



Emerald Class Newsletter

1.12.2017 – Term 2



What have we been learning?

This week the children looked at hot countries and cold countries in relation to the equator and tropical lines. Also the children took time to compare weight using the language of heavy and light.



We looked into the history of computers from where it all began up until now, the children were surprised at the size and lack of technology in the past. The children

Following the story of the hare and the tortoise the children used different language using quicker and slower and made up their own sentences. Near the end of the week the children created their own baubles to sell at the Christmas fair for £1. There will also be cakes and small Christmas trees donated to buy, all the funds raised go towards Emerald class and the children have already started discussing what they would like to spend the money on. We hope to see you all there!

NOTE: Our reading challenge has begun! If the children read five times a week they can move their caterpillar up the tree to try and reach the butterfly. Reading could involve phonic learning in purple home books, reading school or home book, sharing a book with family, bug club etc. Any form of reading is fine as long as it is written in the orange reading record.

Mental Maths: Recognise any number to 100.

Example: Adult: say a number.

Child: Writes the number or says the digits of the number. Be careful of number reversal.

Next Week

The children will have their wonderful Christmas performances (dates and times below) next week and are making preparations for their Big Blue Day! The children will be exploring aerial maps and creating their own of the school grounds.

Dates for you Diary

Big Blue Day – 14th December @ 1:30pm-3:00pm

School play – Monday 4th December @ 2:00pm or Wednesday 6th December @ 9:45am