



Holley Park Academy Year 2 Mrs Whyte

*September seems like it was such a long time ago,
When we returned to school
We never knew how much we'd grow,
But look at the achievements we've had each day...*

Talk like a Pirate Day



In September we celebrated national Talk Like a Pirate Day. We had lots of fun dressing up as pirates and taking part in pirate activities both in the classroom and outdoors. We even had a pirate themed PE lesson with Mr Rodger. Ahoy me hearties!

Our topic (based around Geography, English, History, Art and RE) has been about significant figures such as Florence Nightingale and Toys Old and New. We have read the more unusual fairy tales and written our own version of Rumpelstiltskin.



Outdoor Learning



Over the autumn term we have used the outdoors to do some of our learning. We have had senses walks, played number hunts and used the yard rather than our books.

We always enjoy learning outdoors even if Mrs Whyte doesn't like the cold.

Charity Days

Not only do we do lots in school for ourselves we also support others when we can. This term we have supported 'Children in Need', Diabetes Support Charity and worn odd socks to show it's ok to be different.



Remembrance Day



In November we took some time to think about all of those who have risked their lives for us both past and present. We held a two-minute silence in class and remembered by making our own tissue paper poppies.

Christmas

Beamish

We went to Beamish on a very cold and festive day with Year 1. We had a lovely time playing with and finding out about old toys as part of our topic work. We also got to say hello to a very special man in a red suit.

Merry Christmas from all of Year 2.

