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Tuesday 18th March 2025

LIVE LEARN FLOURISH – be the best you can be!

-  William for great patience and attention to detail in art (ink painting).
-  Rudi for settling in so well with us at Uley School.
-  Elden for expanding his reading repertoire.
-  Beaux for settling so well in to life at Uley and Class 3.
-  April for her use of imperative verbs and positional language.
-  Sophia for finding missing values in perimeters.
-  Penny for great direction writing independently and good use of imperative verbs and positional language.
-  Jack P for his fantastic explanation of earthquakes.
-  Mae for her thoughtful contributions to our classroom Shema.
-  Bethany for supporting another child in class and helping them to be successful.
-  Kayla for always being a kind and helpful friend.
-  Wilf for being a super friend to Rudi in his first 2 weeks at Uley.
-  Ellodie for fairness in group work and sharing idea in maths.
-  Immy for showing compassion and being helpful by helping Mrs Harbin tidy up after art.
-  Oliver (Class 1) for always making sure games are fair when it is choosing time.
-  Monty for showing respect in RE – the 5 Pillars of Islam and writing in Arabic.
-  Jowan for helping with computing and supporting another child.

They are like trees that grow beside a stream that bear fruit at the right time and whose leaves do not dry up. They succeed in all they do. Psalm 1:3

RED NOSE DAY – Friday 21st March

Comic Relief (Red Nose Day) is on Friday 21st March. Join in the day by donating no less than £1 and wearing non-uniform. Don't forget your red noses! We will be spending some time with our buddies.

To make a donation towards this worthy cause, please donate here:

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=17920>

[Comic Relief - Nose Need to Panic](#)



Easter Egg-stravaganza

This year, as part of our Easter egg-stravaganza, we are inviting the children to decorate an egg to display in the hall during our homework share! The decoration could take any form and the children can use any other materials to help them create their egg-citing masterpieces (no yolk, but please could you hard-boil the eggs, in case of any egg-cidents!). Please see the pictures below for inspir-egg-tion.



If your child does create an egg (which is, of course, a fun, *voluntary* activity), they need to bring them in to school on Tuesday 1st April (we're not yolking), and we shall get them set up ready for the homework share on the 2nd.

We are all looking forward to seeing the children's egg-cellent creations!

The Uley Team

Jump Start Jonny

WHOOOA! We will be having a visit from the marvellous Jump Start Jonny on the morning of **Monday 31st March 2025**. The children will need to wear their PE kits to school on the day.

In the meantime, you can get practising at home!

www.jumpstartjonny.co.uk/visit-videos

Fun Club

We welcome Miss Alexandra Meulbrouck as Uley Fun Club Lead. If you haven't done so already, please come and say hello.

Don't forget, we are extending our Fun Club hours until **6pm** from Monday 24th March!

My Happy Mind

We are extremely excited to invite you to the launch of our new scheme 'My Happy Mind' on **Wednesday 2nd April at 9.30 am** (straight after homework share.).

[myHappyMind - Empowering Children's Mental Health & Wellbeing](#)

My Happy Mind is a new initiative we have launched this year in order to help our children build resilience and understand how our brains work- hopefully they have been talking about this already at home!

We have some exciting resources and videos to share with you so please come along on the 2nd of April to find out more.

Please also find attached a letter from My Happy Mind with information on downloading the parent app.

Many thanks,
Miss Davies

Parent Consultation

We appreciate your views at Uley Primary School, therefore a parent consultation has been sent out via email. Please take some time to respond.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind families that we always encourage parents to come and speak to us should you:

- like an update on your child's progress other than Parent's Evenings
- like more information on how to support your child at home
- like to celebrate your child's achievements in and out of school
- have a worry
- have any questions about your child's education
- need clarification/reminders on information

In order for us to ensure that the children flourish at Uley School, we have a policy which strongly encourages good communication and open conversations on any aspect of school life.

Our Compliments and Complaints Policy can also be found on the school website.

Internet Matters - Making Online Viewing Safer for Children

There is so much amazing content online for children and young people, but as we all know, some of that content isn't suitable for younger eyes and ears. The most serious and concerning content is being viewed and consumed outside of school, often in the child's bedroom. It is vital that parents and carers know there is plenty of help and support available to them, including from organisations such as Internet Matters who have a fantastic advice guide to make online viewing safer for children.

Within this guide there is advice on filters and parental controls, advice about watching and browsing together, screen time and more.

[Making online viewing safer for children - Internet Matters](#)

SNACK SHOP

The next CHIP Snack Shop will be Thursday 10th April.

We are planning to sell toast (20p per piece) with a topping of butter and / or jam. We are currently thinking about a savoury topping if we can.



Dates for your Diary

Friday 21st March – Red Nose Day

Monday 24th March – Fun Club hours extended until 6pm

Wednesday 26th March – Class 3 Live learn Flourish Worship, 9.10am – come and join us

Sunday 30th March – Mothering Sunday

Monday 31st March – Homework due in

Monday 31st March – JUMP START JONNY!! WHOOPA!!

Wednesday 2nd April – Homework Share 9-9.30am, egg-travaganza followed by My Happy Mind parent information session.

Thursday 10th April – CHIP Snack Shop

Friday 11th April – Easter Service at St Giles, 1.30pm

Friday 11th April – End of Term 4

Monday 28th April – Start of Term 5

Term dates can be found on the school website

Reception

The Reception children have been looking at toys from long ago and have made their own dolls from wooden pegs, scrap material and buttons. I think we have some future fashion designers amongst us!



Class 2

Year 2 are focussing hard on their 99 Club challenge. We had five minutes to complete our calculations. We are all being the best we can be and at our own pace. We are working on our 2s, 5s or 10s multiplication tables.



Class 3

Class 3 have been busy creating their own Pillars of Islam as part of our impact lesson in RE. We had a great time learning about the five different areas. Thanks for the toilet rolls!



Class 4

Class 4 have been looking at different ways to separate mixtures. This week we worked on filtration. We created the muckiest mixtures that we could, then used filter paper in a funnel to separate the mud, leaves, grass and other solids from the liquid water. We could then compare our before and after photos!

