



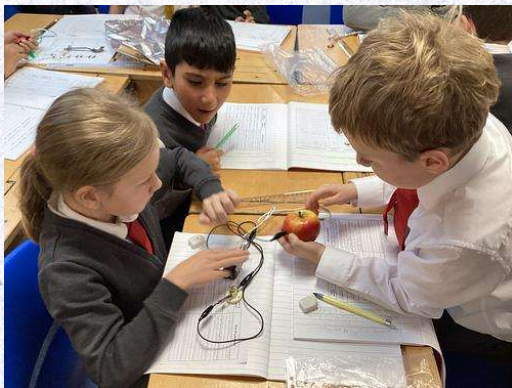
# THE POCHIN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



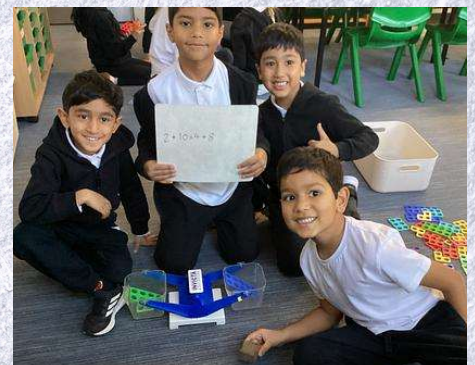
It has been another busy month and the children have been doing some fantastic work in their classes! Take a look at what we 've been up to . . .



Class 1 and 2 had a visit from the Teddy Bear Hospital! The children listened to heartbeats with stethoscopes, learned about inhalers to help breathing and looked at the different bones in the body!

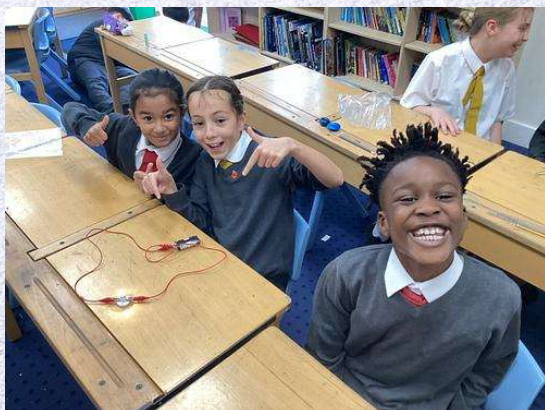


The children in Class 2 have been working with manipulatives in Maths on Mondays! The children are experts now at using number lines, part whole models and even scales to help us with our addition and subtraction!



The children in Class 3 and 4 have been getting to grips with Electricity in their Science lessons.

They have been testing electrical conductors and insulators.



The children in Class 5 have been investigating light and shadows in their Science lessons!





## BIKE-ABILITY!

Year 6 took part in Bike-ability as part of our commitment to keeping children safe.

Bike-ability is the government's national cycle training programme. It helps riders learn practical skills and to understand how to cycle on today's roads. Bike-ability gives everyone the confidence to cycle and enjoy this skill for life.



## DRUMMING SHOWCASE!



The children and DCP Drums provided the parents with a drumming showcase to share their talents!

## HAPPY LUNCHTIMES

We have launched a new initiative during lunchtimes called 'Happy Lunchtimes'. The children are absolutely loving dancing amongst other activities!



## ACHIEVEMENTS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

After many months of hard work, Aarav was selected for the Leicestershire County Chess U9 team - the youngest ever player to play for the County (aged 6) and not only did he participate, he won 3 games!





# Upcoming Important Dates

## DECEMBER



1ST DECORATIONS DAY

4TH STIRRING THE PUDDING

1ST - 11TH ENTERPRISE WEEK

10TH Y6 WARNING ZONE

### 11TH KS1 NATIVITY

PERFORMANCES AT 1:30 P.M. & 5:00 P.M.

TICKET ONLY

### 12TH FESTIVE MARKET & CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

THIS YEAR OUR MARKET WILL BE HELD AT ROOTS FARM SHOP.



15TH CINDERELLA PANTO AT LOUGHBOROUGH TOWN HALL

17TH CHRISTMAS DINNER

18TH CHRISTMAS SERVICE AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH



## JANUARY

5TH INSET DAY

6TH - 16TH SWIMMING LESSONS (SEE EMAIL)

15TH YOUNG VOICES

15TH - 21ST ENERGY SAVING WEEK

19TH FUTURE MEDICS ASSEMBLY

27TH HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY



**WE WILL ALSO HAVE SOME FURTHER EVENTS FOR THE  
Y5/6 FOOTBALL LEAGUE - WATCH THIS SPACE!**