



Colhuw Nursery class news at Ysgol y Ddraig

Week Ending:
Friday 15th March 2019



This week we have been finding out all about "Fairtrade" and learning to recognise the Fairtrade sign on food items. We enjoyed hearing about "Pablo the banana" and have painted bananas on a large scale with with rollers. We also played games to match the colours to numbers on the Fairtrade sign.

We have continued with practising our counting with 1:1 correspondence and acted out the song "Five currant buns" exchanging coins for our goods.

As part of "STEM" week we investigated how to help the castle characters escape from blocks of ice, making predictions and testing the quickest escape route!

We enjoyed sharing the story of "The Something" by Rebecca Cobb, which is about a little boy whose ball disappears down a mysterious hole in his garden. The little boy starts to imagine what might be down the hole – such as the lair of a hungry troll or a dragon's den – and he's determined to find out what's there. This story is the stimulus for our "Big Dragon Dance" which is a whole school performance to be held on Monday afternoon. This week we have had some dance rehearsals and practised a variety of dance movements. We are looking forward to sharing this next week.

Thank you to all of our families and friends who came to share the "Show and See" activities this week. We hope you found it a valuable experience.

Monday 18th March is our whole school "Big Dragon Dance" which is due to start at 2:15 pm. Please could Nursery children arrive at school at 2pm. Children are invited to wear any clothes that they choose – there is no colour preference. Families are invited to watch the performance. A decision will be made on Monday morning if the performance needs to be postponed due to the weather.

Reminders

Please could all snack contributions (£1 per week) be brought in a named envelope on a Monday morning

- PE will be on a Friday - please wear school uniform with comfortable bottoms to school e.g. joggers / leggings and trainers on this day
 - Please ensure all clothing and bags are clearly labelled.
- Library books - please could book bags be brought to school on a Wednesday and the books will be discussed with staff and changed and sent back home on a Friday. Please write a comment in the reading record book to share with us if your child enjoyed the book.

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If you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to ask.

Diolch yn Fawr

Miss S Grafton, Mrs D Beynon, Mrs J Price and the Nursey team