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Newsletter

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Sedgwick Museum of Earth Sciences

Class 2 visited The Sedgwick Museum of Earth Sciences. This is known as the geology museum of the University of Cambridge. The fossils, rocks, minerals and archive material that you see on display in the Museum are just a small proportion of the more than 2 million items in their collections. Wow!! Many are held in their Collections Research Centre on Madingley Rise in West Cambridge, where they are available for research and study. Find out more about the different things your children learned during their visit to the museum!







There are three main types of rocks: sedimentary, igneous, and metamorphic. Each of these rocks are formed by physical changes such as melting, cooling, eroding, compacting or deforming - that are part of the rock cycle. Sedimentary rocks are formed from pieces of other existing rock or organic material.



Important Dates and Events:

- Monday 29th January @ 09:15 Celebration Assembly
- Monday 5th February @ 09:15 Celebration
 Assembly
- . Monday 12th February @ 09:15 Celebration Assembly
- Tuesday 13th February @ 15:45 in the Hall Phonics Screening Check Information Meeting for <u>Year 1</u> <u>parents</u>. We will go through the check and how you can help your child at home.
- Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th February -Parent Consultations - more information to be shared nearer the time
- . Thursday 15th February Last Day of Spring Term 1
- . Friday 16th February Staff CPD day

Attendance Winners!

First Place last Week: Class 2 (98.2%)

Second Place last Week: Class 1 (96.5%)

Third Place last Week: Class 3 (91.7%)

Well done Class 2! You are our weekly winners!!!

You earned yourselves an extra 10 minutes playtime on Friday afternoon!