

Dear Parents/carers

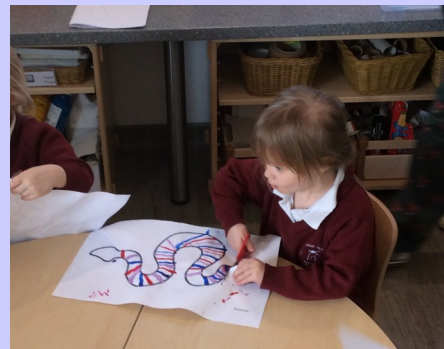
It has been another great week in school with lots of learning going on with children eager to share their work.

EYFS have been using their mathematical skills to identify repeating patterns and have made lots of their own patterns too. Everyone joined in to create a Jack and the Beanstalk story book and whilst they couldn't quite grow a giant beanstalk they've been caring for the amazing Aloe Vera that they are growing. The week ended with a performance of their story for the children in KS1, what incredible acting and performance skills they have.



Can you spot the pattern?

And fantastic cutting out too!



Y1/2 have been learning how to conduct an investigation in a scientific manner using 'concept cartoons' to develop thinking skills. They've also been measuring around school and found the school hall was 13m long. They have been taking inspiration from Kandinsky and recreating the artist's work using different media.





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Y3/4 Have been learning about the properties of different 2D and 3D shapes in their geometry lessons. In English they have enjoyed the story of, 'Mrs Cole and I' finding inspiration to develop their own stories. In PE they have been developing their gymnastic skills and in science have been finding out more about reflective materials.

Y5/6 There's been a lot of geometry this week! Y5/6 have been finding out more about angles and taking it to the next level to learn about quadrilaterals. How many are there? Can you name them?

It's also been a week to go exploring the far reaches of deep space, researching the Solar System and what's actually out there!

Forest School

Unfortunately we had to postpone plans to re-commence Forest School activities outdoors—the weather got the better of us as it was just too cold. We'll try again next week, so please remember to send suitable outdoor clothes and footwear.

After-school Enrichment Activities

We're pleased to be able to start our enrichment programme after the half-term break and will update you soon to let you know the activities that will be on offer - watch this space.

Scouts & Cubs

The Scout group held its AGM in the school hall this week and the scouting activities will be starting again after the half-term holiday.

HEAD TEACHER'S awards this week once again go to: Willow Keenahan, Tilly Pummell, (who also got the 'Star of the Week!' award) Felicity Bale, Catherine Bates, Maren Jenkins and Emelia Joel for creating their own Jack and the Beanstalk book. They also demonstrated their super acting skills in an amazing performance of the story to KS1! Very busy bees indeed!

Have a good weekend!

From us all at Mount Pleasant School!