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Friday 22nd March 2024

Thought for the week...



We are thinking of our Muslim friends as they mark the holy month of Ramadan.

Ramadan is a month of spiritual reflection, self-improvement, and devotion to Allah.

It is considered the holiest month in the Islamic calendar, as it is believed that the first verses of the Quran were revealed to the Prophet Muhammad during this month.

Muslims all over the world observe Ramadan by fasting, praying and engaging in acts of charity and kindness.



Royal Academy Young Artists competition

The Royal Academy Summer exhibition is an open art exhibition held annually by the Royal Academy in Burlington House, Piccadilly in central London, during the months of June, July, and August. The exhibition includes paintings, prints, drawings, sculpture, architectural designs and models, and is the largest and most popular open exhibition in the United Kingdom. It is also the longest continuously staged exhibition of contemporary art in the world.

Last year, the Royal Academy decided to run a similar contemporary art exhibition for children, and this year, we are entering the competition for the first time.

We are very fortunate to have Tannaz Oroumchi, who is an architect by profession and offered to prepare the children for the exhibition by running a painting workshop.

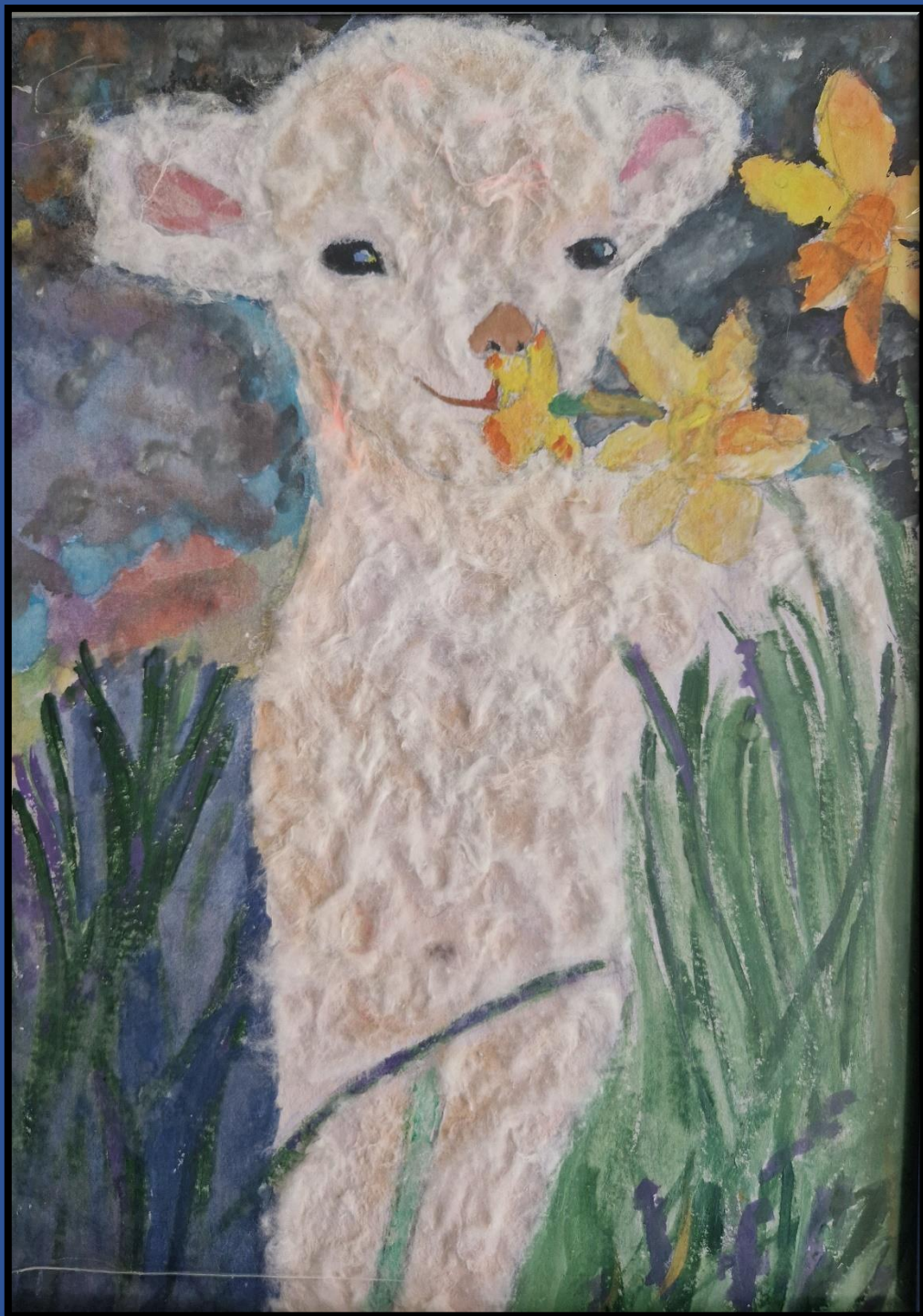


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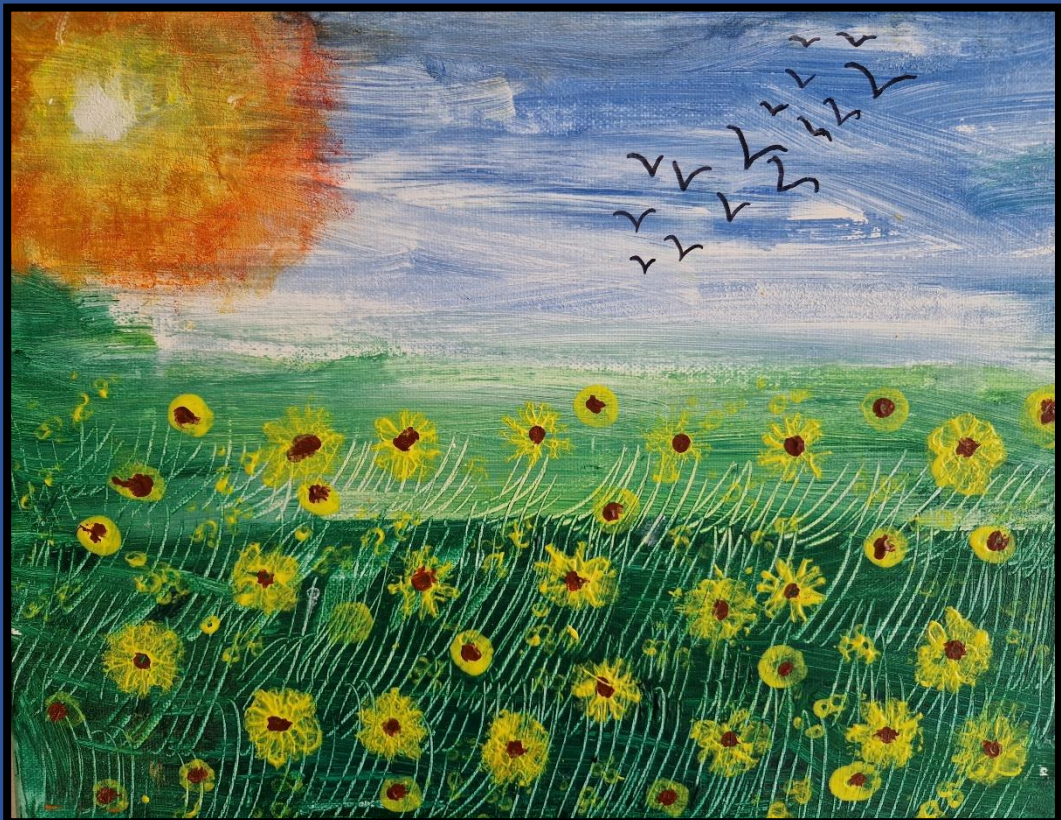




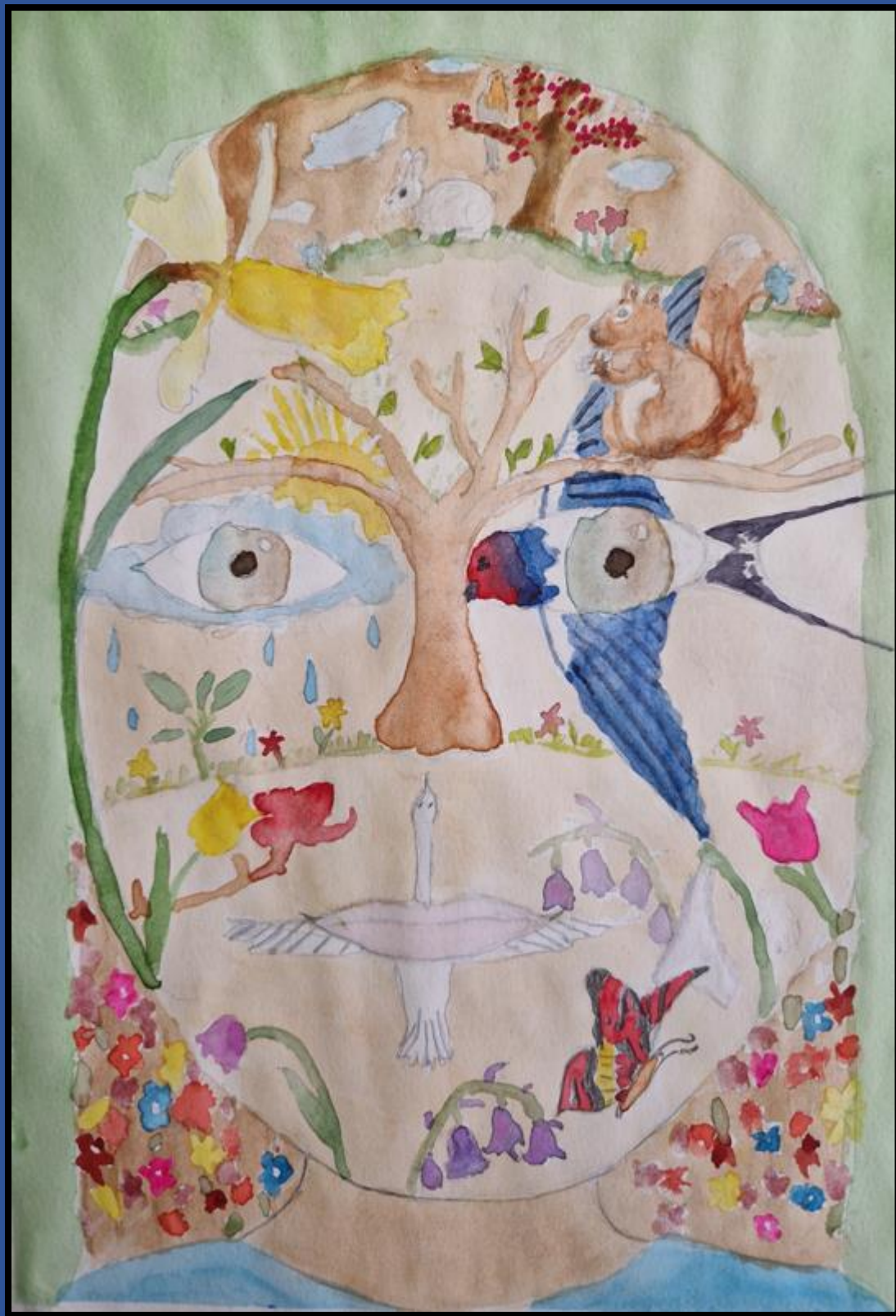




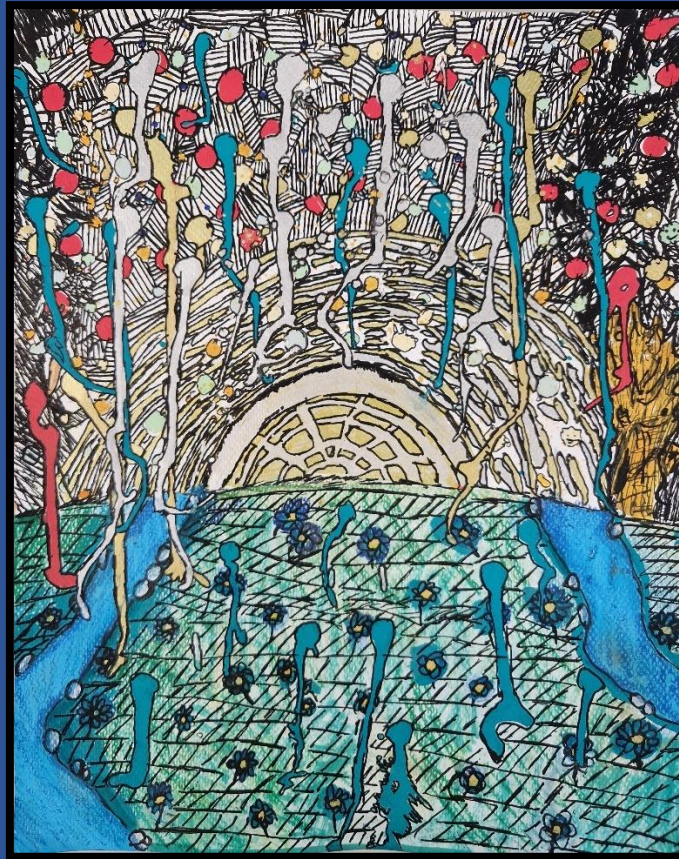


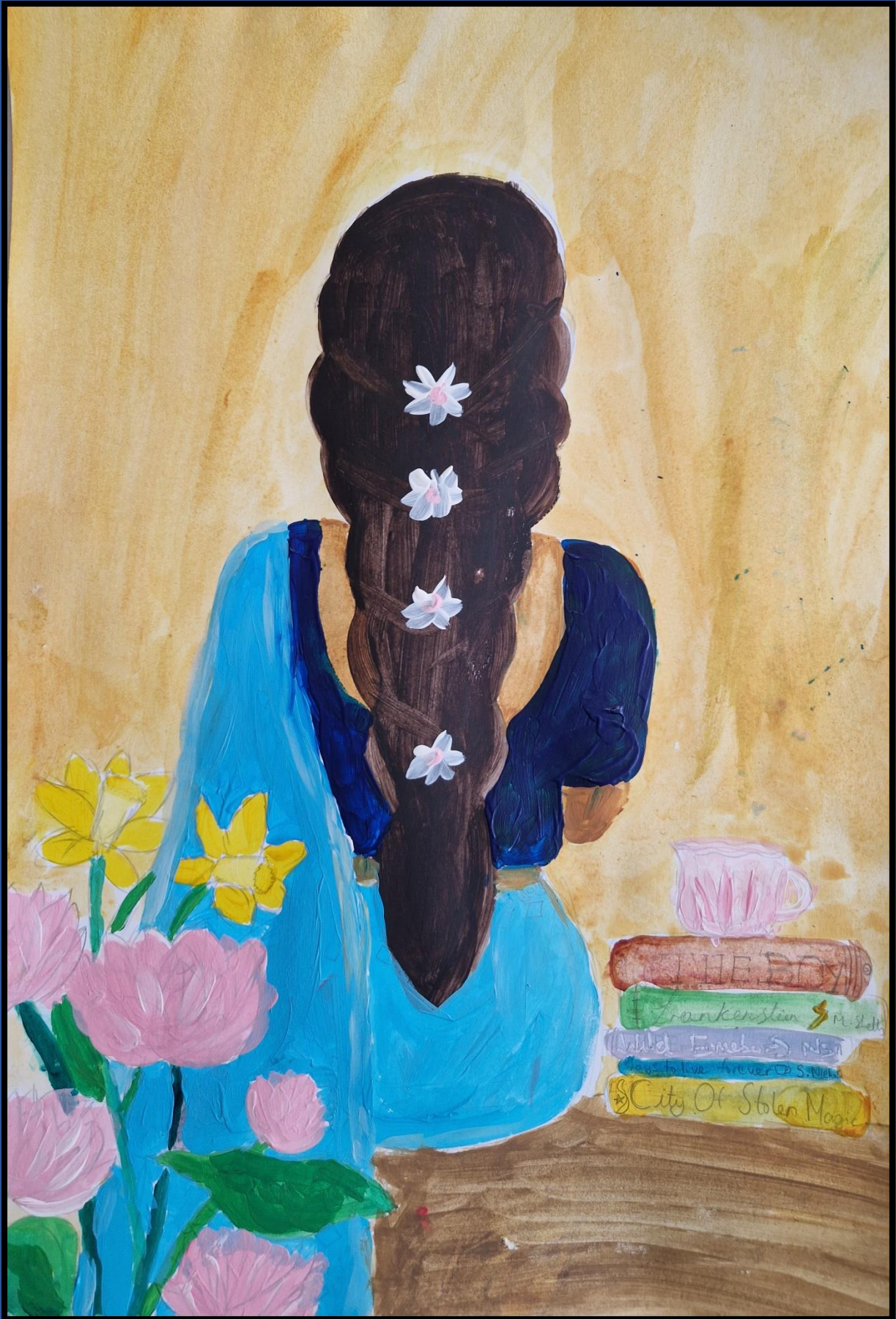














Artists

Ruby Spurr

Aanshi Maru

Sid Shetty

Ella Chisholm

Jessie Sivajeevan

Reyansh Chimbalkar

Lily Martens

Satvika Bhimawat

Emma Chan

Millie Drury

Hugh Hu

Riana Dandangi

Nicky Nuako

Samuel Karthikeyan

Khushi Arithia

Aleya Desjardins

Siana Videva

Swannya Herath

Anushka Phatak

Kenan Boz

Vedhaa Nandakumar

Vivaan Palepu

Tanvi Palepu

Aya Oroumchi-Korkmaz

Srinidhi Ganessin

Year 3 & 5 gymnastics competition



This Tuesday 19th March, our year 3 and year 5 gymnastics teams went to Watford Girls Grammar school to take part in an inter-school gymnastics competition.

Each team was competing against the equivalent teams from Knutsford, St Anthony's, St John's, and Wroxham schools.

Our four teams were awarded second and third place and Holly class were awarded first place!

Stars of the week Friday 15th March 2024

The following children have been nominated by their Class Teachers to be the star of the week this week for an aspect of learning, an achievement or positive behaviour. However, all the children deserve congratulations for a successful week.



Class	Nominee	Reason
Holly	Ayaaz	<i>For excellent participation in rounders. You were a suburb team mate, cheering on your team and also scoring a well-deserved rounder. Well done</i>
Willow	Satvika	<i>For great engagement in the Electric Umbrella music session this week. It was lovely to see you dance like no one was watching, sing like no one was listening and laugh like no one was judging.</i>
Oak	Dhyan	<i>For fantastic independent learning, researching world rivers.</i>
Juniper	Ava	<i>For meeting every day with a positive attitude - Your smile is infectious! It is a pleasure to have you in Juniper class.</i>
Elm	Yasmin	<i>For working very hard to catch up after being off sick.</i>
Beech	Siana	<i>For showing her continued resilience in Maths and proving how determination allows you to achieve great things in translation and reflection.</i>
Rowan	Ayleen	<i>For making a great start to your time at Nascot Wood Junior School. You're a pleasure to teach.</i>
Poplar	Yaqub F	<i>For his diligent work ethic in daily guided reading sessions, which has resulted in an extremely impressive result in his mock reading SAT test. Congratulations, Yaqub!</i>

Stars of the week Friday 22nd March 2024

Class	Nominee	Reason
Holly	Aliana, Jason, Emma, Ruby, Sreshtha, Ayaaz, Myra	For an outstanding performance in the Year 3 schools gymnastics competition. You were all focused, professional and worked superbly as a team. You should be very proud of yourselves!
Willow	Lilian	For being a great leader at the gymnastics competition. Well done, Lilian. Not only did you know the routine but could motivate and support your teammates with enthusiasm.
Oak	Amaya	For fantastic effort, perseverance, and achievement in our maths lesson on word problems involving fractions. Well done Amaya!
Juniper	Pranav & Ada	For a fantastic Dragon's Den pitch, I loved your emotive and persuasive language, your cereal box design and all of your humour.
Elm	Edward	For real effort in learning his lines for Macbeth and giving a great performance.
Beech	Aamir	For his consistent high levels of achievement and effort in his learning. We get nothing less than 100% from Aamir, across the curriculum.
Rowan	Gabriel	For consistently offering excellent contributions during discussions in R.E.
Poplar	Janvi	For consistently being a model student. Janvi is the epitome of exemplary: her behaviour is exemplary, her school work is exemplary and her manner is exemplary. Janvi is a star who shines brightly in year 6.