

Classroom News



Class Name: Balmoral

Term: Summer 1 2023-2024

Topic: Build it up!

What we have been doing this term:

This term we have begun our new topic of 'Build it up!', exploring following instructions, building and developing our independence skills.

In English, we have been learning the story 'We're the Castle School Builders', beginning with a sensory story and through our Attention Autism sessions have been working on developing different skills including hammering, stacking, sorting and cleaning!

We have also continued to focus on our phonics knowledge, working on recognising and applying phase 2 sounds. This term everyone is working so hard at their daily recall and some pupils are beginning to blend sounds together to read words and books.

In maths we have explored shape, recognising 2D shapes, sorting them and identifying how many sides they have. We also began to explore 3D shapes, matching them to pictures and learning their names as well as building structures. We are now exploring length, identifying long and short and sorting objects by length.

In our life lessons we have been focusing on how we keep ourselves healthy. We started by exploring a range of fruits and vegetables, using talking mats to discuss our likes and dislikes. We are now exploring how to keep ourselves healthy, exploring a range of different exercises and learning about hand washing and keeping safe in the sun.

We hope you have a lovely half term!

- Kate & The Balmoral Team

Dates & Points to remember:

Last day of term: Friday 24th May

First day back: Monday 3rd June

Sports Day: Thursday 20th June

Castle Fest Fete: Saturday 22nd June 1pm – 3pm

Paultons Park: Tuesday 9th July

Last day of term: Wednesday 24th July

Some photos of us!

