

Classroom News



Class Name: Windsor Term : Autumn 2 Christmas 2019 Whole School Topic: Colours

What we have been learning

Windsor worked very hard making DIY Christmas tree playdough for the Christmas fair. Thanks very much to everyone who came to the fair, we hope you had a wonderful time and you liked the playdough! We learned lots whilst we were making the playdough and used lots of measuring words, including heavy and light. We followed a visual recipe to make the dough. We used balance scales to ensure that each bag had the same amount of dough. We estimated how much we thought it would weigh and checked our estimate with unifix cubes and kitchen scales. We also have another playdough present surprise that's on its way to you, so watch this space!

In English, we have been writing film and pantomime reviews and have talked about which one we liked best. We have also been learning how to talk politely to people in our community. When we visited Sainsbury's cafe, a member of the public commented on how polite and confident our class were when we ordered our drinks. Well done Windsor!

In our Life lessons, we have been learning about emotions and thinking about things that make us happy and calm. We have been thinking about quiet places we can go in our classroom if we are feeling anxious, and have made 'happy boxes' with objects and symbols of things that help us to feel calm. We have also been thinking about how to be a good friend and help each other, and have been practicing our good looking and listening when talking to people, using our talking toolkit.

Some photos of our learning



Special Moments:

We were especially proud of Oliver, who really enjoyed the cinema and the pantomime and even danced on the stage!

Well done to our pupils who sang at St Nicks carol concert.

We enjoyed a special Christmas drink at the garden centre and likes looking at the lights, trees and the Christmas trains.

Dates & Points to remember :

- Last day of term - Friday 20th December, at normal time.
- First day back for pupils - 7th January
- A list of our Monday trips will follow shortly. Next term, on our trips, we will be focusing on people who help us in our community, including dentists, opticians and doctors.
- Wednesday 5th February, SAP parents evening.
- 7th February NSPCC Number day.