

# ISLEHAM WEEKLY NEWS



Week commencing: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021

## BUSY IN LOCKDOWN

Look at the fantastic water-themed art work created last week by some of our Year 5 children in response to their study of the Japanese artist Hokusai.



Year 1 have also been so busy- see overleaf.

They have been learning about the artist Paul Klee and the book 'Funny Bones'. They have created artwork inspired by both and have written a new section for the Funny Bones story.



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Paul Klee



Hazel



Ernie



Abi



Koby



Imogen

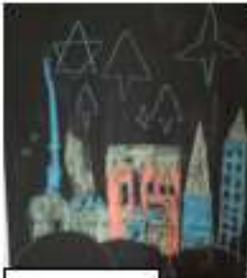
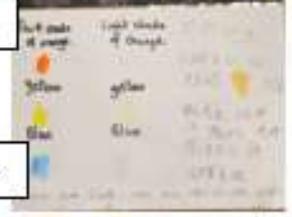


Leo



Eloise C

Fern



Percy



Eloise R



Joss



Rosie



Sidney



Olivia



Elio



Lewis



Tom



Felix



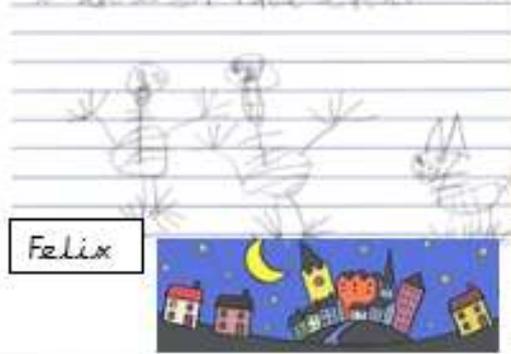
YEAR 1 FUNNY BONES WRITING

The next day the big skeleton and the small skeleton went to the fun fair. The big skeleton was a bit scared. They hid behind the fairground and jumped out and frightened each other. They hid outside of a tent and jumped out and frightened each other. The little skeleton said the big skeleton. They had lots of fun and they were home. The end.

Ernie



The next day the big skeleton and the little skeleton went to the fair. They were a bit scared. The big skeleton hid behind the fairground and jumped out and frightened the little skeleton. The big skeleton is a bit scared and said BOO! and frightened the little skeleton. The end.



Felix

The next day the big skeleton and the little skeleton went to the fair. They were a bit scared. The big skeleton hid behind the fairground and jumped out and frightened the little skeleton. The big skeleton is a bit scared and said BOO! and frightened the little skeleton. The end.

Imogen

The next day the big skeleton and the small skeleton went to the farm. They saw sheep, pigs and a cow. They hid behind the pig sty to frighten the pig. BOO! Then they walked past the tractor to go home. Nowy the end.



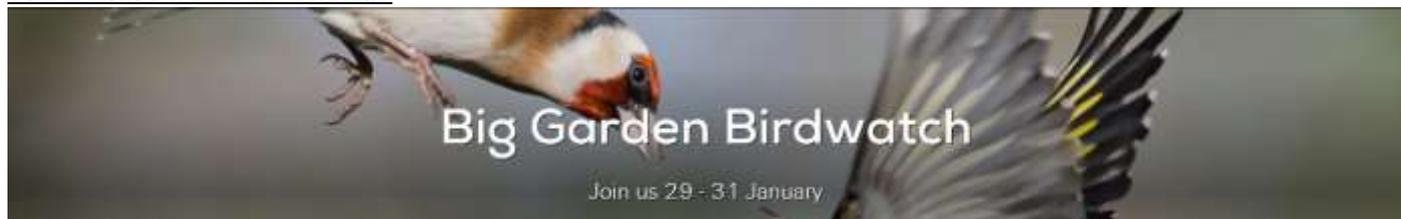
Olivia



## LOCAL WINDOW COMMUNITY PROJECT

It was great to see your space pictures last week... This week's window theme links the 'RSPB Big Garden Bird Watch'. We look forward to seeing your bird-related art work.

## RSPB BIG GARDEN BIRDWATCH



If any families are interested in signing up for the RSPB Birdwatch between the 29<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January, please find the link here:- <https://www.rspb.org.uk/get-involved/activities/birdwatch/>



**Brighten the winter with some colourful window pictures so we can play eye-spy over the next few weeks!**

**W/c 18<sup>th</sup> Jan – Space**

CBeebies Space Week

**W/c 25<sup>th</sup> Jan – Birds**

29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2021 – RSPB Big Garden Bird Watch

**W/c 1<sup>st</sup> Feb – Story Characters**

30<sup>th</sup> Jan-6<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 – National Storytelling Week

**W/c 8<sup>th</sup> Feb – Dragons & Lanterns**

12<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 – Chinese New Year

**W/c 15<sup>th</sup> Feb – Superheroes**

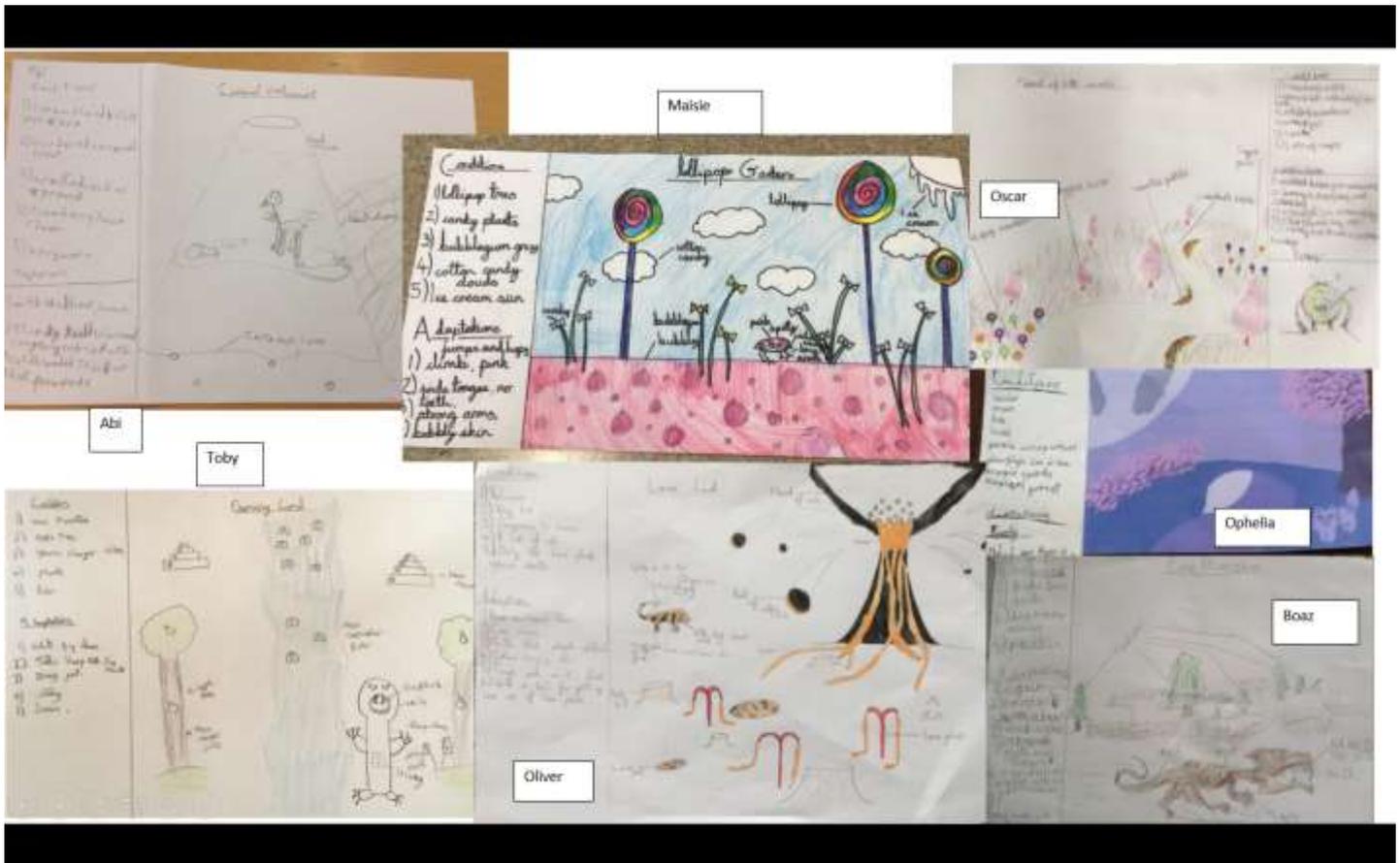
Like all the home schooling parents that got to half-term!



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## YEAR SCIENCE (ADAPTATIONS)

Year 6 designed their own creatures that have adapted to an environment! Here is some of their great work too.



## ASSEMBLIES & MUSIC THIS WEEK

This week we will be finding out about the new President of America- Joe Biden and considering what makes a good leader. On Wednesday, we will be thinking about National Holocaust Memorial Day- linking this to the story of Paddington Bear.



It was so lovely to include Sonny and Max's prayers last week- please keep sending in your prayers if you would like them included in one of our online assemblies



### Possible format for prayers:-

Dear God,  
Thank you for...  
Help us to...  
Please look after ...  
Amen

### SCHOOL MENU THIS WEEK

This week, we will once again only be able to offer cheese roll 'grab & go' to those in school. Our hot meal menu recommences next week.



### TERM DATES- SPRING 2021- THIS ACADEMIC YEAR

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March

Half term- week of the 15<sup>th</sup> February

Professional Development day for staff- school closed to ALL pupils- 22<sup>nd</sup> February

Please note that in light of the ongoing lockdown, we have removed the proposed dates for telephone parent consultations directly after half term as teachers are in regular dialogue with parents via ClassDojo. Please get in touch with the school if you would like to book a conversation with your child's class teacher.

### Feedback reports

A pupil report for each child will however be prepared and shared with parents this term, feeding back data from assessments at the end of the autumn term and priority targets for learning this term.

### MATHS PUZZLES LOCKDOWN GOOD NEWS



The 'Maths Education Innovation' group's Sumaze puzzle apps - designed to help children with number skills - are now free.

Visit <https://sumaze.mei.org.uk/> for more information.

Although 'Sumaze! Primary' is aimed at Key Stage 1 pupils, some of the apps are aimed at much older pupils, and our capable Upper Key Stage 2 children may like the 'Sumaze! Adventure' app.



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