



Audrey (Year 4) has written a beautiful poem about rivers, which we have **attached** for you to read.

SUBJECT OF THE WEEK - GEOGRAPHY



In Nursery, we have been looking at an aerial view of the school on Google maps and naming the features and places we can recognise. We have talked about what human and physical features are and then Read 'Percy and the Bumpy Ride', where Percy's new lawn mower takes off and he and the animals get to view the park and surrounding area from above. The children looked at the view in the book and talked about what features they could see and they worked together to create their own aerial map.

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WEDNESDAY 18TH DECEMBER *DATE CHANGE*

Dress up for Christmas Day – children are welcome to attend school wearing something with a Christmas theme; for example, a Christmas jumper, t-shirt, hairband or socks.

Parents must place their orders for the School Christmas Lunch by **1:00pm on Thursday, 12th December**, using their Accent login details, as it will be the only Accent lunch option available that day. Any lunches previously ordered for 18th December will be cancelled, and the Christmas lunch will need to be booked instead. If your child does not wish to have the Christmas lunch, please provide them with a packed lunch. The Blue Runner system will reflect the updated menu accordingly, and a copy of the Christmas lunch menu is **attached**.

SMART SCHOOL COUNCIL



This week, the Smart School Council have been given the big responsibility of organising our brilliant new playground equipment. We discussed how the equipment should be stored, why we need a rota for who is using it and the purpose of year group monitors. The Smart School Council are all very excited to share our discussions in class on Monday.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Once again, the Scholastic Book Fair will be visiting Ewell Grove. The fair will be open from 3:15pm – 3:45pm in the **Studio (KS2 building)** from **Tuesday 26th to Friday 29th November** for children, parents and carers to browse and buy books. There will be a fantastic range of books available, perfect for Christmas treats. All purchases help earn free books for our school so we look forward to seeing you there! All payments to be made via the QR code provided.

BIKEABILITY



Over the past week, some of our Year 6 children have taken part in Bikeability, run by Surrey County Council.

FRIENDS OF EWELL GROVE EVENTS

Friday 22 nd November 7:30pm	Book Club When the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens
Monday 25 th November to Friday 6 th December	Santa's Post Boxes open
Friday 29 th November 8:00pm – 10:00pm	Wreath Making Class
Saturday 30 th November	Doughies order deadline
Sunday 1 st December	Take-Home Wreath-Making Kit Deadline
Wednesday 4 th December	Non-Uniform Day for bottle / chocolate donations
Friday 6 th December 3:15pm	Doughies and Take-Home Wreath-Making Kit collection
Friday 13 th December 4:00pm – 6:00pm	Christmas Fair, Raffle and Christmas Grotto
Thursday 19 th December 7:45pm	FOEG Social Meeting The Spring Tavern

CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Christmas Performances will take place in the **School Hall starting at 9:15am.**

Nursery	Monday 9 th December
Reception	Wednesday 11 th December
Year 1	Tuesday 10 th December
Year 2	Thursday 12 th December
Year 3	Friday 6 th December
Year 5	Thursday 5 th December

Two family members for each child are invited to attend (no children on laps). There is no need to book tickets / seats but numbers will be checked at the entrance.

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