

Emerald Class News

7th December 2018

Emerald Class Newsletter:

This week:

We have started a new routine where the children start the day with mental math methods. Each morning, the children start their day by carrying out a quick fire number bonds challenge. If the children can practise their number bonds to 10 (to start) and their 2 times tables, this will help them hugely as overall mathematicians.

In between the practise for the Christmas performance, the children have been creating Christmas decorations ready for the Christmas fair. The children applied different skills to making the different types of decorations.

We have been writing our 'Up' stories and the children have enjoyed sharing and critiquing to improve our writing. In Maths, we have been learning what the concept of adding really means and the children have been showing pictorial representations as well as reasoning what happens in addition.

Our bird feeders are now outside and supporting the birds for this Winter.

Next Week:

We will be sending out a letter for Emerald's class' school trip. This will be on the first Thursday we shall be back at school, after Christmas (10.01.19). We are hoping to go to the Theatre Royal in Bath to watch the production of Peter Pan. Our project after Christmas will be based on the Peter Pan text. If you are available and would like to be a parent helper for this day, please let the office know. I appreciate that this trip will be costly (as theatre trips are) and so all money that we raise at the Christmas fayre shall be given to the school trip in the hopes of reducing the amount you will need to pay. The more we sell at the Christmas fair, the more we can reduce the trip cost for you. Letters shall be sent once we have deducted the Christmas fair earnings from the price.