



# Glasshouses CP School

## Class Weekly Newsletter

Friday 16th June 2017



### News From Class 3

We have had a great time in class 3 this week. In literacy we have learnt some creative writing techniques which we are going to use to write stories next week. In maths we have been working on shape. We have been finding the area and perimeter of some very complicated shapes in year 6. The year 5s have started to look at finding tricky angles in a triangle and the year 4s have learnt about symmetry and different types of triangles.



We have started rehearsals for the play this week and it is coming along very well. The children are working hard to learn their lines and they are really enjoying getting into their characters. I look forward to seeing their ideas for their costumes next week.

On Thursday we took part in activities to celebrate BBC Music Day. The children listened to 'The Hall of the Mountain King' by Grieg and then made up their own compositions to tell a story. They worked well in groups and even made their own musical scores.

### News From Class 2

We've had another good week in Class 2. The year seems to be flying by so quickly! The children all loved making their shakers for music and they are looking fantastic.

We have been carrying on looking at Roald Dahl in literacy and have this week been using commas in a list to talk about his characters and the events that happen in his books.

We have been carrying on with time in numeracy as well as beginning our measurement topic. Yesterday the children did some great measuring of lengths around the classroom, measuring in metres, centimetres and millimetres.

We have started making our plans for our parts in the Summer Production and are very excited about the dances we will be learning!



### News From Class 1

We have had a jam packed week of hard work and fun! The Year 1's all did a great job on Monday for their phonics screening. I am so proud of them—they've all worked super hard to learn all their sounds and blends!

We have been focusing on our 3 little pigs play that we're putting on for our families. Some children have already learn their lines which is fab. Please keep practising them over the weekend :) it's going to be fab! If you need another copy of the script, please let me know and we can get a copy printed out for you.

We have been busy learning about lots of different countries. Bertie the Bat is a bit of a jet setter and has been exploring the globe. This week, he's heading to Africa. We enjoyed finding out information about Kenya and could compare how our homes and schools are different.

In Science we have been learning where our food comes from. The children understand that we can get food from plants and animals and are increasing their knowledge of how we get certain foods. E.g. cereals. This will really help us for some of the activities for Farmer Day (next Friday). We also went for our walk to the Dam to see what we could see, hear, smell and feel. It was a beautiful day to be out.

Class 1 are also very excited for the Roald Dahl whole school performance. We know which dances we are doing now and have began practising them in class. I will try to send you a video of the children practising their dances so they can practise their dances at home too.

A little message for all the wonderful dads.... Have a lovely Father's Day on Sunday. Make sure the children spoil you lots :)

