



Stoats

Class News

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Welcome to our last class page of the Autumn Term. We have continued to be extremely busy and the following learning opportunities are only a selection of the highlights.

Our studies in science and geography have inspired phenomenal creations this term. Our recent endangered species homework provided us with the challenge of making something unique from an assortment of materials and in a variety of mediums. We certainly rose to the challenge and let our imaginations soar. We had the pleasure of eating a scrumptious selection of butterfly, elephant, polar bear, whale and tiger inspired cupcakes and we quickly demolished two large and delicious tiger cakes complete with stripes. There were also delicate dormice, perfect polar bears, wondrous whales, extraordinary elephants, beautiful butterflies and a wonderful wildcat.



Chelsea's polar bear habitat



Summer's large blue butterfly

During our enrichment lessons, we have created incredible water cycle dioramas. Here are Caitlyn, Luke and Harvey with their models:



We have also been crafting beautiful clay ornaments. Here we are getting our clay ready for rolling:



Kela, Sophie, Keaton and Joe get to grips with their clay

In literacy, we have focused on writing narratives with familiar settings and we have worked extremely hard to incorporate a rich and varied vocabulary and use a range of fronted adverbials to enhance our descriptions. Here's Melissa's description of the dump:

'At the bottom of the pile, dark green moss clung to the seats of red, rusty and rotten cars that had almost vanished into the earth.'

We have also been busy outside, as The Woodland Trust kindly gave us lots of saplings to plant in our school grounds. In fact, we have been very interested in all things to do with nature and the world of living creatures.

Stanley and George worked together to create three different food chains.



We wish you all a relaxing and joyous Christmas holiday.