



Newsletter

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School Council Polling Day

On Tuesday, Heamoor School pupils 'went to the polls' to elect their new School Council. Candidates in each class shared manifestoes with their classmates and all children cast their votes. Well done to all of the candidates and congratulations to this year's winners.



Heamoor School Council 2021-22

Orange Class - Jade Roberts & Thomas Jenkin

Yellow Class - Ella Humphreys & Harry Marshall

Green Class - Kiah-Louise Brownfield & Libby Cringle

Blue Class - Bonnie Richards & Mason Ziwange

Indigo Class - Lois Murrish & Amalia St Pierre

Violet Class - Neve Walsh, Imogen Reeve, Cameron May & Riley Thomas



Red Class



Red class have been enjoying our woodland themed stories. We have spotted repetition and rhyme when reading 'The Bear Hunt' and 'The Gruffalo' and had fun acting out the stories. Here we are on some of our Forest adventures. We stumbled over the logs whilst balancing, found a secret hole in our school woodland area and we think we may have located the snake in his log pile house!



Our Nature shop



The children used their imagination and set up a nature shop in the outdoor area. They have learned some valuable skills in here such as turn taking. They now record the names of the children who want to be the shopkeeper on the board and use a timer so that it is fair. The children have enjoyed setting prices and recording them on the board and have used stones as coins to practise 1:1 correspondence.

Meet Ethan...

The children found a little caterpillar outdoors and named him Ethan. They made him a comfy bed with leaves and played him a song to see if he wanted to do a wiggle dance. We wrote a sign to remind everyone not to touch him. At lunch time we put him back on a leaf outside.



Spontaneous learning



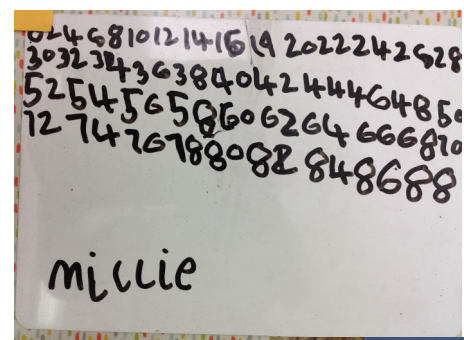
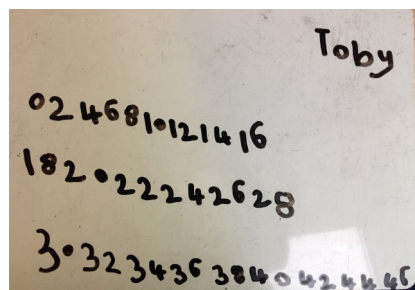
Red class have enjoyed making patterns, building, creating mermaid tails in the sand and baking our friends a birthday cake in the mud kitchen.



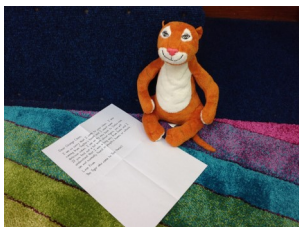
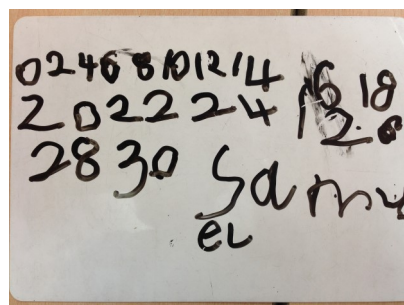
ORANGE CLASS



This week we have had some magical mathematicians! The children have probably already told you all about our introduction to the part, part whole model. Last week we had great success with mastering addition with two numbers within ten, and in some cases twenty! This week it has been all about subtraction. Orange Class are also working hard to fluently count in 2's and 5's, see if you can practise this at home.



In writing we have now moved onto our non-fiction text 'All about Tigers,' where we have been exploring new vocabulary and making up a whole new set of actions.



READING!

A huge well done to all of the children who have already received their white band.

Keep it up! It is great to see so many of you reading daily at home.





Yellow Class



St Michaels Mount Aerial View Sketches



Yellow Class have loved looking at maps and photographs of our local area as part of our current project: 'Our World'. We developed our sketching skills, creating aerial view images of St Michael's Mount

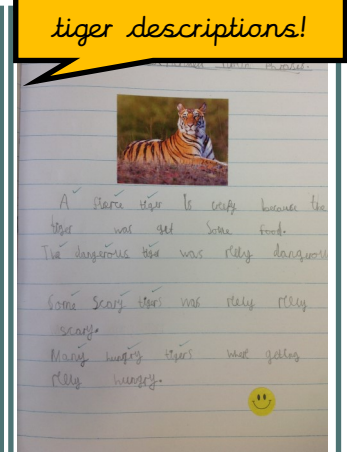
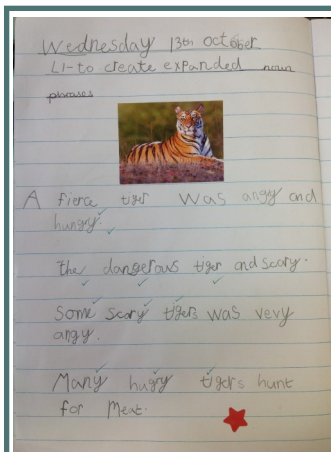
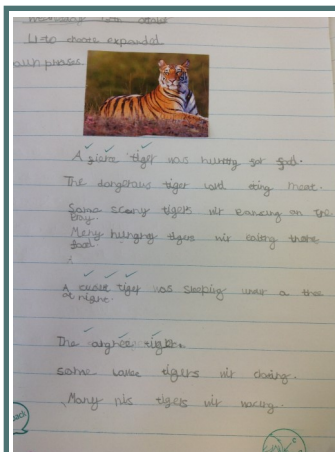
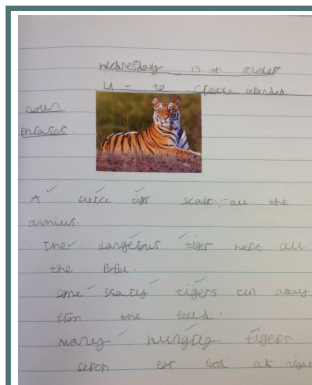
Our new Talk 4 Write text



We have enjoyed finding out even more about tigers. We even spotted a tiger outside of Yellow Class!



Look at our detailed tiger descriptions!



Presenting our research to the class





Green Class



Puppeteering Perfection!

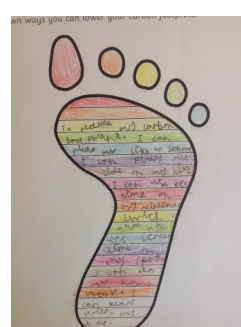
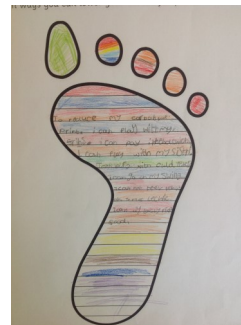


Over the last couple of weeks, Green Class have been learning their most recent T4W text. This week, they spent time preparing and rehearsing their very own puppet show to retell the story. It was a brilliant success!



'Our World'

In our project this half term, Green Class have been exploring 'Our World'. We have learnt some brilliant UK geography facts, as well as exploring the idea of carbon footprints, and what we can do to reduce our impact on the planet.



Blue Class

Blue Class have continued to practise basketball in our P.E. lessons.



Over the last couple of weeks during our Talk for Writing lessons Blue Class have completed 'Matale Comes to Supper' and have started a non-fiction text, 'Why We Must Fight Plastic.' The pupils have really enjoyed discussing the importance of recycling and using less plastic.



After writing their manifestos, the pupils presented them to their class, explaining why they should be on the school council..

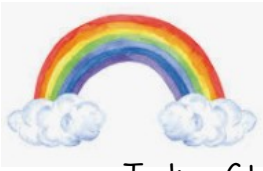


We have finished *The Twits* and have now started reading *The Hodgeheg* for our Novel Study lessons.



We have made the most of these sunny October days, and the pupils have taken a lot of their learning outside.





Indigo Class



Indigo Class have been learning about the effects natural disasters have on places and people and particularly what happens when earthquakes and tsunamis tear through communities. They have been investigating the different materials that could be used to make waterproof containers should they need one to keep their valuable possessions



They have also been getting creative musically. After listening to a percussion composition called 'Boom' which created and mimicked the sound of a storm, they discussed what instruments they could hear and what effects they created.

They then used percussion instruments to create their own 'storm' compositions which were performed to the rest of the class using the 'Boom' background sound effects.



Violet Class

Violet Class visited Mounts Bay Academy and Humphry Davy School last week to help them make their choices for secondary school. We participated in SO many activities including: trying out a range of different sports, French and Spanish lessons involving packing out suitcases for a holiday, some fascinating human Biology lessons, chromatography, French lessons describing monsters, singing in rounds and two brilliant drama sessions!



The children were fantastic and several staff members from BOTH schools commented on how exemplary our children's behaviour was and the effort they put into their lessons as well as their fantastic pronunciation in languages! Well done, Violet Class!