



We are looking forward to welcoming Swallows Class back from their residential later on today. By all accounts they have had a fantastic time; brilliant weather and a fun selection of activities. We gather that lots of children have been challenged to try something out of their comfort zone and the photos on Seesaw show that they have done this with smiles on their faces! We'd like to thank Miss Dillon and Mrs Phelps for taking them, and to the children who have behaved well throughout the week. I'm sure they will all come back very tired and in need of an early night!

Today we welcomed Zoolab into school. Children in Robins and Kingfishers were animal explorers, they met a variety of different exotic animals and learnt about habitats and where the animals lived. Starling Class listened to a talk about predators, prey and food chains. They found out about how the animals depend on each other to survive. Goldfinch Class found out more about habitats and considered why animals are suited to different habitats and why some animals adapt. All the children were invited to look at, touch and hold some of the animals including snails, snakes, scorpions, millipedes and cockroaches.



As a school we have thoroughly enjoyed this warm, sunny weather and have used our outdoor space as much as possible this week. We do hope that this continues into next week and that you all have a lovely half term break.

Mrs Phillips Mr Turull

Diary Dates

June

Monday 5th	Start of Term 6
Tuesday 6th	New Reception parents meeting 4 - 5pm
Wednesday 7th	Class photos
Tuesday 13th	6pm Goldfinch Class Play Performance in Memorial Hall
Wednesday 14th	2pm Goldfinch Class Play Performance in Memorial Hall
Thursday 22nd	Jackdaws Picnic - Swallow Class
Monday 26th	RAGS 2 RICHES collection
Mon 26th - Fri 30th	Arts Week
Thursday 29th	GB athlete to visit school

July

Thursday 6th	Transfer afternoon
Tuesday 11th	Sports Day



News from the Classrooms



This week in Robins we've been learning about the jungle, we've also set our butterflies free and had an exciting visit from the Zoo Lab.



This week in Kingfishers we had our last session of the term at Wren woods. The sun was shining and the children used clay to make tree creatures!



This week in Starling class we have been learning to tell the time to 5 minutes. We found switching from 'minutes to' to 'minutes past' quite tricky so we got out the clock faces to help us. Why not look at your clocks at home throughout the day to see what time it is!



Goldfinches had another visit from the BFG this week. He decided he wanted them to make his favourite drink 'Froboscottle,' which is green lemonade and ice cream! The children had great fun making it and then writing the instructions on how to make it.



Swallows have had an absolutely brilliant time on residential. From abseiling to climbing, survivor to giant paddle boarding, we took on challenges and faced our fears plus we had lots of fun in the process!

