

## YEAR 3/4 PUPILS STUDY LOCAL GEOGRAPHY

On Thursday 23rd March, pupils from Years 3 & 4 visited Ely as part of their River studies this term.

Although a short distance from home, the children learnt a great deal about the River Great Ouse, how it is managed and how it has influenced human activity in The Fens for hundreds, if not thousands of years!

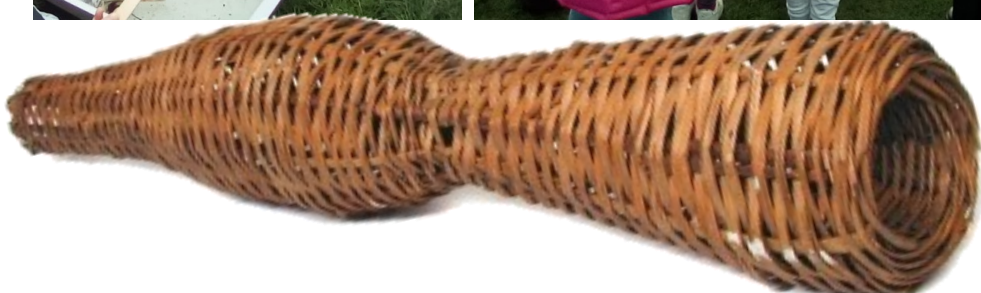
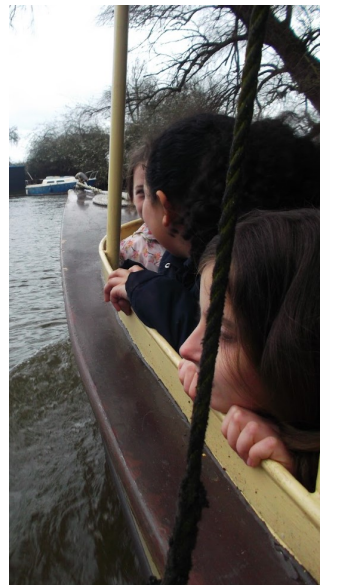
The pupils had the opportunity to experience the river close up with an exciting boat trip and explored some of the flora and

fauna that make the river such a special habitat.

In addition to this, they also visited the fantastic Ely Museum to learn a little more about the history of the river and how it influenced the city of Ely and surrounding Fenland.

A huge thank you to the Year 3/4 teachers for organising this wonderful trip, it was certainly one the pupils thoroughly enjoyed!

ELY MUSEUM



Can the children recall what these artefacts are and what they were used for?



# YEAR 5/6 PUPILS COMPETE IN NETBALL COMPETITION



Mrs Ball and Mrs Fleming took us to our first netball tournament on Friday. It was for Year 5 and 6. Mrs Ball and Mrs Dockerill have been training us afterschool in netball club. We were all really excited.

When we got there, we practiced our shots and did a passing warm up. Then we split into Team A and Team B. We then went on to play our first matches. The best

score of the morning was when Team A won 8-0.

We really enjoyed the tournament. It was great to be part of the team and we looking forward to our next tournament.

Team A came 4th and Team B came joint 5th.

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## KEY DIARY DATES

w/c 27th Mar	Science Week
28th Mar	Virtual Y1 Phonics Screening Meeting @ 6pm
29th Mar	Y1 Phonics Screening Meeting in School Hall @ 8:45am
30th Mar	Easter Service @ St. Andrew's Church F.O.S.S. School Disco
31st Mar	Playground Markings work being undertaken
18th Apr	Y6 National Dental Survey Spring Concert @ St. Andrew's Church
25th Apr	Wolf Learning Café



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## HOUSE POINTS

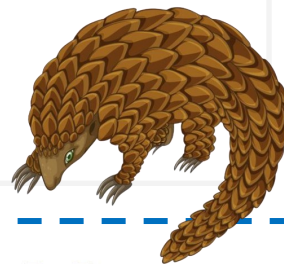


Another win for **Thunberg** sees them extend their lead over the other houses. **Packham** continue their rich vein of form as they close in on **Attenborough** and second place!

**Sorry!**  
**CANCELED**

Due to unforeseen circumstances we have had to cancel the Pangolin Class Café scheduled for Tuesday 28th March.

We will endeavour to schedule an alternative sate as soon as possible. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

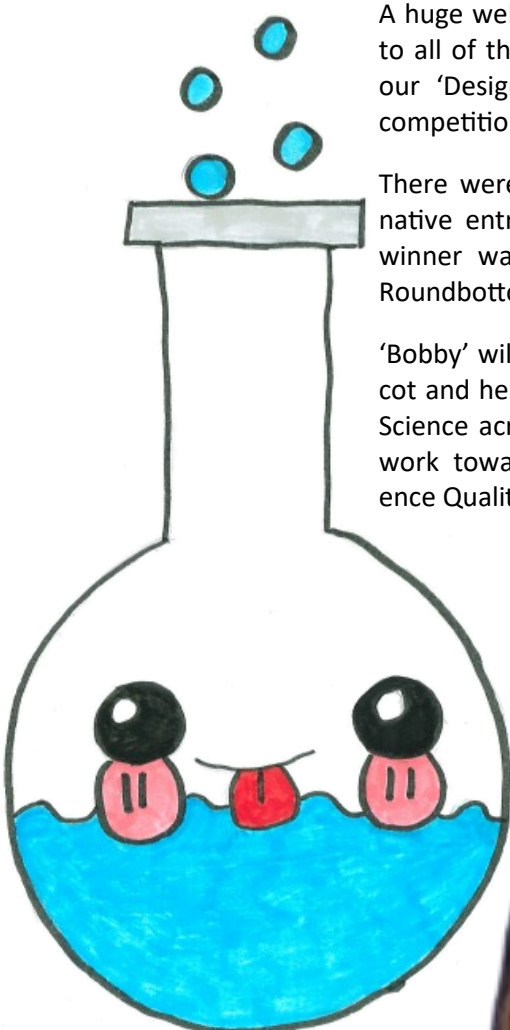


## SCIENCE COMPETITION WINNER ANNOUNCED

A huge well done and thank you to all of the pupils who entered our 'Design A Science Mascot' competition.

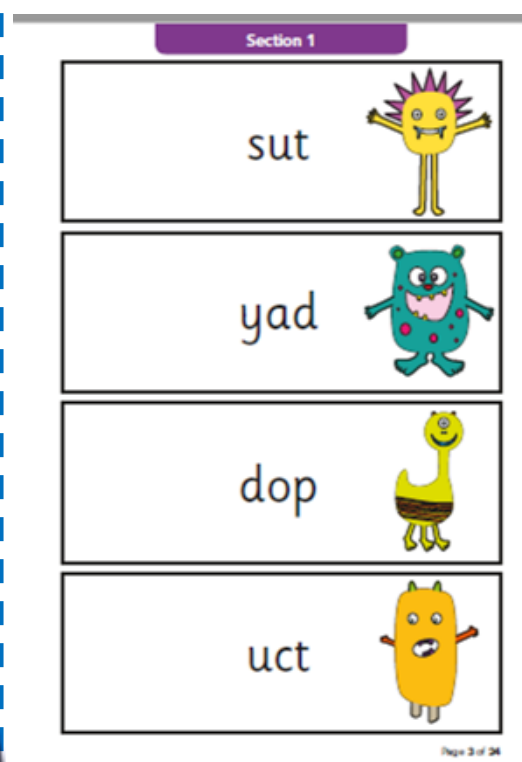
There were some hugely imaginative entrants, but the overall winner was Laura W's, 'Bobby Roundbottom' character!

'Bobby' will be our Science Mascot and help raise the profile of Science across the school as we work towards The Primary Science Quality Mark accreditation.



## Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

### Information for parents



As we approach the Summer Term, attention inevitably turns to some the statutory assessments schools are to undertake each year.

We are keen to ensure parents are fully informed as to when specific assessments will take place, what they will entail and how outcomes will be used to inform teaching moving forward.

Next week, we will be looking at the Year 1 Phonics Screening Check. Parents are Year 1 pupils are invited to either of the two sessions we are holding. The first will be conducted virtually at 6pm on Tuesday 28th March. The link has been shared via email and on ClassDojo, but have pasted below for convenience:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88619987873?pwd=TW9RSGlleWl2NEE5dUpXTWJpd0MvQT09>

The second session will be held in person in the school hall at 8:45am in Wednesday 29th March.