

Friday 28th June, 2024.



# Rufford Class

## What have we been learning about this week?

This week, we have been learning about Charles Goodyear and how he experimented with rubber to use as a material for car tyres. They don't melt in hot weather and don't crack in cold weather either! The material is also sturdy and bendy, to make the shape of the tyre. We experimented with a range of different materials, identifying what they were useful and not useful for, based on their properties.

In Music, we wrote our own lyrics to the song 'Summertime' and tried hard to use rhyming words to add to the rhythm. We discussed vocabulary surrounding the summer and used this within our lyrics.

In English, we have moved on to learning about recounts. We have studied the features of recounts and identified examples of these. We are thinking about our own past experiences and are going to be writing our own recounts based on a positive event in our lives.

In Maths, we have moved on to position and direction, focusing initially on the language. We talked about words such as left, right, above, between and below.

In Grammar, we have been using commas within lists and created our own zoos! And in Reading, we continue to read 'Aziza's Secret Fairy Door' and have been sequencing what we've read so far.

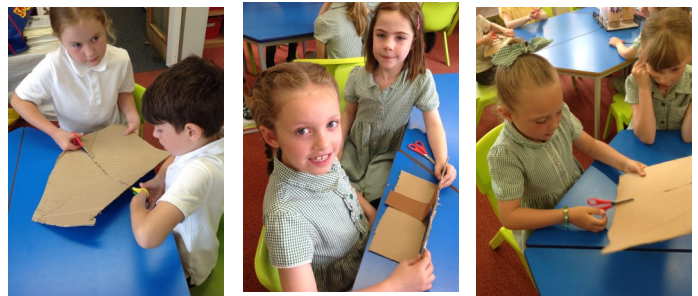
We have had the school Talent Show today - a big well done to Geyo, Toby, Iley and Nicole for taking part!

## Homework Task

This week, please complete the attached times tables sheet. Children should now be confident with 2s, 5s and 10s and will be moving on to different times tables in Year 3.

There is also a reading comprehension to have a go at. Try and work independently if you can!

Completed work can be brought into school or emailed to [rufford@st-lukes.notts.sch.uk](mailto:rufford@st-lukes.notts.sch.uk)



## Spellings

because	always
with	went
looked	sometimes

## Reading Books

Reading books continue to be changed each Monday. Please remember to bring in books and diaries so that three reads can be logged on our bookmarks and books can be changed. Thank you.

**The spelling test is on Wednesday 3rd July. Remember to practise!**