

What we have enjoyed this week ...

This week, the children had the opportunity to learn to ride their bikes. Mrs Morris went onto the big yard with small groups of children, where they all listened carefully to the 'Go Velo' instructor. Everyone made fantastic progress over the course of the three days and we are incredibly proud of them all. A big thank you goes to Mrs Morris, who spent three days on the top yard, in her role of 'Chief Encourager'. The little riders felt comforted by her presence and proud that she was there to see their amazing new skills!

Back in class, our story focus for the week, was the setting of castles, palaces and towers. Over the course of the week, the children have enjoyed listening to a range of stories and acting them out in the castle role play area of the classroom!

On Friday, the children found out about a real princess, called Elizabeth, who lived a very long time ago. She was locked in a tower a bit like Rapunzel and she had a sister called Mary. The children were interested in the different clothes worn by the people in the past and decided that they were not at all like the clothes that we wear today.

During Chatter Time, the children have enjoyed sharing their homework about life in the past. Everybody listened very carefully to each other and thought about how some things from the past are the same as they are today, and some things are different. A particular highlight, was the discovery that, in the past, people had to go outside to the bottom of the garden if they wanted to go to the toilet!

Homework

Next week, the children in Class Reception will be delivering their very first worship and presentation. In preparation for this, I would like the children to learn their lines. They have brought a copy of their lines home today.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Hope

