

Weekly Learning Reflections



We have reached December and the children are certainly already excited for Christmas! They have continued to work hard this week and have tried to showcase the best of themselves through their independent application of their learning so far. We have used this week to develop children's independence and assess their understanding so that we can tailor their learning for Spring Term effectively.

Across the curriculum, the children have continued to work hard and develop their understanding of numerous areas. As the week began, they explored more about the dangers to the rainforest and what we can do to help protect it. They are working in groups to create a persuasive argument to present to the class about why it is important and how we can help. As well as this, they continued working on their musical compositions. These are using body percussion to represent the lower layers of the rainforest before we add tuned percussion to represent the emergent and canopy layers.

They have also continued to work on their art this week and have all designed their pattern and added glue to it. Next week, these will be painted before washing the glue out to create an artistic effect. Our Science and DT have come together this week as the children have started to evaluate different torch designs in preparation for designing and creating their own.

★ ★ ★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★ ★

Pupil Star of the Week - ★ Jack ★

Jack was chosen as Star of the Week with the children asked to focus on kindness and consideration of others. The children recognised Jack's supportive and caring nature and the way that he will always offer help to those that need it, both in the classroom and out of it. Well done Jack, you set an example the rest of us can follow, great work!

Teacher Star of the Week - ★ Thea ★

This week I have chosen Thea as my Star of the Week. Thea has really challenged herself this week, working hard to show a good independent attitude and she has grown in confidence throughout the week. She has set a good example to others and applied herself well throughout the week. You've had an excellent week Thea, keep it up!



I hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Mr Castell