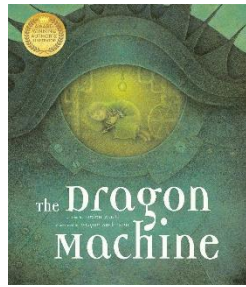


English

During English the children have been using the book *The Dragon Machine* to support their writing outcomes. It all began when the children came into school and noticed a mysterious box which after further inspection had an egg inside. They used their amazing prediction skills and concluded that it could only be a dragon.



They have been working so hard on their writing and have created posters to warn the other children in the school about the dragon. They have written a diary entry in the role of one of the characters in the story and they have also written some fabulous character descriptions about the dragon, how it looks and what type of character they think it could be. They decided that it is a very cheeky, mischievous and clumsy character because it breaks lots of things.

Luna - It was so exciting when the dragon egg appeared in our classroom. We had to be detectives to work out who it belonged to.

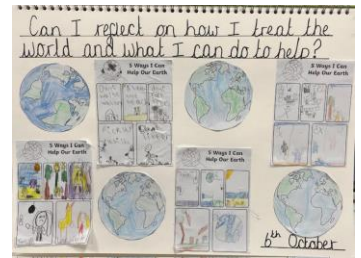
Art

During Art this term, the children have been focussing on painting. The children have spent a lot of time looking at different techniques to draw and paint in the style of LS Lowry. The children loved this unit of work and many pieces of fabulous artwork have been created.



Jacob - I enjoyed mixing and making my own colours.

In RE this term, Year 2 have been focussing on Christianity. Their main focus question was 'Does how we treat the world matter?' We have looked at how humans treat the world and why it should be treated with respect as well as the creation story and the message/importance of it.



Edis - We learn that it is very important to look after the world as it does a lot of things for us that we don't really notice.

Anti-bullying Week

Through their PSHE topic, Year 2 began by looking at how they are all unique and have similarities and differences. Each child designed their own shield which was personal to them and decorated with their special qualities and all of their favourite things.



Year 2 has also been reading the story 'The Rainbow Fish' and discussing the different ways in which they can be kind to one another. The children were very reflective and were able to recognise the small things they can do each day to make a big difference. They talked about issues that are raised in the story including; friendship, sharing and giving and were able to have fantastic discussions about the choices that the characters in the story made and why they were right or wrong.



Nancy Ann - I really enjoyed creating my shield and show how we are all special and unique.