

# Classroom News

Class Name: Lancaster

Term : Spring 2



## What we have been doing

### Vodafone Insight Day

By Lily Bowness

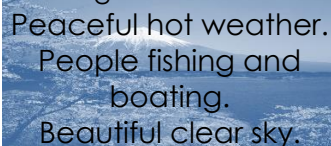
On Friday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of February six students were lucky enough to go to the Vodafone insight day. The first thing we did was have a little introduction. Then we went into two groups and made the tallest tower using marshmallows and long spaghetti. At one point we went on a tour around Vodafone, they even had a gym there which was cool. We were really really lucky to have pizza provided for us at lunch. In the afternoon we had to create a new app that was about careers. We then had to present our work to other schools and the winning team with the best presented app was Alisha, Danny and Lily, it was an amazing day!

### The Curriculum

Students have been creating their own investigations in maths, starting with a question they wanted to prove or disprove. The investigation included collating the information and then displaying it in the form of a graph.

Both Lancaster and Caernarfon have started a new media project this term, looking at how music videos are made and the transition from simple filming to the more modern day graphics used.

We have been studying the book 'Malala', focusing on her life and religion. Students have been investigating and debating the differences between her culture and theirs. In English we have been focusing on poetry. Students have been learning about calligrams and Japanese poems, finishing with them writing their own.



Peaceful hot weather.  
People fishing and  
boating.  
Beautiful clear sky.

By Nathan Hopkins

Wishing you a Happy Easter

### Dates and points to remember:

- 30<sup>th</sup> April '18: Good Friday
- 2<sup>nd</sup> April '18: Easter holidays
- 16<sup>th</sup> April '18: First day back
- 7<sup>th</sup> May '18: Bank holiday



## Some photos of our learning



**Our new class pet: Mr & Mrs stick insect**

