

Week beginning 6th January 2020

Happy New Year and welcome back.

Maths

The focus for the week has been on learning about time. We began the week discussing all the measurements of time and devised quite a long list, listing everything from a 'second' up to a 'century'. We then revisited reading, and making 'o'clock' and 'half past'.

English

We began the week learning about similes. We read a variety of poems containing similes before writing our own simile poem about 'Snowflakes'.

History

On Tuesday we talked about H.M.S. Dragon and H.M.S. Victory and compiled a class list of questions that we hoped we would find answers for on our trip.

Music

We have been learning about 'pitch', focusing on low, medium and high. We learnt to play the glockenspiel and by the end of the week we were able to play 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star'.



Trip to the Dockyard

On Wednesday we had a lovely visit to the dockyard where we were lucky enough to board H.M.S Dragon before continuing our visit to H.M.S Victory and

the museum. We explored both ships which enabled us to compare the differences between the two. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day and all the staff were extremely proud of the children, they all behaved beautifully and asked wonderful questions.



PE

This term we are learning the necessary skills to play Netball. We began the session moving a ball around our body, making a figure of 8 between our feet before progressing on to passing the ball to one another. We finished our session playing a passing game with four players, one player had to intercept to obtain the ball.



Reading Roundabout

We continued to explore poems, our activity involved us exploring a variety of different poems before choosing our favourite one and explaining our reasons for choosing it. Each reading group read with their class teacher, and had the opportunity to explore bug club.

In the afternoon both classes had free investigation time.