

Classroom News



Class Name: Windsor

Term: Spring term 1 2022

Topic: What's on your plate.

What we have been learning this term:

We have been working with Newbury Library to produce a display about some books that they kindly donated to us. We have learned to write book reviews and also made some brilliant pictures to help develop our comprehension skills. Jacquie, the librarian was very impressed when we presented her with all our work. The display is up in Newbury library until the 5th March, if you would like to see it. We checked out some new books, including recipe books and showed good communication skills when talking to the librarians.

We have been learning about healthy breakfasts and were lucky enough to have a visit from Jan, the Education officer from Newbury showground and her colleague Pam. Jan taught us how to make delicious porridge, and we planted oats, barley and wheat. We learnt that you need to milk cows to collect milk for porridge, and had a try with Buttercup the (wooden) cow. We wrote thank you letters to Jan and Pam. We enjoyed the visit so much that we have asked Jan to come back with clover the goat and Rasher the pig, to help us learn how to make sausages and cheese.

We were able to have a tour of Tesco to find out how they store and prepare food, and what it is like to work there. We asked Emma, who works at Tesco lots of sensible questions about her job.

We have been working hard writing about all our trips and experiences.

In maths, we have been developing our adding, counting and multiplication skills. We have started learning about shape and made tangrams for Chinese New year.

In PSHE, we have been learning about internet safety, including how to be kind online and who to ask for help if we have a problem.

Agricultural Challenge preparations are well underway. We showed great teamwork whilst making Wilbur the scare crow; we hope you like him! We are now making our herb planter and are learning how to grow helps and what plants need to grow. We are also making dream catchers from natural materials which we collected from the woods.

We hope you all have a lovely half term.

Some photos of us!



Dates & Points to remember:

- 2nd March – trip to Waterstones to spend our World Book day vouchers.
- 3rd March – World Book Day – dress up as your favourite character.
- 16th March – trip to Weavers Walk Café for a drink and to interview staff.
- 21st March – Wreck it Ralph at View cinema.
- 25th March – Jan to visit school with Rasher the Pig and Clover the goat! (Wooden versions!)