

Summer 2 - Reception

This half term we have been learning all about animal habitats and exploring our topic 'By the Seaside'. We have explored the topic through various means such as art and literacy. We have continued to explore the importance of teamwork and helping one another and the ways in which we can do this in our classroom and throughout school. We have read lots of stories and experienced lots of fun activities including our school trip to Blackpool Zoo.

English

We have continued all our hard work in phonics lessons and have developed our writing skills. We have been expanding our sentences to ensure that we are able to use both adjectives and conjunctions when we are writing. We have also drawn pictures of the creatures we saw on our trip and wrote descriptive sentences to explain what we saw.

Maths

In maths we have been thoroughly exploring numbers, and have begun to progress onto recognising even and odd numbers and recalling doubling facts. We also revisited grouping and expanding our knowledge focusing on how to create different numbers of groups using the same number. We have also explored word problems.

Understanding the world

This half term our topic allowed us to explore contrasting environments and discover how creatures that live underwater differ from ourselves. We learnt different facts about various creatures and were lucky enough to see some of these on our school trip.

Expressive Art and Design

We have been replicating the paintings of Abraham Willaerts, mixing our own paint to get shades of blue and grey. In music we have learnt lots of songs which we performed for the church coffee morning and have been exploring pitch and rhythm through percussion instruments.

PD

In PE we have been focussing on athletics. We have learnt a range of skills managed to put these into practice for our school games day! Our fine motor skills have been enhanced through various activities and we have implemented these skills in our handwriting to ensure that our letters are consistently formed correctly.

Well done for all of your incredible work this year Reception.

You have all been amazing - we are so proud of you.

Good luck in Year !!



Luncheon Club



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It's Elephants!
Elephants are the largest land animals on Earth. They live in herds and are known for their intelligence and social behavior. Elephants have a long trunk that they use for many different purposes, including drinking water, reaching for food, and communicating with each other. They are also known for their ability to remember people and places for a long time.





