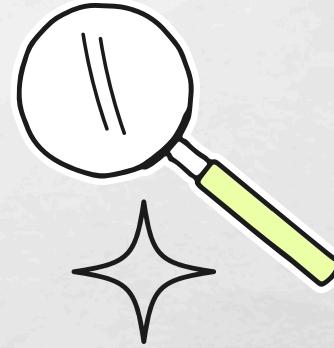
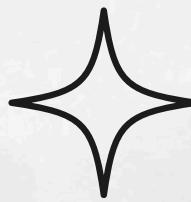


WOODPECKER NEWS



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ONLINE SAFETY

We are seeing an increasing number of incidents which arise as a result of children's online usage. We are here to support you in keeping your child safe online and can assist with adding parental controls and restrictions to the devices your children use.

Children are frequently playing games such as Roblox where they can be invited to play and chat with strangers. Please ensure you are checking all devices which are used by your child and supervise them in a communal space in your home. **The greatest danger to your child is unsupervised online access.**

It is important that we work together to set healthy boundaries and keep children safe.



PIANO DONATION

A few weeks ago, London Luthier Academy & Coffee Shop (located opposite Woodpecker Hall on Mottingham Road) kindly donated a restored piano to the school. It was manufactured by the London company 'Berry' and is believed to date back to the 1930s!

Mr Merritt-Hall has already had a play on it and can confirm it is in great working order and sounds beautiful. Thanks to London Luthier for this kind donation.



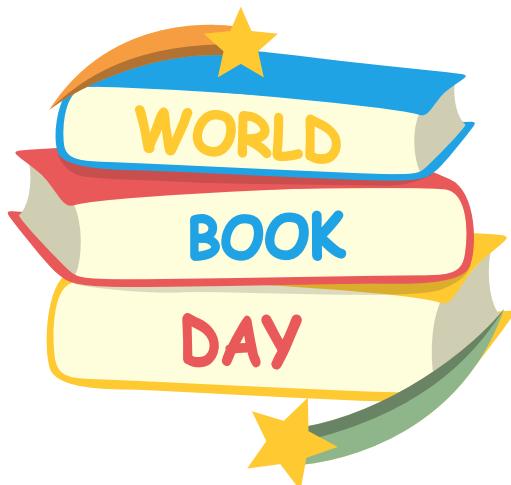
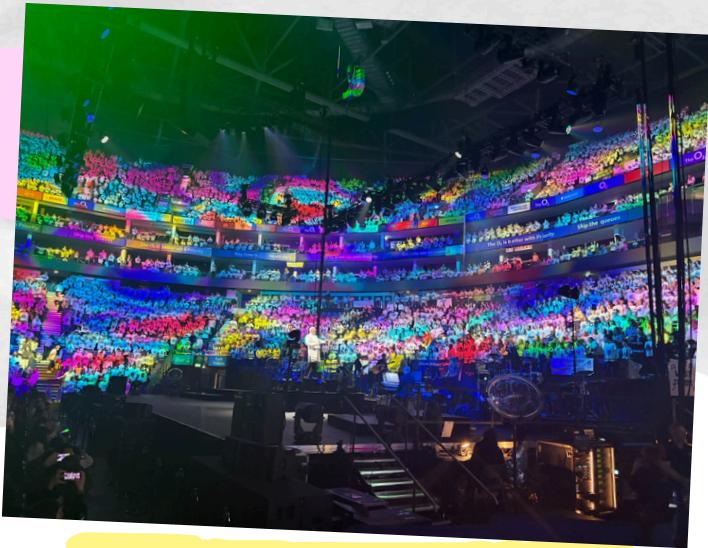
MOVIE NIGHT



Thank you to everyone who came to the recent Movie Night to raise money for our school PTA, Friends of Woodpecker. The children had a great time and enjoyed the films. The event raised over £400 which will go towards improving our sound and light systems in the school halls!

YOUNG VOICES

In January we took our Year 5 pupils to the O2 Arena to take part in Young Voices. They joined over 8000 children on the night which made them part of the World's largest children's choir! It was an amazing experience and the children were in awe of the incredible O2!



WORLD Book DAY

We are busy preparing for another exciting World Book Day at Woodpecker Hall. This year it will be celebrated on Thursday 5th March so half-term is the perfect opportunity to start thinking about what characters your child may want to dress up as!

We will also have a book fair running once again. It will arrive in school on Monday 23rd February and children will be able to use their £1 World Book Day voucher towards any book they purchase.

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