

Just to let you know...



After an excellent day at Wisley learning about plant adaptation and the rainforest environment, the children are now experts at discussing ways plants survive in different habitats.

We have also been learning about the problem of deforestation.

The children have been inspired to write beautiful poems this week having seen a film outlining the devastation caused by cattle farming, resettlement and logging in the rainforest. Ask them to tell you how they personified the trees or the machinery used to cut the forest down. We'll put some of the best poems on the website.

No spellings this week as next week we are only here until Weds lunch time. Please continue to practise the use of apostrophes over the half term break.

Please continue to hear your child read regularly over the half term break.

Dear Parents,

Next week we finish at 12 o'clock on Wednesday for the half term break. The children will be bringing home information about a homework project which they may choose to start—it will not need to be handed in until the end of November.

Best wishes
Clare, Tracey, Sarah, Mary and Helen

In maths this week, we took our day out to Wisley to inspire some work on time. We wrote out the timetable of the day and calculated the time spent on each activity, working out time intervals using a number line.

See if your child can convert between analogue, digital and the 24h clock. Can they read a bus or train timetable to plan a day out at half term? Can they organise a 2 hour television schedule?