

Kingfisher Class Newsletter

Friday 27th February 2026



This week in Kingfisher Class...

English: We have been finding out about explanation texts and noticing how they are presented differently to stories. The children identified the features of an explanation text when they read one called 'How can we stay healthy?' We will link this to our Y2 Science topic and do our own research on how to stay healthy and write our own explanation text next week.

Maths: We started the week by comparing and measuring mass. The children enjoyed playing a game where they predicted how many cubes would be equal to the mass of their partner's 3d shape. We then looked at grams and kilograms and learnt that $1000\text{g}=1\text{kg}$. Towards the end of the week, we solved problems related to mass.

Computing: We have been exploring Digital Photography this week. We learnt how to take a good photo by working out when to take a portrait or a landscape photo, capturing our subject matter clearly and framing it in the view finder before capturing the image. Towards the end of the week, we looked at how lighting can affect the quality of a photo, how to avoid taking blurry images and how to spot real photos and ones that had been altered.

Notices and messages:

1. Please send your child to school with their reading book every day.
2. Thursday 5th March is World Book Day. We would like children to bring in a favourite book which they know really well and can talk to others about. Pupils can dress up as a book character if they wish to on the day.
3. Please send your child's wellies to school if you have not done so already. Pupils play on the field at lunchtimes when it is not too muddy, so it is essential that they have appropriate footwear for this.