

Mulberry Class – Lower

Notable News

Mulberry class have had an excellent start to the school year! Pupils have worked hard and had a lot of fun 😊 We have engaged with a number of themed days, including Children in Need, Remembrance Day, World Mental Health Day and Halloween and Christmas.

Mulberry class think that the most exciting news this term has been the reopening of the swimming pool! Mulberry class have worked hard in sessions to build their confidence in the water. We have learnt to kick, float and even dunk our heads. It is one of our favourite sessions of the week.



Communication

Mulberry class have enjoyed a range of different communication/literacy sessions this term. On Wednesday's we take part in a sensory story in class followed by our exciting activities. We sometimes visit the library to enjoy picking new books to read too. Within our Phonics lessons on Fridays, we have been learning about different letters from the phonics scheme. We have already learnt the letter S, A, and T. We learn how to form the letter and what items, objects and real-life things begin with the letters.



Cognition

This term, Mulberry class have been working hard on developing their number skills and their sequencing and sorting skills. We have enjoyed engaging with different number rhymes, counting tasks, numeral recognition and matching numerals to quantities. We have also learnt about repeating patterns and sorting objects by a given criterion. We have also been learning about time.



Life Skills and Personal Development

In PSHE, we have been learning about our new routine, getting to know our new adults and peers and taking turns with our peers. Pupils have explored their new classroom and have adapted very well.

Pupils have been developing their cooking skills this term. They have been spreading butter and jam to make sandwiches; chopping fruit to make smoothies; and mixing ingredients to make cakes. Their favourite part is tasting the final product!



Upcoming Events

- Wednesday 18th December - Lower School merit assembly / classroom activities
- Wednesday 18th December - Christmas grotto
- Friday 20th December – End of term (early finish for pupils)
- Tuesday 7th January – Start of Spring Term

Next half term our topic will be 'People Who Help Us'. We would welcome any visitors to school to share information with our pupils about their jobs, so please get in contact if you are able to offer any support with this.

Thank you to all our Mulberry class pupils for a fantastic Autumn term! We hope you all have a fantastic Christmas holiday, and we look forward to welcoming you back in the New Year!

From the Mulberry class team

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