

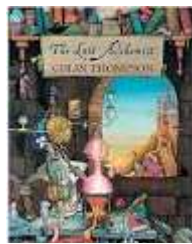
Opal Class News



Friday 28th February 2025



Hello and welcome back to term four. We are now officially over the half way mark and, in our usual style, year 5 have hit the ground running. We have had a lovely week of Maths whereby the children have recapped their methods for the 4 different operations (+-x÷). It is lovely to see how many children have remembered the method so well and it has enabled us to progress forward (beyond what is needed for year 5). In English, we have been writing a short burst of instructions, linked to Kilve court as well as writing our own non-chronological reports about mythical creatures. It is wonderful to see how many children are applying the year 5 grammar – I see embedded relative clauses everywhere! Well done guys! During this week, we have also been looking at irreversible processes in Science. This is in comparison to our reversible processes that we learnt about last term. In Geography, we have been looking at the landscape and climate of Central America and comparing it to Britain. The class made great Science links in order to this!



The book we shall be studying in English, this term.

Key dates coming up:

Thursday 6th March – World Book Day. Children are to come dressed up as their favourite character.

26th – 28th March – Kilve Court

1st & 2nd April – Parents' evening (this will also be our end of project outcome)

Coming up next week Learning focused

In Maths, we shall be looking at problem solving of the 4 operations we have been recapping this week.

In English, we will begin to study the story of the last alchemist By Colin Thompson.

In Science, we shall be looking at the purpose of materials through testing.

For World Book Day, we shall be looking at spells and poetry as well as more magical themes.

Continue with reading 5 x a week.
Mathletics and TTRS

Way to support at home (home learning)

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<https://www.worldbookday.com/>

