

BRENZETT CE SCHOOL

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What a speedy term this has been - and what a lot of exciting learning has been going on since Christmas! Please find some of this term's highlights celebrated here and enjoy a relaxing and rejuvenating half-term.

CELEBRATING OFSTED!



Our pupils were praised for their exemplary behaviour and for embodying our values of Respect, Friendship, Community, Gratitude and Resilience during our Ofsted inspection. Yes, like all schools, there are occasional wobbles, but we know that when our pupils make mistakes, they can take responsibility and try to put things right.

We agree that our little school is going from strength to strength and we will keep building on the great work that has happened here over the past few years to make the school the VERY BEST it can be.

This was a community effort - so thank you all the staff and families who work tirelessly to make Brenzett a school to be proud of!

"PUPILS ARE BLOSSOMING ACADEMICALLY AND EMOTIONALLY IN THIS CARING, SAFE AND AMBITIOUS SMALL SCHOOL." OFSTED 2025



Well done Evie and Georgia who were awarded certificates from the Rotary Club for their amazing Christmas stories!



Well done to Cherry Class for their amazing little moving story books in DT. Lots of patience and resilience needed for these fiddly creations!



MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

NURTURE

A cup of positivity!



Miss Sage has been encouraging positive thinking with her cup of positivity activity this term. They certainly look very uplifting!

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CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

3-9 FEB 2023

We thought about how we can look after our mental health this term. This is something we will continue to focus on as managing our thoughts and feelings will always be important.

You are so loved

Everyone feels worried sometimes and that's ok

Today is going to be a really great day!

JURASSIC WORLD



Acorn Class were transported back into the Jurassic period this term exploring what life was like when the dinosaurs roamed the earth. They became archaeologists digging up dinosaur fossils, and even created their own using dinosaur footprints and salt dough.



World Religion Day



World Religion Day is a chance to learn about what connects us as humans and to know that wherever you are in the world, there are many parts of life which are very similar. The children learned that all religions like to celebrate special events and people, have festivals, enjoy community events, take time to think about the needs of other people and teach the values of compassion and kindness.

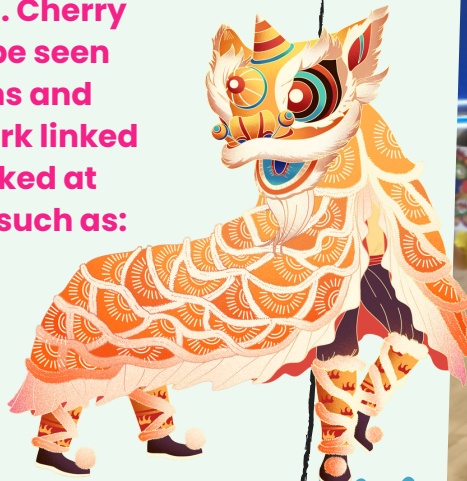
All Over the World...

Each class enjoyed arts and crafts as they explored a different World Religion. Cherry Class, whose beautiful work can be seen here, learned about Islam, Acorns and Willow Class created Rangoli artwork linked to Hinduism whilst Oak Class looked at universal themes across religions such as:

love
Peace



hope



CHINESE NEW YEAR!



Acorn Class celebrated the Lunar New Year and joined in with celebrating the year of the snake. They made their own dragon masks, danced as a team and tried some new foods. Very yummy! In Forest School, they made leaf dragons and listened to the story, "How the Dragon Came to Be."



WHAT WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW...

Our pupils thought of some questions to ask the children at Beneden School, where pupils from around the world and all different faiths come to learn. Here are some of our favourites:

1. How has your religion affected your life?
2. What symbols represent your religion?
3. Do you feel happy when you pray?
4. What is your favourite story from your religion?



School

Enjoy some more photos from the term.

WE HAVE LIFT OFF!

A fun time was had by all when Boogie Bounce visited. The children had a great work-out to music and our visiting Sports Coach commented how brilliantly behaved and lovely to work with the children were. Well done everyone!



Thank you to the PTFA for a fabulous disco!



Deep in thought...



Happy workers!



Programming Beebots in Cherry Class ICT lessons



Willow Class's worship - some brave performances.



Dressing up to ward off the winter chill!



Celebrating writing!



Story-time in Cherry Class



Rangoli designing



Parachute testing in Oak Class



Ready to fly