



Jet Class Newsletter

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What have we been learning?

This week we have immersed ourselves in our new class text 'The snail and the whale'. We wrote postcards from the snail telling his friends all about his adventures.

We have been focusing on adjectives ending in -er and -est in grammar and confidently applied these new adjectives in our postcard writing to describe what we could see, hear, feel and smell.

In maths we have been developing our addition skills to 20 using number lines and the bar model method.

In geography we explored the geographical vocabulary for human and physical features for a setting. We then labelled an aerial view photograph of Bamburgh (Grace Darlings birthplace) using these features.

In art we have started to paint the sea backgrounds for our Van Gogh seascape paintings. We used brusho, watercolour, acrylic and added salt to create texture to the waves.



Next Week

In English we are going to develop our questioning skills, using who, what, why, when, where to role play interviewing the children from 'The snail and the whale' story.

In maths we are moving onto subtraction to 20, subtracting a single digit from a two digit number and a two digit number from a two digit number.

In art we will be sketching our boat, lighthouse or sea creature to add onto our seascape picture.

Other News

We are looking for some parent helpers to come in on either Monday 2nd December or Tuesday 3rd December in the afternoon to come and help us to create some items to sell at the Class Christmas Sale on Monday 9th December. Please let us know if you can help on either of these dates.

At the class Christmas Sale will be selling the children's own Van Gogh Seascape paintings for £3.50 and reindeer Marshmallow treats £2.50 for large jars and £2.00 for a small jar.

Please send your child in with a glass jar with a lid by Monday 1st December.

We are also really needing extra parent helpers on a regular basis to help with the changing the books and hearing readers.

Christmas performances

Monday 9th December @ 2pm

Wednesday 11th December @ 10am

