



# THE BRIDGE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to our latest edition of The Bridge School Newsletter. We're delighted to share the many wonderful things that have been happening at our school so far this term.

## BADGERS EYFS - SUPERMARKET FUN

The Bright Spark Badgers EYFS went to the supermarket! We had a super time role playing choosing items, paying for them and bagging them up. We had a great time learning life skills!



## HEDGEHOGS - LET'S GROW

Hedgehogs have had a lovely time so far this term. Amongst many other exciting things, they have been learning about growing plants by planting their own seeds in soil and in a transparent bag so that they can watch the progress.

They have been having a go at balancing and travelling in P.E., balancing on different parts of the body and discovering different ways to travel across the mat.

They have also been learning about Black History Month where they used the shapes that they have been learning about in maths to create some stunning pieces of artwork. They have all worked hard and had lots of fun!

## BUTTERFLIES - FARM SHOP

The Brilliant Butterflies stocked their farm shop with class produced products.

We milked Daisy the class cow and put the milk through the filtering process ready to bottle. We also collected eggs from the class hen, ready to package and sell.



The children brought bread, butter and eggs from the farm shop and made egg sandwiches.



## CLASS 8 - WORKING HARD

Nathan working hard at his Theramplycs, which helps with your pencil control and fine motor skills



Harry and Ronaldo were working hard in Maths learning about all about comparing different amounts and incorporated soil and vegetables for Harvest.

## DEERS - SETTLING IN

Over the past 4 weeks, the Deers have settled into their new routine and made new friends but also have continued friendships that they had in previous years. They have engaged well in their new environment and continued to develop their skills across the curriculum.

In Science they have been looking at how food we eat grows and explored not only how they grow but where fruits and vegetables that we eat grow. In computing we have discovered algorithms by following and making instructions for fun activities and making cakes and biscuits. In art we have been creating prints in the style of pop art and Andy Warhol.

In English we have been exploring rhymes and songs about food and harvest and using these to develop our reading, writing and communication skills and in Maths we have been continuing to develop our understanding of number.

It has been a great start to the year for the Deers at The Bridge School and we continue to be the best that we can be.



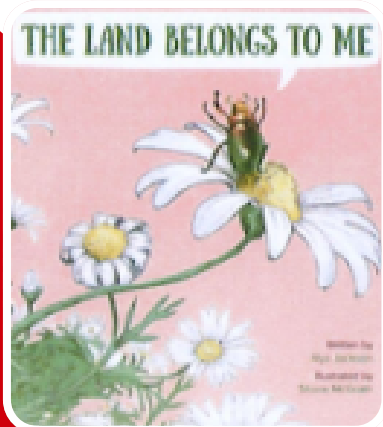
## SUPER SQUIRRELS - POP!

The Super Squirrels have had a fantastic start to the school year! We have really been loving our current Art topic and have been creating some excellent POP art in the style of Andy Warhol. We've even put some of our work on display outside of our classroom.

We think it really brightens up the school!



**OTTERS - ON THE LAND**



This Autumn term the theme is on the land.

The children in Otters class have been listening to the story 'The Land Belongs To Me' by Alys Jackson.

Each page of the story is presented with a short sentence and then a sensory experience is presented. This can be sensory objects to explore, clothing to try on, songs, music and more.



In RE Otters learnt about Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year) where they enjoyed exploring the religious artifacts and listening to Jewish music.

The children then made some sun catchers of the items that are important for Jewish people.



## FOXES - HARVEST

The Fantastic Foxes have enjoyed learning all about harvest foods and how they are farmed and harvested.



## REMARKABLE RABBITS - USING OUR SENSES

This term in communication and language, Remarkable Rabbits have been using our 5 senses to explore what we can smell, see, feel, taste and listen to on a farm.

All the children have enjoyed themselves very much. They have also done some brilliant mark-making in flour, paint and crushed biscuits.



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