

Reflections

As we move into a new year we wanted to reflect on some of the great things the children have been doing in addition to their learning!

The Autumn term is always a busy one and the end of 2022 was no exception, children learn an amazing amount via their everyday lessons but there is so much more going on in school!

The Autumn term 2022 saw us . . .

Settling into school and building wonderful relationships with all our children and families

Celebrating the fantastic work of our pupils via celebration assemblies

Enjoying Hot Chocolate with the Headteacher as a reward for being a 'Superstar' at following the Golden rules 3 times in a week



Welcoming 'Open the Book' to deliver assemblies to our children



Learning about our Golden rules and British Values as part of work in assemblies

Celebrating our 'Caught Reading' competition and creating an amazing display of our fabulous readers, reading in different places

Celebrating Harvest Festival with songs and learning – being thankful for all we have

Welcoming back our GoGo dinosaur who had been in our local community over the Summer as part of the tour for the Charity - Break



All the children took part in a mini first aid course



Learning about Qatar in our first International week



Enjoying a cinema trip offered to all children across school as part of the Intu Film Festival

Offering Positive parenting classes via Kids Matter

Enjoying a variety of additional Sports activities including Cross Country at Hellesdon High School, a Gymnastics festival

Engaging in trips to the Cathedral or Church

Enjoying walks in the local community building map skills

Enjoying participating in our WAW sessions

Raising Money for Children in Need



Learning about Remembrance day



Taking part in a mini enterprise project, where we made items to sell at our Christmas fair. This money will go towards something we choose as a class!



Working with Salvation Army, offering Christmas hampers to some of our families

Singing Christmas songs at a local care home

A wonderful Fancy Dress Party and Christmas disco enjoyed by our children

Celebrating Christmas with Nativity performances and fabulous singing

Performing at a local Carol service in our community



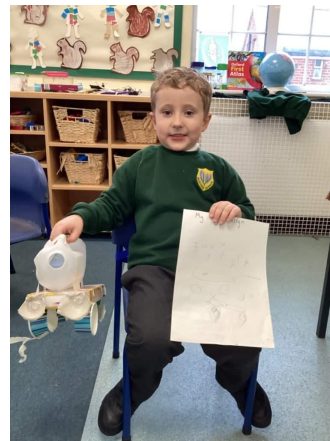


The children also did lots of fun learning via their class topics. Reception children learnt all about themselves via the topic of Marvellous Me and children in Years 1 and 2 learnt about our local community via their topic 'Turn Back Time'
Some of the highlights included . . .

Reception learnt all about people who help us and were visited by a nurse who talked to the children about their job and how they help to look after others.

The children Created some fantastic self portraits inspired by Vincent Van Gogh.

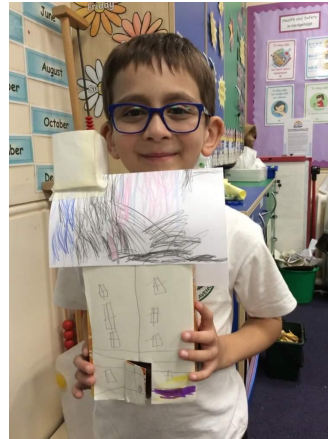
They also designed and made their own toys



Years 1 and 2, combined Science, History and Design and Technology as we learnt about houses from the past and present. We investigated the different materials used to build old and new houses. We built houses as part of Design and Technology and learned about The Great Fire of London, the children voted to re-enact the street burning.

The children enjoyed learning about Edith Cavell during our History lessons. We discovered how she helped many soldiers during the war. When we visited Norwich Cathedral we saw her statue and where she was buried.

We investigated paint and how we can use paintbrushes to make different patterns. We then drew and painted some super self portraits inspired by Vincent Van Gogh.



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