

# Hadrian Park Primary School



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## Weekly Newsletter

### The Den/ Nursery

Bold Bunnies have created a very stary night sky using mark making, printing and painting. We have been practising singing one of our favourite nursery rhymes 'Twinkle, twinkle Christmas star' and explored the wonder of snow and ice.

### Reception

This week Reception have read the traditional tale of 'The Gingerbread Man'. We even made our own with the help of Phunky Foods. In maths we have explored repeated patterns, looking at colour, size and shape.

### Year 1

We started our week off with a cold and frosty walk to the Rising Sun to enhance our georgaphical learning of a countryside; we then created a mind map and compared this with an African landscape. Further this week, we have continued to develop our mental maths of addition and subtraction using different models and strategies; as well as continuing to practice and enhance our independent writes about a variety of focus stimulus.

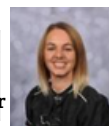
### Year 2

This week in Maths we have been learning to add two digit numbers using column addition. In Literacy, we have been focused on a range of grammar features and putting them into our writing. In Science, we have been carrying out experiments to determine which materials are best to absorb water. We also enjoyed the author visit where we listened to a range of different stories.

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### Year 3

In Year 3 we have innovated our Stone Age Boy to make it our own text before preparing for our hot write next week. In maths we have been focusing on estimating numbers, ask us about our rounding rhyme! In science, we have continued to discuss our balanced diet and found nutrients within food. The children are working hard practising their christmas performance!

### Year 4

We have had a lovely week in Year 4! We have completed a fantastic Hot write on a 'Tale of Fear' in our Literacy lessons. In Maths, we have started our topic of 'multiplication and division'. We have worked so hard during rehearsals for our Christmas performance. We can't wait to show our grown ups.

### Year 5

Children have come to the end of their Narrative Writing where they have explored Jason and the Golden Fleece, creating their own brilliant version in their Hot Writes. Children have also impressed during a tricky Maths topic, showing their skills at multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. Children are working hard during Christmas Performance rehearsals and have enjoyed their Basketball Unit in PE.

### Year 6

This week in Maths, Year 6 have focused on converting improper fractions to mixed numbers and vice versa. In Literacy, we have had a look at some performance poetry from the original Macbeth playscript by William Shakespeare. The children have been working hard during Christmas Performance practice and we can't wait to show you it! Next week, we have a mock SATs week and are carrying on with fractions in Maths and playscripts in Literacy.

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