

Classroom News



Class Name: Balmoral Term: Spring term 1 2022 Topic: What's on your plate

What we have been learning this term:

Balmoral class have had a lovely start to the new term exploring our new topic "What's on your plate?"

In P.E we have played team games, and learnt how to throw and catch different items like bean bags and balls. We have also had races on the hover board which was very exciting!

As part of P.E we have learnt all about being healthy. We made and tasted a rainbow of fruit which was great fun and very yummy!

In English we explored a new book called 'Sam's Sandwich' written by David Pelham. We started by looking at the front cover of the book to identify the author, title and the illustrations.

We then explored all the different ingredients from the story, it was very sensory and lots of fun. We worked hard to list all of the tasty and disgusting ingredients that Sam put in his sandwich.

Next we learnt that a verb is a doing word and found lots of them in the story, such as spread, chop, cutting and squeeze. Everyone enjoyed making a sandwich and trying new foods.

We learnt how to review a story by explaining our favourite part of the book and the part that we did not like and why. We then became authors and wrote our own version of the story, introducing new characters, a new setting and different ingredients.

In maths we have been learning all about money. Recognising coins and understanding their value through sorting, adding, subtracting to give change and using these skills in a shop role play activity.

Adventure time has been a great success. We have explored different activities and learnt about food from around the world. Where we had opportunities to explore different celebrations such as Chinese New Year and Burns Night.

In science we have been learning about the 5 different food groups. We now know that a fruit has a stone, pips or seeds inside but vegetables do not.

We have also experienced new activities this term, some of us have been horse riding, swimming and trampolining!

What a busy and super fun term we have had!

Kind regards,
The Balmoral Class team!
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Some photos of us!



Dates and points to remember:

Last day of term: Friday 18th February 2022

First day back: Monday 28th February

Last day of term: Friday 8th April

Bank Holiday Monday: Monday 2nd May. Children not in school

Thursday March 3rd - World Book Day

