

Welcome to Term 5, spring is here and we are looking forward to the summer terms.

Term 5 is always a busy term with Year 6 and Year 2 doing their SATS in May. Year 6 will be going on their PGL residential trip on 26<sup>th</sup> May. There will be new topics in each class to inspire our learning.

We have had a variety of visitors in this term to enhance our learning. The Police came to talk to our Year 4, 5 & 6 pupils about keeping safe on-line and using social media responsibly.

We had some volunteers from The Civil Service come to talk to Year 4, 5, & 6 about the world of work and having high aspirations. The children enjoyed the discussion and activities.

Jonathans Jungle brought his animals to show our Reception and Year1 children as they have been learning about animals and their habitats.

Badger and Otter class enjoyed a Greek show performed by the West End Company.

The Dogs Trust came to talk to us in assembly about keeping safe around dogs and how we need to be thoughtful and kind towards dogs.

We celebrated World Book Day with a trip to our local library where we listened to a fabulous storyteller. Our younger pupils dressed up in their favourite book character and wrote about them. We ended the day with a Reading workshop for parents.



Some of our classes have shared their learning in class assemblies on a Friday with friends and family. The children have shown their learning in lots of different ways, dance, storytelling, art and music. They have all been of a very high quality.



Our pupils have had the opportunities to take part in many festivals some with other WHF schools. Our choir performed in the junior music festival at the Wyvern theatre. Some pupils took part in the WHF Science festival at Devizes. Others have been participating in golf and

netball sports festivals. Our football team have had many matches to play and have been representing our school superbly.

There was great excitement when the story box theatre came and performed the production of Jack and The Beanstalk on the last Thursday of term.

This was a high quality performance for the children to experience live theatre.

Our pupils are very good about thinking of others and contributing to charities that help other children who are not as fortunate as they are. The children enjoyed taking part in Comic relief on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March where we had a very successful cake sale raising a brilliant £ 200

We finished our term thinking of others as we had our UNICEF 'Day of Change'. We dressed in blue and white, and brought pennies and change in to raise money for UNICEF and children's rights. All of this is helping us to gain our UNICEF 'Rights Respecting Award'



We continue to learn about values; we have been increasing our understanding of the values of Simplicity, thoughtfulness and tolerance through our whole school assemblies and in our lessons in class. This term we will be looking at the values of Tolerance and Trust.

We have many children who demonstrate the values during the week and we celebrate them in Friday assembly.