



Newsletter - Term 1: October 2023

Our Christian value this term is: Community

CELEBRATION WORSHIP AND AWARDS

Great Stars of the Week and Mathematics Certificates. Everyone has been working really hard. Well done.



HARVEST FESTIVAL

Preparing for our Harvest Festival!



A great harvest festival at church on Sunday. Thank you to everyone who was able to attend.



NATIONAL TEACHING ASSISTANT DAY



Friday 29th September 2023 was National Teaching Assistants Day. Thank you to everyone for their donations. We raised £111.20 in total for The Brain Tumour charity.



KS1 WESTONBIRT ARBORETUM SCHOOL TRIP

Wren class joined their friends from Bibury School. We visited Westonbirt Arboretum. We learnt about the special trees they have and which seeds they produce. We had fun collecting leaves, though the sweet chestnuts had very prickly cases to stop the animals eating them.



KS2 THE LIVING RAINFOREST SCHOOL TRIP

Kingfisher and Owl class joined Bibury on a great trip to The Living Rainforest. It was very warm! It felt like we had been transported straight into the Amazon. We learnt about all the plants and animals that live there.



EYFS FOREST SCHOOL



During forest school we had a visiting ladybird and lots of den and nest building for our furry and feathered friends.



We used leaves we had collected from our trip to Westonbirt. We made autumn leaf crowns. The wind blew a few away but we managed to catch them.



Forest school was all about getting kitted up for the colder weather. We also painted our register badges.



WREN CLASS



Our friends from Bibury joined Wren class. We had a visit from Sarah Coyle. She is the author of the Pick A Story books. She was fantastic and



transported us into her books and adventures. We had a great time deciding where the story should go.



We have been developing our cutting skills in EYFS. A superhero cape was made and then the children helped each other make more. Great EYFS teamwork.

In science Wren class have been learning about their senses. We went on a senses walk to see what we could touch, see, smell, hear and taste. We also learnt the first letter of our name in sign language.



KINGFISHER CLASS

Kingfisher class made magnetic maze games. They had great fun trying to solve each other's mazes.



OWL CLASS

Owl class have been testing out air resistance in Science. They timed how fast they could run with and without the parachute. They found that the parachute did slow them down creating more air resistance.





Owl class had a visit from Cotswolds Schoolbeat Officer, PC Davis. They were learning about internet safety. We love to see PC Davis in school.

Owl class have been learning about forces. They had to pick up jelly cubes today using chop sticks. One covered in sugar and one covered in oil. They managed to pick up both but the cubes covered in sugar were much easier due to the friction created.



THANK YOU



A big thank you to a lovely parent who has donated some beautiful stones to our rock collection. What's your favourite rock?