

Easter visitors on the farm

This year we were thrilled to see the return of our annual lambing event on the Ark Farm. Each year we loan a ewe and her lamb for a week from a local farmer. Our new visitors set up home on the farm and all of the classes are encouraged to complete a piece of linked work it could be science, art, english - anything as long as it is related to the sheep! This year we were pleased to welcome classes from Moorlands to the farm - we look forward to lots more visits in the near future.

Below is a selection of the work completed from this event.

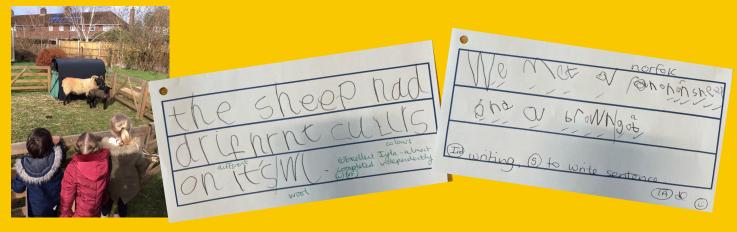
PETERHOUSE - Butterfly and Dragonfly Class

The children from Butterfly and Dragonfly class read the story 'Where is the green sheep?' and then created their own colourful sheep using a variety of materials.



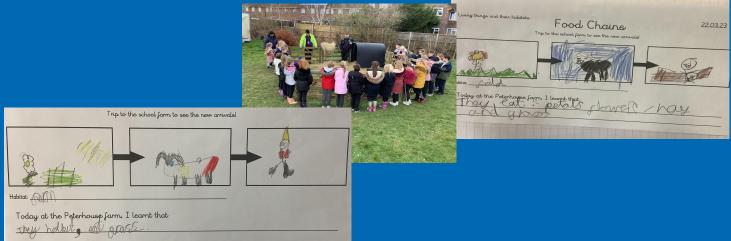
MOORLANDS - Robins Class

The children in Robin class worked very hard to create some writing all about sheep, using the facts that they had learned from their visit.



PETERHOUSE - Caterpillar and Bumblebee Class

The children in Year 2 used this opportunity to develop their science topic of animals and habitats. They had lots of great questions which helped them to create food chains back in class.



MOORLANDS - Hedgehogs class

The children in Year 1 and 2 worked together to write a class poem based on all their new knowledge about ewes and lambs.

"What is a lamb?
· A Lamb is
<u>a black ball bouncing in a field</u> -
It is a black blacket
on the green Floor.
It is a scrunched up pice of black paper
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by Hedgehogg class.

PETERHOUSE - Blackbirds and Nightingales class

The Year 6 children linked the sheep visit to their current science topic of living things and their habitats, focusing on microorganisms and diseases.

	Flystrike Flystrike
	Statens
	Treatment . Table thesheep recursory from the rest of the flock . Review and kill the maggaets . Share the area . Apply a chonical "inserticide" to kill the eggs _ Featret
P. C.	Statoos .13 linging on one of 18 backless .13 Since ly .15 Since ly
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	Syntons

PETERHOUSE - Seal and Dolphin Class

Year 3 children used their farm visit to produce some wonderful observational drawings and then used their new knowledge to produce fact files.





MOORLANDS - Foxes, Otters and Badgers class

Year 3 and 4 used their sheep visit to inspire their poetry writing. They learned about kennings and then wrote their own versions.

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	Grass cater
	phayful racer
	White sumper
	Brack attacker
	Noise maker
	Fast choser 8
	Heapt stealer
V	cautions malker
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S.A.	one have Nonsolk Lamb.
5	By Leo, F Others class

MOORLANDS - Squirrels class

The children in Year 1 and 2 used the answers to their well thought out questions to create instruction texts on how to look after a sheep.

Hand to look after a land Eirst build a per makesure the lamb has enough spaces to run.
next prepare stowers, have and
Then lead the lamb into the rea Rember to shut the peo-
put dripks in the pen too
Einally take a case of your unb Because it needs love and case. by section