

Class 1 – Spring Term

Space

During the first part of the term our topic was all about Space! We read lots of stories such as 'The Man on the Moon' which encouraged us to ask lots of questions about our universe and beyond! We especially loved finding out about real astronauts! We had an amazing rocket in our Role Play Area and learnt lots of interesting facts and songs about space.



Chinese New Year

We had a celebration day for Chinese New Year on the 27th January. We got to do lots of 'Year of the Rat' themed crafts and even made our own spring rolls as well as tasting some other Chinese food!



E-Safety Day

During E-safety day we learnt a lot about how to stay safe online. We found out about what the Internet is and how to keep our personal information safe when using tablets, computers and phones.

Valentine's Day

We made heart shaped biscuits to give to someone that we care about. We had lots of fun decorating them! We really enjoyed making cards in the Writing Area.



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Shrove Tuesday

On Shrove Tuesday we learnt about the beginning of Lent. We read the story 'Mr Wolf's Pancakes' and followed a recipe to make our own delicious pancakes! We finished the day with a pancake race!



Ash Wednesday

We visited church for a special mass on Ash Wednesday and we got the sign of the cross made in ashes on our heads by Father Hastie.



Wiggle and Crawl

Our topic for the second part of the term was all about mini-beasts! We enjoyed reading 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' and creating our own artwork based on the work of Eric Carle who created the book. We learnt all about complimentary colours on the colour wheel and used this to make our own butterflies which we then used for our Mother's Day Cards.

Getting ready for Easter

Our thoughts turned to Easter and we enjoyed taking our class 'Lent Bag' home to share with our families. We found out all about the Easter story and why Easter is such a special time for Christians. We created our own 'Easter Garden' Easter cards.

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World Book Day

On Thursday 5th March we joined the whole school in celebrating World Book Day. We came to school dressed as our favourite characters and did lots of book themed activities throughout the day. Some of us took part in a 'book swap' and at the end of the day we shared a story with the children from Class 6.



Gardening

We worked with some of the older children from the Gardening Club to plant some flowers in our outdoor area. We used the soil from the mole hills that have popped up in our grass!



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Washington Wetland Centre

We had an absolutely fantastic day out at WWT Washington on the 17th March. We started the day with some pond dipping! We found some amazing creatures including a Great Diving Beetle! Next we went into the woods where we searched for some creatures. We found things such as woodlice, worms and spiders. After an eagerly anticipated packed lunch we had some time to explore the adventure playground before heading to feed the birds. A great day was had by all and we were very lucky with the gorgeous weather!

