



Year 2 Autumn 2 Round Up



Welcome to our second class Round Up! Christmas is upon us already – where did this term go?

This half term, we have been focusing on Traditional Tales with a twist. The children have really enjoyed meeting all the characters and learning about their little quirks and exploring how the stories have been changed. Stories that were particularly enjoyed were 'The Gingerbread Girl', 'The Three Ninja Pigs' and 'Goldilocks and just the One Bear'. We have made our own story books and enjoyed sharing these stories and using repeated phrases when reading as a class.

In Maths, we have continued our work on Addition and Subtraction and explored 2d and 3d shapes, their properties and sorting them. They children created some wonderful gingerbread houses using different 2d shapes!

Our PE lessons have focused on dance. We have explored the themes of Giants and Toy Story – creating movements and linking them to make sequences to music.

The children have been learning about how communication has changed over time in our History lessons and explored drawing skills and created their own Picasso inspired portraits. Have you seen our amazing window Gallery? Look out for these characters on our school playground! Did you recognise anyone?

Our RE topic this half term has related to the Christmas story and how good news is delivered in the Bible. We have been finding out about how God sends his messengers, the Angels, to bring good news.



The children have also worked extremely hard to learn all the songs and their lines for our Christmas nativity 'Starlight'. We are very proud of them for all the effort they have put into making this time of year so special.

Certificates this Week

Curriculum Award Certificate

Theo - For fantastic acting and use of prosody in our Nativity - Starlight

Christian Value Certificate

Xander - For having courage and challenging himself.

Star Writer Award

Summer - For fantastic writing in RE work this week.

Diary Dates

Friday 5th January – INSET day

Monday 8th January - School reopens @ 8.45am

Have a happy and joyful Christmas and we look forward to carrying on our learning in the New Year!

Best Wishes, Mrs Ramsay and Mrs Townsend

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