



Middleton News



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Science Focus Week

This week has seen our first Focus week of the academic year, and for many pupils, their first experience of a focus week. This newsletter will centre around events from our Science Focus week. The children (and staff) had a fabulous week and pupil engagement in learning was a delight to observe.

Tuesday began with a focus upon 'Materials Around Us' (Chemistry in 'old money!'). As well as the range of activities visited within classes we also had a visiting activity with 'Professor Bubble Works'.



Wednesday led with the theme 'The way the world works' (Physics in 'old money') Our visiting

activity was the much enjoyed planetarium!



Thursday the children learnt about 'Living Things' (Biology in 'old money') and we were all enthralled by the Ark Farm animals who came to visit us! In the afternoon, the Middle School also enjoyed

a bonfire and sparklers under the watchful eye of Mr Hayes.



Today each class has created an exhibition for the children in the school to view and they have also held a special assembly to celebrate their amazing achievements this week.

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A huge thank you to all of the staff who make such exciting events come to life and who, alongside the pupils, are also feeling exhausted as we reach the end of the week!

Thank you to Mr McLoughlin, our Science lead, who put the week together for us all to enjoy!

Parent Volunteers

A big thank you to all of the families who returned the recent parent survey back to school. It is really helpful to receive parent feedback and we welcome all suggestions as to how we can improve the learning experience for our pupils and their families. An encouraging number of parents shared with us through the survey that they would like to volunteer in school but due to anonymity on the form we do not know who all of these volunteers might be! If you are one of the parents who would like to volunteer then please do contact the school office and let us know so that we can be in touch.

Lunch Choices

Just a quick note to let you know that in future the week one lunch choice on a Friday will be egg roll for the packed lunch option and the tuna roll will be offered on a Tuesday instead.

Dates for the diary

Friday November 18th ;
Children in Need – no uniform for a charity donation.

Have a safe bonfire weekend
Warm regards

Debbie Hartley