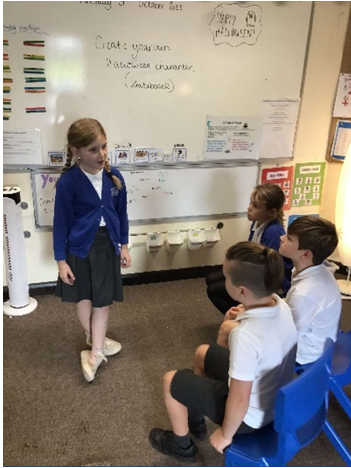


Crystal News



We have a brilliant first week of term 2 and I must say the children have been brilliant!

In **maths**, the children have been completing Halloween mystery maths. They had to figure out all the different clues and mini challenges in order to solve a mystery. We have also been focusing on subtraction written method and mastering those exchanges.



In **English**, we have started reading Fantastic Mr Fox. We role played the character of Mr Fox and the farmers. The children loved asking questions and thought really deeply about the questions they asked. A big welcome to Mrs Jones who assists us in English, the children love having you here and so do I!

In **PE**, we started our gymnastics topic. After our gymnast visit last term, the children worked hard on perfecting their forward rolls before using apparatus to explore different ways we can move

through the apparatus. They were great!

We were also really lucky to have a visit from Dogs trust where the children met Daisy the dog and Helen. They learnt all about how to treat and stay safe around a dog. The children did me really proud of how well they listened and took part in this workshop.



Reading, we have introduced a new raffle challenge. If a child reads 5 times a week they will receive a raffle ticket that will be put into a class draw. The more raffle tickets a child has, the higher the chance of winning the class reading trophy for the term!

Important notices

Spelling books and reading records are due every Friday – If these are not handed in by the children, I will not be able to mark, check reading records and stick the spellings in as I do this on my lunch hour. If for any reason your child seems to be missing one, please contact me and I will be able to email one to you. My email address is Abi.Hurford2@gmail.org.uk

Mathletics home learning has been set for this week.

Please ensure that all jumpers have names in. I am finding lots of jumpers being left with no name on- I have put these into lost property if the children aren't able to sniff test them!

Have a lovely weekend

Miss Hurford.