

# Classroom News



Class Name: Arundel

Term: Term 1 2023-2024

Topic: Heroes and Villains

## What we have been learning this term:

What an amazing first term we have had together. It has been wonderful to welcome Arundel students to the Castle@Theale and get to know everyone.

We have been making the most of learning about our local environment getting out and about. Students have loved helping out at Smelly Wellies care farm, cleaning out, grooming and bathing the animals. They have been working towards ASDAN certificates in animal care and welfare. We also have enjoyed some team building activities at Thirtover such as making boggarts, orienteering, following the nightline blindfolded and archery.

Students have had the opportunity to cook sweet and savoury dishes and begin to plant bulbs and seeds to establish our horticultural beds. Our onions have already started to sprout!

We have been using maths resources to consolidate understanding of place value while multiplying and dividing by 10/100/1000 and learning about shape. We have been exploring writers' use of descriptions of character and settings to tell a good story. In Science we have been looking at living organisms and plant and animal cells.

Arundel has settled in so well with the other classes @Theale. We often join together for drama and PE lessons.

Have a fabulous half term break.  
Arundel Team

*Karin, Kelly, Katie, Emily and Lorna*



## Some photos of us!



## Dates & Points to remember:

Last day of term: 19<sup>th</sup> October  
First day back: 30<sup>th</sup> October

Trips for Autumn 2  
Thursdays – Earth Trust