

Classroom News



Class Name: Balmoral Term: Summer 1 2021 Theme: Minibeasts

What we have been learning:

Our topic this term has been minibeasts. We have used this to focus on describing words in English as well as exploring fictional stories and songs in drama.

The school woodland area opened this term and we have been able to use this each week. We have been on bug hunts, treasure hunts, done some bark rubbings and story reading so far. The children have loved observing their tiny friends in their natural habitats and have learnt that bugs are not trying to hurt us. In Topic, we have explored life cycles and learnt lots of new information about how a caterpillar turns into a butterfly. They are excited to see when Skipton class's chrysalises are going to open so they can see the transformation in real life.

In Maths we have focused on Number learning how to multiply, divide, double and half quantities using arrays and the children have had great fun challenging one another by creating their own Kahoots.

Toward the end of term we started looking at position and direction and symmetry.

In PE again this term the children have enjoyed going out to the MUGA to learn multi-skills with Oli, our new coach.

On rainy days, we have been practising how to take turns during various games in the hall. Dodge ball was a particular favourite.

Have a great half term,

The Balmoral Team.

Some photos of our learning



Dates to remember

Last day of term is Friday 28th May 2021

School starts back on Monday 7th June 2021