

Classroom News



Class Name: Tiverton

Term: Spring 1 2023

Topic: Machines

What we have been learning this term:

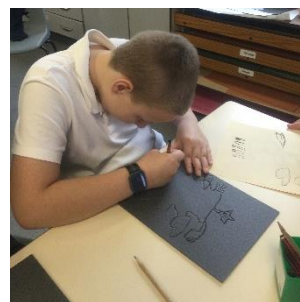
As our topic is about machines, we have been learning about the development of cars, trains and planes and looking at the lives of Henry Ford, George Stephenson and the Wright brothers. In English we have been using this information to write fact cards and make PowerPoints.

In DT we have been designing and making our own machines. We had to try to include one of the forces that we have been learning about in Science.

We have been very fortunate to have had a visiting artist from City Arts Newbury who has been teaching us printing techniques using a range of materials. As part of this project we visited Milestones Living History Museum and took photos of parts of machinery. We have begun to use a 'viewfinder' to isolate a small area of a photo to sketch which will then be used for lino printing. We had to look very carefully and only draw what we could see.

In Maths we have been collecting data using tally charts and creating bar charts from the results. We have also been learning about Time, reading and recording time on analogue and digital clocks and solving problems including time.

Some photos of our learning:



Dates and events:

- **Back to school: Monday 20th February 2023**
- **Train trip: Wednesday 1st March 2023 (details to follow)**
- **Whole school Easter celebration: Friday 31st March 2023**
- **Finish for Easter: Friday 31st March 2023**

