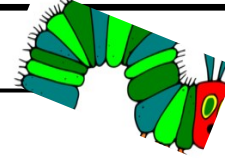


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The Caterpillars went to visit Mudchute Farm. We saw lots of different farm animals and had so much fun!



Year 5 came to spend the afternoon with us. The Caterpillars learned how to make a variety of things using the junk. Champ the python decided to slither into the class. The Caterpillars were brave.



BUTTERFLIES

Minibeasts

This term we learned about lots of different kinds of minibeasts (and creepy crawlies) and how they live. We looked at the life cycles of butterflies and even watched some grow and change in our class. Then, we searched for different minibeasts in the school's garden.



By the end of the Good Samaritan and thinking about the story and outside the school. We talked about how Jesus told the story (like the parable of the Good Samaritan) to help those in need. We really enjoyed the story together.

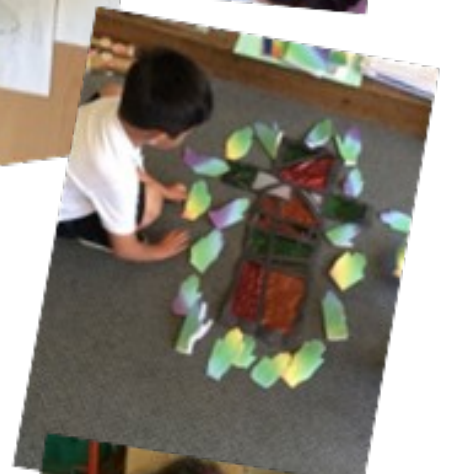


This half term, we have been using our computer skills to create, save and find our work on the computer.

We are now able to find letters on the keyboard and type words really quickly.



Old Flo' by Henry Moore- Have you seen the sculptures in Canary Wharf? So have we!! The Draped seated woman, otherwise known as 'Old Flo' was very interesting to look at so we made our own, creating the different body parts in groups!



Have you spoken to God? Prayer is a very important part of our Catholic lives. We have been learning and understanding that prayer has a very positive impact. We have written our own prayers.



ROAR! We have a surprise for you. As our topic was dragons and monsters, we made our very own monsters and we have come to scare you. Clay was used to create them and after we painted them in a variety of colours. Once the paint had dried, we covered them in PVA glue to give them a shine and strength. They look so horrifying, that you will have nightmares. So tonight, don't look under your bed because what might you see?

By Naisha.



We worked with Darcy to make our very own Year 2 Cafe out of metal wires. We created pictures on metal sheets to decorate the outside.



Our topic this half term was, "Cafes and Restaurants." What do people drink in Cafes? Of course, tea and coffee! The Cutty Sark was a ship built over 150 years ago. She was used to carry tea around the world.





As part of RE, Year 3 had the pleasure of visiting the London Buddhist Centre, Bethnal Green.

We learnt that Buddhism began over 3,000 years ago.

Buddhism is the fourth largest religion in the world.

Buddhists practice three main things:

Totally loving & kind

Totally calm

Totally wise.



Here we are having our first experience of meditation.



I feel so calm and relaxed.



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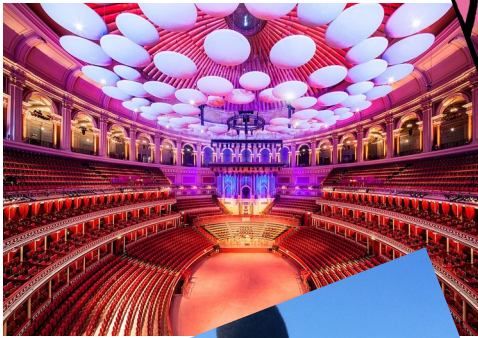
Buddhism believes in reincarnation (rebirth).

The ultimate goal of a **Buddhist** is to get enlightenment (Nirvana) and liberate oneself from endless reincarnation and suffering.



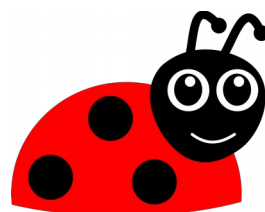
We went to the Royal Albert Hall on a school trip. We made some music patterns using maths and then played games with different instruments. Afterwards, we went into the main hall which was massive and so pretty. We were so thankful for being able to visit this very pretty place.

By Esme.



We had another trip to Hyde Park Look Out Discovery Centre. We got a tube and then walked the rest of the way to get there. It was a long journey until we then met a friendly person called Charlotte and she taught us a lot about nature. It was a fun day!!

By Emily.





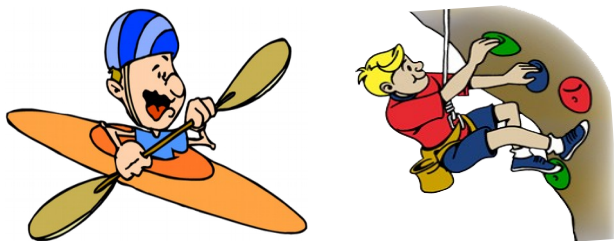
We went on a trip to the London Stadium, as our topic this term is Football. This is the football club, West Ham. It was very luxurious. The staff were really helpful. We got to sit in the players' dressing room and also went through the tunnel which leads out to the pitch. The racing track was really cool and we got to race on the same track that Usain Bolt trained on.



Who do you think will be faster?

We also followed which countries are out of the world cup and which ones are still playing. Each one of us has picked a country out of a hat to follow.





In May we sat our SATs tests. They weren't as bad as we thought and we worked really hard to do our best—we even came to school on Saturdays to do some extra learning!! As a reward for all our hard work, we visited Chessington! What a day! We had a fabulous time and went on most of the rides.



We have continued to be busy. We began by going to Stubbers for a week. We stayed in big tents and camped out. We participated in many activities, such as jet skiing, ball games, canoeing, 4x4 driving, archery, rifle shooting and so much more!

Now it's time to say "goodbye Year 6," we wish you all the best in your new schools!



Of course I have a drivers license!

