



## Achievements

**During this week's reflection, pupils shared what they have learnt this week. Here is a summary of their comments:**

- That magpies are thieving birds.
- How to calculate the duration of elapsed time.
- Playing fun games in the woods has helped us to learn more about the environment in a unique way. Learning about biodiversity outside is incredibly interesting.
- How to do the weather in Gaelic.
- How to convert hours into minutes and vice versa.
- All percussion instruments can play in one piece of music.

### This week ...

- This week, pupils completed their informative posters on a native species of their choice. They are displayed on the wall and look fabulous!
- We had our second music session with Liza this week and the class thoroughly enjoyed the games and Gaelic songs. Pupils are invited to bring their musical instruments in each Tuesday for the lesson. (Only if they are portable)
- In maths we continued with angles and we are demonstrating how to use a protractor accurately.
- In 'Running Wild' Will witnessed a terrible crime. Oona and Will came across a large clearing where they met an orangutan family. Unfortunately, a group of hunters arrived, kidnapping Will and the baby orangutans. The beautiful tiger met his fate with the evil Mister Anthony. We hope that Oona will somehow save Will and the vulnerable orangutans.
- The Green Group have finally discovered who the 'Wet Suit Man' is! Many were pleased to have predicted that it was a relative of Lizba. The Purple Group have discovered that Martine's prophecy is about to come true as the boat was hit by a terrible cyclone. We all look forward to continuing with our books next week.
- We had our final Bikeability session on Wednesday. It has been great to see their confidence grow each week and perfect some skills. They were very pleased to receive a certificate.
- In numeracy this week we looked at time problems. This involved reading the questions carefully. The Ospreys and Red squirrels had to convert between 12 hour and 24 hour, read a programme of events accurately and calculate time durations. The Wild cats converted between hours and minutes and vice-versa, as well as converting international time differences. They have enjoyed the time warm up questions, which have been getting progressively harder.
- We had our second health lesson on the body this week. I am super impressed with their maturity. They have listened carefully and asked sensible questions throughout.
- Pupils started writing their reports this week and will continue with them next week. You will be able to read them when the class reports are issued in June.
- We had a 'Celebrity Get Me Out of Here' theme in the woods on Thursday. Pupils had to work collaboratively to solve a numerical picture, created by a member of their team. If their team guessed correctly, they won a star. Each star collected was rewarded with a piece of a jigsaw. They had 10 seconds to guess who the influential person was with the pieces they had earned.  
We then created a collage piece of our native Red squirrel. Pictures will be posted on the Google classroom. Pupils enjoyed playing some animal themed games and also having 5 minutes in their 'quiet space' in the woods.
- Our final group taught their P.E lesson to the Yellow Room on Thursday. It was particularly challenging as they all wanted to lead. We reflected on this and collectively they agreed that they need to work co-operatively together and take more time to organise their roles beforehand.
- Our third Gaelic session took place on Friday. This week we learnt about the weather. The games are fun and really support their learning.

### AOCB

- P.E will be on **Mondays and Wednesdays**

Please can pupils come to school dressed in their P.E gear on a Monday.

- Outdoor learning will be every Thursday until the end of term.

Please ensure your child comes to school dressed appropriately for outdoor activities.

Please can I remind pupils to bring their water bottles to school daily. Bottles can be refilled throughout the day.

### Question stems for discussion at home:

What was the most enjoyable part of your week?	Tell me one thing that you learnt this week...	What did you find tricky this week?	What did you do in class this week that you want to try again? Why?
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Date: Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May

Class: P6

