



Hazel

Weekly Review

27th April 2012



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It has been another busy week in Class Hazel, beginning with our Bourn Olympics on Monday afternoon. The children have worked hard in all areas of the curriculum and are responding really well to our Olympics topic. Just to remind you that it is our class assembly next Friday 4th May. I hope as many of you as possible will be able to come along. You will find a separate note in your child's book bag regarding any costumes which may be needed next week. Thank you for your support in this. Have a lovely weekend.

Literacy

This week the children have started work on writing an extended story. We used the story 'Katie in London' as our springboard to begin our discussion. The children have developed their understanding of story structure through orally retelling the story.

We also imagined what we might like to take if we had an adventure like Katie did. The children gave some very good reasons for their choices.

They thought about a plan for their own story and so we are now looking forward to writing the story over the next 2 weeks.

Numeracy



In Numeracy sessions this week our focus has been measures. Building upon the work we did earlier in the year we have continued to develop the children's understanding of different units of non-standard and standard units of measurement, including metres, centimetres, grams and kilograms. The children have enjoyed using a variety of equipment to help them solve their measuring problems including rulers, tape measures and lots of different weights and weighing scales.



Enrichment Curriculum



The opening ceremony on Monday was a great success and thankfully the rain held off for most of the afternoon. Mrs Field put a huge amount of work into organising this for the whole school and it really enabled the children to gain a sense of what an opening ceremony involves. The Key Stage 1 Choir performed brilliantly and with such confidence. The children reflected on this experience by looking at photos and video footage of the 1948 London opening ceremony. They made comparisons between this ceremony and our own. The children then drew pictures of their favourite parts and wrote a short recount about the Bourn opening ceremony with some children writing about the similarities and differences.

Homework

An Activity Challenge!

- Can you do 10 Star Jumps?
- Can you skip for 1 minute?
- Can you catch a ball 10 times?

Please return completed homework to school by next Tuesday 1st May

Notices

- **Swimming** - Swimming will be starting next week. Our swimming days will be Monday, Thursday and Friday. Please ensure your child has their swimming kit in school on these days.
- **Clubs** - Clubs start next week and you should have received confirmation from Katie about which club your child has a place in.
- **Class Hazel Assembly** - next Friday 4th May

Best wishes
Mrs Daniels and Mrs Seymour