

# Britannia Community Primary School 22nd April - Summer Term

#### STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception - Archie

Year 1 - Imogen

Year 2 - Finley

Year 3 - Ben W

Year 4 - Ismael

Year 5 - Alex & Parker

Year 6 - Robyn

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#### Dear Parents & Guardians

Welcome back after the Easter holidays. I hope you all had a lovely break and managed to take advantage of the sunshine in the second week. The children have returned to school ready to learn in the final term of the year. How quickly this year has flown by!

#### **Reminders**

Please ensure that children have the correct uniform and footwear during this term. Trainers should not be worn with school uniform and only on PE days.

Long hair should also be tied back as it is a health and safety risk when children are playing out and in PE lessons.

#### **Exciting News**

Britannia will be trialling a new approach to homework for Years 3 to 6 which uses a learning platform called Century-Tech. We will be holding two webinars on **Thursday 27**<sup>th</sup> **April** at **2.00 p.m**. and **6.00 p.m**. to introduce this to parents. The webinars will provide information to you about how you can support your child. Please check the letter sent out earlier this week for further details.

Mrs Longstaff

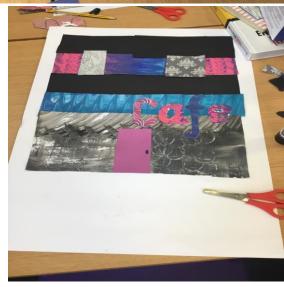
### Year 6 Art Workshop

Our Year 6 class took part in an Art Workshop as part of The Valley Heritage Programme. The work will be displayed in The Yorkshire Bank in Bacup.

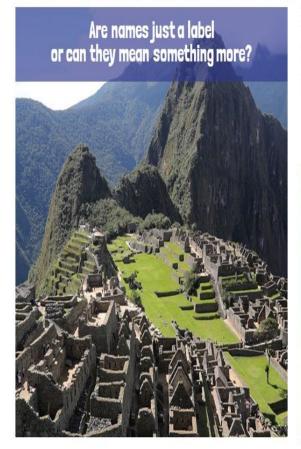












## In the news this week

Machu Picchu in Peru, South America, is believed to be one of the world's best-known archaeological sites, attracting > How important do you think names are? hundreds of thousands of visitors a year, but according to a new study, it has been called the wrong name for more than 100 years. The research says that the site was actually known by its Inca inhabitants as Picchu, or Huayna Picchu.

#### Things to talk about at home ...

- Do you know anyone who has changed their name?
- Do you think you should be allowed to choose your own name? Have you ever been known by another name or nickname?
- Do you think the name of Machu Picchu should be changed to what it was originally called?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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#### **Clubs Next Term**

Wednesday – Young Voices Club, Football Club, Abigail's Trails

Thursday – Lunchtime Choir, Newspaper Club



**Dates for The Diary** 

29<sup>th</sup> May - Gold Book Assembly

2<sup>nd</sup> May - May Day – School closed

4<sup>th</sup> May - Reception Pet Day

5<sup>th</sup> May - Inset Day – School closed

6<sup>th</sup> May - Zoolab Visit – Reception/Year 5

9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> May - SATs Week

23<sup>rd</sup> May - PTFA Meeting – 9.00 a.m.

24<sup>th</sup> May - Welcome Meeting – New Reception Children

26<sup>th</sup> May - Young Voices

27<sup>th</sup> May - PTFA Non-Uniform Day – Chocolate





Well done to Year 3 who were who are our attendance winners again this week!

Reception - 95.5%

Year 1 - 97.3%

Year 2 - 96%

Year 3 - 98.7%

Year 4 - 94.1%

Year 5 - 98.1%

Year 6 - 93.7%

(LCC target attendance is 97%)