

Friday 12th July, 2024.



Rufford Class

What have we been learning about this week?

This week, we have been learning more about Democracy as one of the British Values. We listened to a story about elections to find out more about what this means and we discussed the importance of living in a democracy.

We have been learning more about what the word 'proud' means and thinking about what we are proud of. We discussed what makes us unique and how we should all be celebrated. We read a wonderful story about colours and families and how to make others feel welcome. Thank you to all the children who wore rainbow colours or who expressed themselves in their own way and to all the parents who supported our Pride Awareness Day!

In Science, we learnt about Agnes Arber, who was the first female botanist to be accepted into the Fellowship of the Royal Society in 1912. We talked about how she should not have been discriminated against because of her gender, and remembered that this is one of the protected characteristics. This lesson also gave us the opportunity to recap what plants need in order to survive and healthy growing conditions.

In PE, we have been practising our throwing techniques relating to discus and shotput. Excellent throwing!

In Music, we learnt about pitch and discussed different sound waves.

Homework Task

This week, have a go at the reading comprehension attached. Also, there is a spelling and grammar sheet for you to complete.

Don't forget to practise the spellings - these are super important too!



Spellings

didn't	hasn't
doesn't	couldn't
wasn't	can't

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 17th July. Remember to practise!