

Classroom News



Class Name: Colchester

Term : Spring 2

Topic : To Infinity and Beyond

What we have been learning:

We have been learning lots of new things this term.

In Maths we have been learning about fractions. We know what a half and a quarter is and we are getting pretty quick at remembering halves of even numbers to 20.

This term we have finished reading our class story called 'Cakes in Space'. We wrote our own story using a computer program called *Clickr7*. Our stories were about what could happen to the main character, Astra, next. We have also been working hard to learn new spellings based on a sound of the week.

In Music we have been learning about reggae music. Every week we listen to a new reggae song and then we practise our song 'Zoo Time'. During our song we have been learning to sing and play instruments, remembering to keep in time with the music. During music we are also joined by George from Richmond Class.

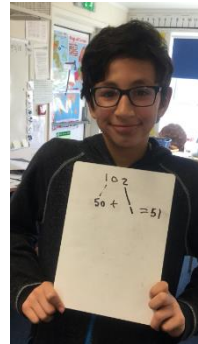
We have taken part in sporting challenges for Sport Relief including playing cricket and curling.

We have been working with and supporting Cardiff Class during Inclusion Afternoon. Cardiff Class are the youngest class in the school. We have played parachute games with them, been into soft play and helped them to complete an Easter egg hunt.

We have also had Science Week where we learnt about chemical reactions. We made a volcano using bicarbonate of soda, vinegar, washing up liquid, paint and water. We also made some slime using Optrex, shaving foam, PVA glue and food colouring. We also experimented with some rockets with Jon.

It really has been another incredibly busy term! Have a fantastic Easter and we will be back to learn about Bugs and Shrubs in the Summer Term!

Some photos of our learning



Dates to remember:

- Monday 16th April – Children back in school (Emily is on a course- Holly will be teaching in the afternoon)
- Monday 30th April – Mock LAMDA examinations
- Tuesday 15th – Thursday 17th May – KS3 Activity Days
- Wednesday 23rd May – LAMDA examinations
- Friday 25th May – Break up for May Half Term