

Year 4

Everybody Spellings 10:

Dropped, hopped, shopped,
hugged, stopped, tripped, fitted,
clapped, rubbed, planned.



Dear Parents,

I am so happy that we have most of the children back in school now and can finally return to 'just' class lessons and not online too. Your children have impressed me with their resilience: the last couple of weeks have been a real challenge for all of us! I hope that all of those parents who were also ill are recovering well!

Maths this week saw the children being introduced to finding the area of shapes. They were able to understand that this is measuring the inside of a shape and not the outside (as with perimeter.) To start with, the children have been comparing shapes using centimetre squares and will move onto looking at other ways to find the area later in Year 4. Next week, the children will re-cap their written methods and the existing knowledge they have on finding fractions from Year 3.

In English this week, the children planned their own stories. Mrs Christian set them the challenge of writing a story in any genre they wanted to and provided them with some focus areas, such as interesting sentence openers, using mature vocabulary, exciting description.

Woodland learning was great fun this week! The children's highlight was eating smoky s'mores roasted on the fire. It was no easy feat to get the fire started this week either!

Thanks,

Mrs Ward and Mrs Vennart