

w/c Monday 22nd September 2014

Literacy

This week, we concluded our module on information texts. On Monday and Tuesday, we typed up the shark information texts that we wrote last week. We had to make sure that we presented our work in a way that made it exciting and attractive for our readers. On Wednesday, we wrote harvest acrostic poems in preparation for the assembly on Friday. We have also practised projecting our voices when reading poetry aloud.

Geography

This week in Geography, we began to focus on the climate in different parts of the world. We explored the temperature of countries around the equator, and compared these with the temperature of the polar regions. We discovered that the climate of a country very much depends upon its location in the world.

Maths

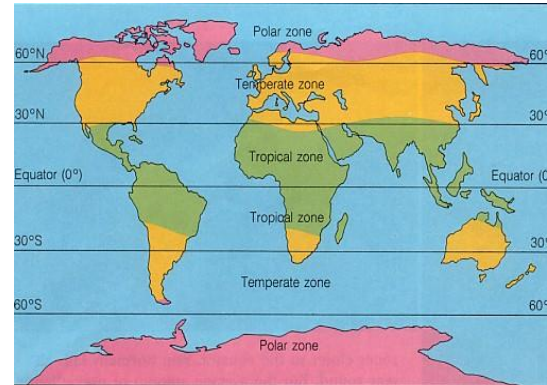
On Monday and Tuesday, we learnt how to find the difference between two numbers. This led to us calculating the difference in cost between various food items and working out which was the cheapest and which was the most expensive. On Thursday, we looked at partitioning numbers in multiplication. We used this skill when solving a range of different word problems.

Art

In Art this week, we attached strips of masking tape to a piece of cloth in both horizontal and vertical directions. We painted red, orange and yellow ink onto the areas of cloth between the masking tape, in order to create a pattern.

Music

This week, the children have been Samba CA on the recorders focussing on 'tonguing' the notes. They have been adding rhythms to the Learning Rap accompaniment.



PE

After the warm up, the children were dribbling the ball and practising various types of passing to one another.

Science

The children used the school grounds to investigate various habitats. Using this information we discussed the reasons for living within that habitat and how the organisms had adapted to their living conditions.

French

This week in French, we practised introducing ourselves to others. We also learnt the numbers up to 12.