

Key Stage 1



News
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Hedgehogs



This week in English, the children have been writing and editing their new stories about 'The lighthouse Keeper's Disaster'. They had amazing ideas and wrote some excellent stories. They also learned to add commas to lists.

In maths this week the children have been learning to use positional language for movement and direction. They moved objects clockwise, anticlockwise, left, right, quarter, half and whole turns and made drawings of the finished position of the objects they had moved. They also used treasure maps to find different objects of treasure by following directions.

Squirrels

This week in English, the children have been looking at similes and how to add them to their writing. They also looked at sentence openers and started changing parts of the story to then write up their new story for next week

In maths, the children were looking at estimating measurement and then working out time problems and how much time had passed. They focused on looking at quarter past and half past the hour.



Rabbits



In English the children continued to enjoy The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch story. They looked at the events in the story and wrote sentences using conjunctions e.g. 'and', 'so' to make their work more interesting and varied. They finished the week by working in pairs to create their own 'story map' for The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch before using it to act out the story in groups.

Maths lessons focused on geometry this week. Through a variety of practical tasks, the children described position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three-quarter turns. They progressed to finding and naming three quarters as three of four equal parts of an object or shape.

TOPIC learning:

The children learned about the history of the 'Punch and Judy' show and watched a puppet show, they then created their own puppets and posters to advertise the show. They also discussed how lighthouses work and why they are important.

Dates for KS1

Wednesday 4th July 2018. All the children in KS1 will be visiting the 'Time and Tide' museum to take part in the 'Seaside Rocks' experience. They will need to wear school uniform and have their own packed lunch.