

Weekly Word



21.1.2022

To all Parents/Carers,

Another week flies by at Markeaton and loads to report as usual!

Top left we have some intrepid designers and makers in Y2; this week they have completed their moving vehicles with axis and working wheels.

In the middle we have yet more examples of outdoor learning. In case you weren't aware, we are lucky enough to have three forest school practitioners, ably led by Mr Holmes in Y6. Each week he is able to take out small groups into the forest school area and they get the opportunity to do some really cool stuff like make dens and drink hot chocolate around a fire. Ideally, we want all children in school to experience one 6-week block of forest school learning during their time at Markeaton.

Bottom left we have our newest addition to the after school club timetable. Warhammer Club, run by Miss Hawley and Mr Campbell, has already proven to be very popular and the children seem to love the artistry and precision required with the figures. If you have any surplus Warhammer items in your house and you would like to donate then please let us know – we promise they will be well cared for and used!

And finally, we tweeted this afternoon that we have signed up for the 'Big Walk and Wheel' event from 21st March till the 1st April:

[Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is taking place 21 March - 1 April 2022](#)

It promises to be an amazing event and we are in it to win it so get involved!!

Have a lovely weekend

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