

Hazel Class: Hazel class spent some time outside doing Horticulture. They watered the plants and learnt about growing vegetables and taking care of them.



In STEM, they learnt about different types of buildings, how high they were and where in the world they were. Hazel class worked in groups to create a building out of materials and then there was competition to see which one was the highest.



They also learned about windmills and explored where you would find a windmill and what they are used for.



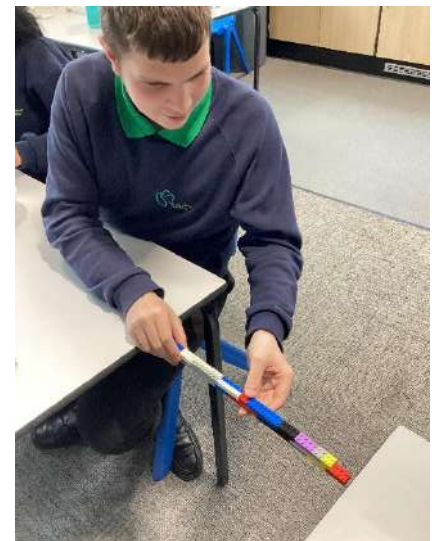
Oak Class: The Oak Class thoroughly enjoyed the work related to the topic 'Around the World'. During our Creative Arts work we enjoyed learning about the French artist Monet, looking at his work and inspirations for his paintings. We enjoyed trying to recreate artwork inspired by the artist.



We had a fantastic day learning about China and took part in a Chinese dance workshop.



Through our STEM work we learnt about homes from around the world and explored towers and bridges.



We also enjoyed learning about significant people and places from around the world such as Florence Nightingale, Neil Armstrong, and Rosa Parks.

This term we are looking forward to learning more about Animals as well as planting some more plants and vegetables in our horticulture area.

Pineapple Class: Pineapples topic this term is all about Animals.

We have already packed so much into our learning and had so many special visitors to help us along the way.

In English and Communication, we have been following instructions and beginning to sequence using photos and symbols.

Pupils have then enjoyed role playing how to care for a dog, making sure they follow the sequence correctly.



In Maths and Cognition, we have started our learning on multiplication, using arrays - a visual diagram, where we have used practical resources to support pupils in their knowledge of counting in 1's or 2's.

Our STEM learning has been our favourite so far this term, with some wonderful opportunities being offered in school.

We have had visits from AJ the dog, Chocolate the pony, Heinz, the sheep and April the lamb, as well as some hand-on experiences with tortoises, chickens, rabbits and Nigel, the snail! We have been exploring about how to care for different types of animals, as well as learning about the types of habitats they can have. A huge thank you to the external visitors, parents/carers and staff in school for supporting and providing these wonderful opportunities for Pupils at Springview! 😊



Finally, some pupils in Pears and Pineapples have been horse riding this term. It's been lovely to see pupils' confidence and self-esteem thrive in this environment, especially after just two sessions.

Well done, Pineapples, for all your hard work so far.

Sycamore Class: Since returning from half term, Sycamore have been busy and continuing their hard. In the first week pupils took part in some travel training, taking a train to Peterborough and back. Everyone enjoyed their time out, understanding how to read timetables and manage time.

In PE pupils are focussing on striking and fielding this term. We have started with golf, and we could not have asked for better weather! Pupils have been practising power and direction, using various techniques.



Some pupils have carried on their hard work at Springfields. Recently we have been using the leaf blower to tidy areas and used tools to edge up borders that needed some attention!



Within English pupils have begun preparation for their speaking and listening assessments which will take place later this term. Pupils have looked at asking questions on given topics. Within Maths pupils are looking at measuring and finding equivalent lengths. Pupils have spent some time measuring things around school, from whiteboards to teachers and then made comparisons.