time with friends and family, although a lot of my time is taken up taking Sophie to clubs and parties. When I do get time to myself though I like to go for a run; for those of you that live local you may have seen me in action.

Sophie has just started in reception at Skelton and my first impressions of the school are positive, it's a great school and the teachers are focused on the children's best interests. I know from conversations I've had so far, with some of you, you feel the same.

When I saw the opportunity to become a parent governor I didn't hesitate to apply and thanks again to those who voted for me. I'm looking forward to supporting the future of Skelton primary and hope to bring the things that matter to the attention of the governors to give our children the best start in life. Please contact me or stop me in school if you want talk to me about any concerns you have or information you would like me to share to the governors. My Governor email address is: n.terrett@bqp.hlt.academy.

Many thanks

Wonderful work by Owls who have been learning about rivers and the water cycle.

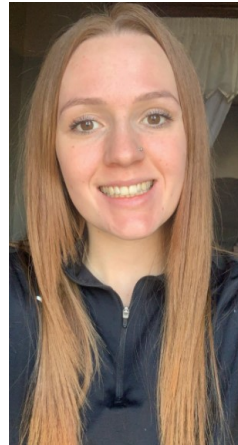


Safer Internet Day 2021

It is Safer Internet day on Tuesday 9th February. Teachers will be planning lessons around this year's theme 'An internet we trust: exploring reliability in the online world'

Information to support parents can be found at <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2021>

Meet Miss Bedda



Miss Bedda is joining us as a third year student teacher for her final placement. She will be working closely with Owls and Kingfishers this term.



Amazing Awards!



Well done to these superstars for receiving the home learner of the week certificates from their class teacher!



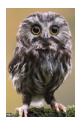
Look out for your certificates in the post.



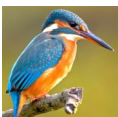
Sophie



Vega



Mirabelle and Molly



Emma

Fantastic phonics and reading!

