



Year 1 Tigers

Week 6 Autumn 1 2024

The children had a much drier afternoon for Forest school this week, they all loved the opportunity to roast marshmallows and to have a go at making dens. There are some great photos of them enjoying these activities with their friends from Leopards.

In topic this week we started to look at some famous Victorians - we found out that some of the things we use today were invented by famous Victorians including the telephone, police officers and light bulbs! We started making a simple fact file about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole, both of whom helped soldiers during Victorian times.

In science we continued our work on this term's topic on 'Animals (including humans)' by thinking about all the different animals we knew. The children then worked together to sort out photographs of animals into their groupings. We found out about what these different groups are called and why the animals within the groups are similar to each other. The children then completed their own sorting sheet, identifying reptiles, amphibians, mammals, birds and fish. The children also completed their work on senses by creating a lift the flap book showing the 5 senses we have and where and what they are used for.

In Maths this week they have been looking at comparing numbers, ordering numbers and number lines. The children continue to work on the correct formation of numbers to 10 and are all trying really hard.

The children have helped their EYFS friends make two books all about Tiger class, each Year 1 child has their own page on which they show some of their favourite things. Do have a look at the next open door as they are on display in the reading corner.

The children took part in 'World Mental Health' day on Thursday, with a 'wear yellow' day to raise awareness of mental health and raise funds for young minds who do some amazing work supporting young people with their mental health. The children created a painted handprint for our whole school display and on their handprint they wrote at least one positive affirmation about themselves. We spent time talking about how we can help look after our mental health which is just as important as our physical health.

The children also had a great PE session with their Leopard Year 1 friends as they further developed their footballing skills. They also continued to work on their dancing skills with their EYFS friends through our firework dance we are learning.

As always if you have any questions please just ask.

