

Diamond Class Newsletter



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This week :



On Monday ,the children visited The Lifebus and explored the theme of making the right choices and the importance of being able to say no when faced with peer pressure . During the session the children took part in discussing dilemmas and possible outcomes regarding alcohol and cigarettes in an age appropriate way with puppets and short videos. They learnt how important it was to be unique and celebrated the fact that we are all different.Back in class, we took part in role playing real life situations where the children needed to make safe choices.

Dr Tom Robson worked with us on Wednesday and encouraged the children to use "Gem Powers" .

Diamond – taking responsibility and solving problems

Emerald – standing on the edge and be able to be calm when faced with a challenge.

Opal – being kind, doing acts of random kindness and smiling at others.

Sapphire – being able to ignore monster distractions.

He talked to the children about ways in which they could grow their powers both at home and in school .You may well have noticed a difference already and it would be great if you could continue to promote these powers at home too. More information can be found on Tom's website - <http://www.tredu.co.uk>

Next week :

I have set a book for every child on Bug Club this week, and this book will be used for guided reading sessions next week - it would be advantageous for your child to read it beforehand. Thank you.

Children were also set a short spelling investigation at the beginning of this week to be completed for Monday 6th November (in spelling books)

Mrs Moncrieff

