Classroom News

Class Name: Whittington   Term 6 Summer 2025   Topic: Diversity

What we have been doing this term:	Some photos of us!

Whittington class have had a busy and creative summer term! We have made delicious cakes in cooking (with fabulous toppings!) which were eagerly bought by staff to raise money for our class trip. This was a hugely successful event – the class are all very excited about a trip to Marwell Zoo! The class created eye posters, researched and planned the best route around the zoo as well as producing a budget and working out costs. Well done Whittington Class!

English

The class ended the year with a spooky theme – horror and gothic literature. This enabled all students to experience and understand features of a horror story and their impact on an audience. We watched a variety of clips from Dracula and Frankenstein which reinforced the key features and from which students then developed their own horror story, soundscape and visual setting – these were fantastic!

Maths

This term we have learned all about prisms and cylinders – enjoying making a prism in order to calculate its volume. We also calculated the surface area of a variety of different prisms with cross sections of others shapes – these included a rhombus, regular pentagon and equilateral triangle.
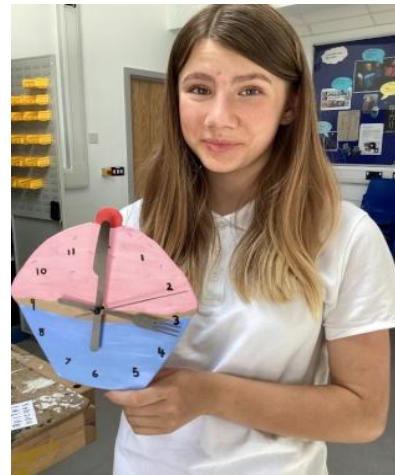
Science

This term the class were able to learn about the functions of a skeleton from the help of a real skeleton! We learned about the different bones and how the skeleton and muscles interact. We identified what bones consist of and the importance of bone marrow.

Off-site activities

Whittington Class have greatly enjoyed their off-site activities this term. Sailing was a huge success – the water a cool relief from the warm sun! The warmer weather was also appreciated by those visiting the care farm who relished meeting the new Turkey – Theo! Parkour also provided fantastic climbing opportunities and lots of fun!

Dates & Points to remember:

Last day of term: Tuesday 22nd July
First day back: Friday 5th September