

Week Beginning: 3rd March 2014

Literacy

At the beginning of this week, we read Chapter 2 of 'The Wind in the Willows'. We all enjoyed this chapter as it is the point in the story where the character of Toad is first introduced to readers. We discovered that although Toad is adventurous, he can also be spoilt and demanding! We used drama to show the feelings of Mole as he walked through the Wild Wood. We also wrote a letter to a friend of Moles describing the wood in detail.

Maths

This week in Maths, we have been exploring money. On Monday, we looked at the coins and notes that are currently in circulation in Britain. We identified their value, shape, size and the year in which they were made. On Tuesday, we solved a range of word problems involving money. Using the money raised from the cake sale on Victorian day the children have looked at various prices for buying new felt tips. They have identified the cheapest supplier and the number of packs available using a set amount of money.

Geography

The children have looked at the features of a river and labelled a diagram. The children have also written a river poem.



Art

This week in Art, we began creating our paper and paste animals. Using scrunched up balls of newspaper, we created the head and body of our animals, and attached them together with masking tape.

Science

In science, the children have started to look at light. We have introduced the word shadow and discussed how a shadow is formed by looking at pictures and forming their own on the playground.

WOW task! (Year 2): Find 5 ways to make £1.00 using a range of coins.

Homework task! (Year 3): Find as many ways as possible of making £1.00 using silver coins only (50p,20p,10p,5p)

Music

The children have continued creating a melody using a range of tuned percussion instruments.