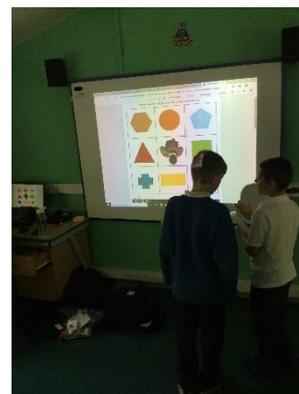


Stingrays Governors Report

Maths

Throughout this half term we have focused on Place Value, Mental Calculation, 2D shape, Length including perimeter, Statistics, Written Addition and Subtraction. We have linked our maths to real life situations and where possible made it a practical learning activity. The children have completed some fantastic work including turning real-life statistics based on school lunches into graphs, playing speed board games with 3 digit column addition and solving complex puzzles including 2d shapes.



English

We started our English with a twist on traditional tales, before learning about how to write recounts specifically a newspaper and a biography. The children have been really engaged with the English work and produced one of the best debates I have seen around whether goldilocks was innocent or guilty in our 'Stingray Courtroom'. Our class was then interrupted by a satellite which fell from space with all the NASA markings crashed into our woods which led to some terrific newspaper articles. Lastly we looked at various biography's including Martin Luther King to link with black history month and Wayne Rooney to link with MR Standing's love of Manchester United. Unfortunately due to covid the children haven't finished a biography on their hero yet but we will pick this up in the next term.



Therapeutic interventions

This term we have used our Friday afternoons to implement our therapeutic interventions.. Our focus this half term was 'scrummy crew' and forest school. Scrummy crew is a therapeutic intervention which involves all types of cooking skills such as chopping, mixing and of course eating. Whilst one group is in scrummy the other group are in forest enjoy scavenger hunts and role play games.



Thrive

Our thrive sessions this half term have very much been focused around teamwork and the TRIP principles Cribden House embeds. The pupils have been completing lots of team activities including board games, building activities and some stop motion animation skills to develop their ability to work with others.



P.E

In our P.E lessons this term the children have been developing their dodgeball skills and their football skills. P.E is one of the pupils favourite lessons especially when there is an opportunity to throw a dodgeball at a teacher.

