

# Diamond Class Newsletter

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This week in maths, we have started to investigate perimeter of rectangular shapes. In order to understand the concept of perimeter and the need to use standard units of measure, I asked the children how they could measure the netball pitch. They came up with some interesting ideas, using all the children, using strides and footsteps. After experimenting and comparing their outcomes, they concluded that they needed a standard unit for measuring. Yesterday, they carried out investigations using trundle wheels, tape measures and metre sticks. We will be continuing this learning next week also.

## **PROJECT OUTCOME NEXT FRIDAY 9.30 -10.30**

You will have already received a text to invite you to celebrate your child's learning next Friday. As ever, the children are hugely excited by this and have been coming up with some very creative ideas to showcase their learning. They have been keen to raise money and donate this to a local charity too, with this in mind, they have designed images of Clifton Suspension Bridge and we are currently in the process of printing them on bags and T-shirts. The charity the children have chosen is "Bristol Street Vets", and we hope to sell the bags and T-shirts together for £5. The children then came up with the idea of doing a fashion show to model their work and we hope to incorporate this into the event too. There will be also be an art gallery and some refreshments. I hope are able to support the children in this fundraising venture and join us next Friday.

A sneak preview of the bags and T-shirts



Mrs Moncrieff





