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Inspiring Changemakers:

On Thursday, the Year 6 children enjoyed an exciting visit to Lundy Island, beginning with a calm and scenic crossing aboard the MS Oldenburg, where they were lucky enough to spot dolphins along the way. Once on the island, they had the chance to meet local conservationists who were bird ringing to study their migration patterns, giving the children a fascinating insight into wildlife research. A real treat was visiting the site of a World War II plane crash, which added a powerful historical element to the day. One of the highlights for many was birdwatching, especially catching a glimpse of puffins in their natural habitat - a truly unforgettable experience.



What's new?

This week, the RNLI visited St Helen's School to deliver an important assembly all about water safety. They shared vital advice on what to do if you get into trouble in the water, including how to float to stay calm and safe until help arrives. The children also learned what the different flags on the beach mean and how they can help you stay out of danger while swimming or playing near the sea. It was a really valuable session that reminded everyone how to enjoy the beach safely and responsibly.

Community updates:

St Helen's is excited to lend a hand in supporting the Abbotsham community by starting regular litter picks in the park. Both students and staff will be getting involved to help keep the park clean, safe, and a great place for everyone to enjoy. At the same time, the school wants to gently remind everyone who uses the park to take their rubbish home and help look after this lovely space. If we all do a little bit, we can keep Abbotsham looking beautiful now and for years to come.



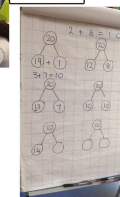
Key learning this week:

A week in photos

Reception



Part whole model



Year 1



Painting backgrounds for our vehicle pictures