

# Just to let you know...

In English the children learnt about structuring their writing using time connectives to help them link ideas between paragraphs. Throughout the week, they worked on various activities for the Earth Summit, including: leaflets, Power Point presentations, speeches and posters. We discussed the importance of using emotive language to influence an audience and how significant facts and statistics were to writing an engaging and informative speech.



Next week is full of great activities: the Easter Hop on Monday evening from 6-7.15; the Earth Summit on Wednesday evening from 6.30-7.15; a special Easter service on Thursday morning and our Easter Garden competition which will take place on Tuesday during lunch time.

We are looking forward to our summer term topic '5 Go To Dorset', which is based on a variety of themes including adventure, survival, mystery, geography, geology, fossils and much more!!

Henry, Heather and Alison

In Maths the children learnt about the language of probability and then moved on to working out probability using fractions, decimals and percentages. At the beginning of the week, children discussed the likelihood of an event using key words such as: certain, very likely, likely, even chance, unlikely, very unlikely and impossible. They then moved on to working out the probability of an event using dice, cards and spinners.

To practise, visit:  
<http://www.mymaths.co.uk/tasks/library/loadLesson.asp?title=probability/probIntro&taskID=1209>

Spellings this week are:

Group 1: weight, weigh, reign, eight, eighth, heir, rein, vein, veil, eighteen

Group 2: weight, weigh, reign, eighth, heir, rein, vein, veil, eighteen, heinous, freight, surveillance

