

Classroom News



Class Name: Balmoral

Term : summer 1 2025

'Ready Steady Grow'

What we have been learning:

If may have only been a short term, but we have been super busy, immersing ourselves in our new topic 'Ready, Steady, Grow'. So here we go...

English: In the Extraordinary Garden, Joe transforms his balcony garden into a paradise. We have labelled, named and created own plants and seed packets. In **maths** we have been learning about the days of the week, months of the years, the seasons and different parts of the day. In **PSHE** we have been about looking after ourselves, what a means to be a good friend and how to care for plants too. Our **Weekly Trip** to Post-16 is proving very popular, whether we are visiting the Sensory Room, exploring the gardens or environment. We have been made to feel so welcome. In **art** and **DT** with Michelle and Anna, we have put our creative skills to the test, making flowers, decorating trees and bringing our stories to life. This term we have joined Tiverton in the **woods** playing Eye-Spy, collecting twigs and leaves and using our senses to explore. We are also enjoying our playtimes and mixing with other classes. Other learning that we have taken part in this term has also included **Life Skills** and **phonics** working on our individual programmes of work in phonics and planting sunflowers and exploring fruit and vegetables. Music with **Charles**, using the story of 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' to sing songs and then again in **Drama** Anna has using shadow puppetry. In our **Attention Autism** sessions, we have utilised our theme and relished the chance to make a mess, so much paint!!!

What a term!!! Well done Balmoral!!!! From Jo, Michelle, Becca, Sophie and James

Important Dates:

Monday 2nd June – First Day Term 6

Tuesday 17th June – School Photographer

Thursday 19th June – Sports Day

Tuesday 24th June – Dr Hughes

Thursday 3rd July – Bandstand – Victoria Park

Saturday 12th July – CastleFest 2025

Tuesday 22nd July – End of Term 6 – Happy Summer!

Some photos of our learning

