Baslow St. Anne's C of E Primary School

Life in all its fullness .. growing healthy minds and hearts together

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EYFS

Week 6 Autumn 1 2026

Well done on another busy week – we have been looking at measuring this week. The children have been exploring the language of measuring with regard length and height. We had great fun measuring everyone and putting us all into height order and then focused on learning about the word longer and shorter. Do see if you can practise using these words this week at home!

As part of our 'Dino-Roar' topic the children were looking at which things were real or pretend when looking at princesses, dragons and dinosaurs.

They had great fun finishing their work on senses by creating their very own senses monster, these are on display in our corridor – do pop and have a look. The children are very proud of them!

This week's phonics has introduced the first digraph (two letters that make one sound) to the children – ck, they have now been introduced to 16 phonemes. We continue to work on listening to and hearing the initial sound in words and trying to hear how sounds join together to make words (oral blending). The children are really starting to settle into their daily phonic sessions.

The children had fun listening to the story 'Cave Baby' and then got to create their own cave drawings.

They continue to love our 'wiggle to squiggle' sessions, which are aimed at helping develop those handwriting skills.

Huge thanks to everyone for coming to our parent evenings this week, if you can return the parent questionnaire that you were given before half term that would be great. As explained we use your feedback to help us support next year's cohort.

As always please ask if you have any questions.



