## Classroom News



Class Name: Balmoral

What we have been learning

Term: Autumn 2017

Whole School Topic: Our Island Home Some photos of our learning

<ul> <li>We have had a wonderful start to the new school year in Balmoral. We have had lots of fun getting to know our new friends and the staff who work with us.</li> <li>In English we have been learning all about letter writing. We have read a range of books that contain letters and have written some replies. We have also learnt how to write an address on an envelope. We have of course been practising our phonics and our handwriting too!</li> <li>Maths this term has been all about number. As a class we have been practising counting in twos, fives and tens. We have also focussed on writing our numbers and recognising numbers.</li> <li>We have been enjoying our topic of 'Our Island Home', we have been learning about where we live, the flags of the UK and all about our homes.</li> <li>History has been a popular topic this term learning about The Great Fire of London! We have done some excellent retelling and learnt a lot of facts.</li> </ul>	
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Special Moments:	Dates & Points to remember :
Alex and Olivia have both settled in to The Castle School wonderfully! We love	Autumn holiday Monday 23rd October 2017 to Friday 27th October 2017
having them in Balmoral class.	Term 2 (36 days – 7 weeks, 1 day) Monday 30th Octo- ber 2017 to Tuesday 19th December 2017
Seeing all the children work together	17 <sup>th</sup> November: Children in Need
and become wonderful friends has been brilliant.	1st December: Staff training day (No children in school)
The class have said their highlights are	7 <sup>th</sup> December: Panto in school
horse riding, learning the violin, PE and	12 <sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Service at St Mary's
ICT lessons!	12 <sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Dinner at school