



Pear Tree Primary School

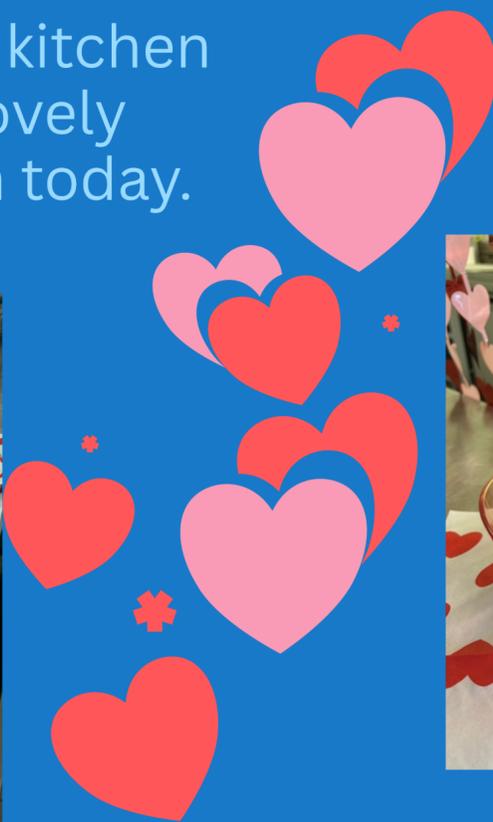
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What a great ending to the half term we have had! Our children have continued to make us proud through assemblies, representing the school at Young Voices and showcasing the Pear Tree values in everything they do.

It has been a fantastic half term and we have enjoyed welcoming families in to school to share learning - we look forward to continuing with this after the half term. In the meantime, we wish you a lovely week off and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 24th February.

Thank you to the kitchen staff for our lovely Valentine's lunch today.



Alfie from Violet Class is running a mile a day in February to raise money for his scout group.

He has completed every day so far and is planning on doing the rest with the help of his mum and brother.



If you would like to sponsor him, follow the link below.
<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/alfie-boaz>

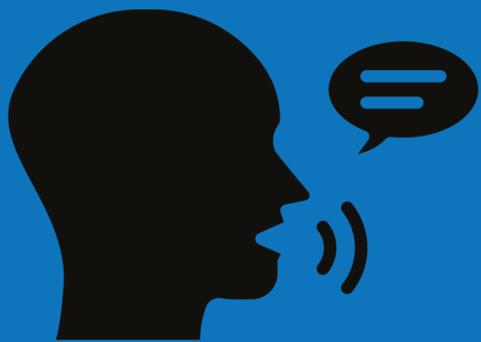


Red Class

This week we have had lots of fun learning about Chinese new year.

A huge thank you to Zoe's family for bringing in some traditional Chinese outfits for us to look at.





Green Class

This week Green Class have been learning how to develop their speaking and listening skills by learning about Oracy.

They have also played a listening game and had to remember the things their group had bought 'at the market'. The class have been using their gestures to show that they would like to instigate an idea and are trying hard to speak in full sentences using key vocabulary. They are particularly enjoying 'nesting' their ideas.



This week, the children have been investigating how shadows change the nearer an object is to the light source. They had fun measuring the size of the shadow each time they moved their toys closer to their torches.



Green Class have been learning the more advanced features of spreadsheets within Purple Mash. They set up their own 'pet votes' sheet, learned how to add extra sheets and how to merge cells.

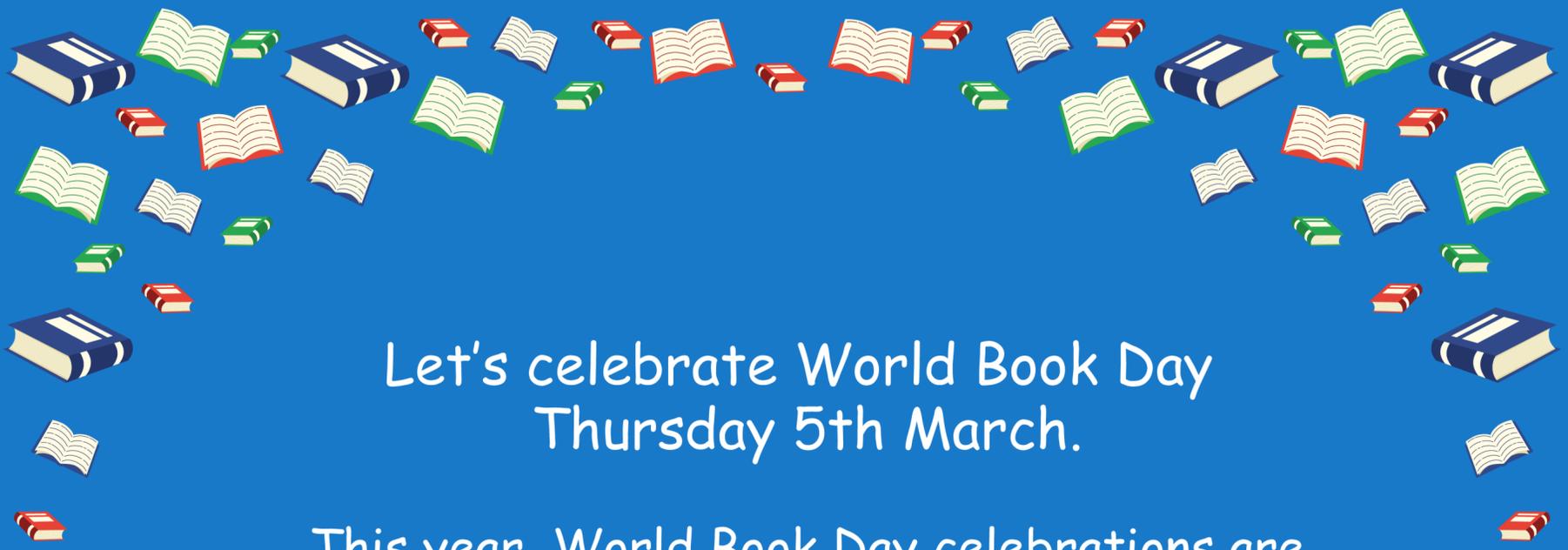


Blue Class

Blue class have been working on their oracy and drama - reciting and acting out The Jabberwocky poem by Lewis Carroll.

They had fun interpreting the nonsense words in their own imaginative ways.





Let's celebrate World Book Day Thursday 5th March.

This year, World Book Day celebrations are inviting everyone to Go All In! 2026 is the National year of reading and as a school we are celebrating reading in a variety of ways across the year. March is all about World Book Day.

This week, your child has brought home a World Book Day Token. This can be exchanged for one of the free books or £1 off another book. These are valid at bookstores from 12th February until 15th March.

At Pear Tree, we are celebrating World Book Day by 'Going All In' with one of our school values- Aspiration! Inspired by the people depicted in the, 'Little People, Big Dreams' series on Thursday 5th March, pupils can dress:

- Thinking ahead of a future career
- Someone they look up to/aspire to be like.
- Bring something symbolic (a hat, tool, badge, notebook) representing a job they dream about.

We are looking forward to seeing who inspires our Pears!





Young Voices - What a night!

We are so proud of our choir who attended the Young Voices Concert at the Co-Op Live Arena in Manchester.

Over 8000 children attended to collectively sing a selection of songs that we have spent lots of hours practising.

We had a very busy day of rehearsals followed by an amazing performance for a full arena!

It was a very special night with lots of lovely memories made. The quote of the evening was "It feels like a dream. I wish we could do this every day and lots of other children can join in".

Well done, pears - we are so proud of you!





RAISE FUNDS BY COLLECTING REUSABLE CLOTHES

JOIN THE PROJECT
TO ENTER

PTA - Bag
Collection
day 3rd
March

ITEMS THAT CAN GO IN THE BAGS

- 1 ADULT'S CLOTHES AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHES
- 2 PAIRED SHOES AND FOOTWEAR
- 1 SOFT TOYS AND UNWANTED GIFTS
- 1 BATH AND HAND TOWELS
- 1 BELTS AND HANDBAGS
- 1 JEWELLERY AND ACCESSORIES
- 1 BEDDING AND HOUSEHOLD LINEN

PLEASE USE THE CLOTHING BAG PROVIDED.
YOU CAN ALSO USE ANY ADDITIONAL BAG IF REQUIRED.

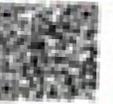
ITEMS THAT CAN'T GO IN THE BAGS

- 1 SCHOOL UNIFORM
- 2 SCHOOL SPORTS KIT
- 1 CURTAINS, FOLLOWS OR DWETS
- 1 BRIC-A-BRAC
- 1 BOOKS

IF YOU ARE UNSURE WHAT TO PUT IN THE BAGS

STOP AND THINK
WOULD YOU WEAR IT ?

To learn more about the Sammy's project
and good causes he does, please go to
www.donateclothes4sammy.org



SAMMY COLLECTION PACK



It launched by **Leukemia Myeloma Research**
www.leukemiaresearch.org.au



Children's Sleep Awareness Month

1st - 28th February 2026

In partnership with YouHQ, this years' theme is 'Teach Sleep' with a focus on schools and sleep. Together, we want to empower teachers, school leaders, pupils and their parents with practical tools to build healthier sleep habits.

[Download 2026 Supporter's Pack](#)



LUNCH

Week commencing: 24.02.26

WEEK 2 MENU

ALLERGIES

Please make us aware if your child has an allergy, so we can cater to their needs and requirements.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN ONE	Freshly Baked Pizza	Chicken Sausage & Mash	Roast Chicken & Yorkshire Pudding	 <p>See Menu below</p>	Fish & Chips
MAIN TWO	Veggie Hot Dog	Allotment Frittata	Roast Vegan Fillet		Crispy Quorn Wrap
THE VEGETABLE PATCH	Steamed Broccoli Potato Wedges	Garden Peas Mashed Potato	Steamed Carrots & Peas Roast Potatoes		Baked Beans or Peas Oven Baked Chips
PASTA & JACKET POTATO BAR	Jacket Potato Tuna Mayo Cheese Beans	Pasta & Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato Tuna Mayo Cheese Beans		Jacket potato Tuna Mayo Cheese Beans
GREENHOUSE GREENS	Daily selection of salads, Tomato, Cucumber & Carrot along with Freshly Baked Bread				
	Egg Mayo Ham	Cheese Ham	Tuna Cheese	Egg Ham	Tuna Cheese
SWEET TREATS	A daily selection of tasty desserts including Home Bakes, Jellies & Mousses				

AVAILABLE DAILY:

Selection Of Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Chinese New Year

Thursday 26th February
Special Menu

Crispy Chicken with Sweet & Sour Sauce,
Egg Fried Rice

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Vegetable Noodles

-
Vegetable Spring Rolls

-
Ham or Egg Sandwiches

-
Ice Cream/Fruit/Yoghurt

£3.00



IMPORTANT DATES



23.02.26 - INSET Day

24.02.26 - Yellow Class Swimming

24.02.26 - World Thinking Day

26.02.26 - Yellow Class Assembly - 9.15am

03.03.26 - Parents Evening - Face to face - 3.30pm-7pm

03.03.26 - PTA Charity Clothes bag collection

04.03.26 - Parents Evening - Online - 3.30pm - 6pm

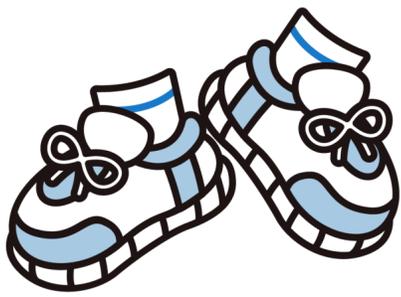
05.03.26 - World Book Day

09.03.26 - Rock Steady Concert - 10am

12.03.26 - Green Class Assembly - 9.15am

16.03.26 - Green Class Chester Trip

19.03.26 - Indigo Class New Vic



PE Days



Class	PE Days
Red Class	Friday
Orange Class	Monday & Wednesday
Yellow Class	Thursday
Green Class	Wednesday & Friday
Blue Class	Tuesday & Friday
Indigo Class	Monday & Thursday
Violet Class	Monday & Thursday