Primary 1-4 Class:

Welcome to another class blog from P1-4! There are a few literacy photos to start this week! Paddy loves the picture shoot and is busy showing Cooper how to use it. David and Paddy have been busy learning new sound "d" and have been making "dino". Paddy is watching one of the Elmer stories on the laptop, followed by some pencil control tasks!

We are in the middle of publishing little stories of our own. We hope to have them complete by next week!





















Friday was quite a publishing day in P1-4 as we worked on top copies of our stories and our illustrations! The children worked very hard and all gave me 100%, which is lovely to know!











Our books are ready to receive our little stories!

Don't they all look professional?

Bookbags!





The Primary two and Primary Three Bookbags have arrived in school! There are lots of interesting little goodies inside, so I do hope you enjoy looking through them. It's great for a rainy day or alternatively something to busy yourself with on a dark night!

Elsie – I have yours waiting for you in school!

Maths:

Here's Paddy matching the number pebbles! Counting the number of balls on the table – assisted by Logan!



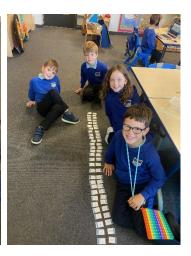




Robert and David have been busy exploring place value within twenty. Cooper, George, Rowan and Zoe had a revision task – matching up the domino cards! What a mixture there were too!







Later in the week we were joined by a small group from the secondary who were interested in playing a few Maths games with us. Mrs. Plant accompanied them! Paddy, meanwhile, has just matched up numicon to number cards! David even managed a colour by numbers independently!













<u>Pocket Play!</u> Sometimes it's good to have some down time! We did just that earlier in the week and the children got busy on a variety of game related tasks! The cars and the lego were popular choices. Paddy wanted his planes for a while, before having some sand play! The session drew to a close with some Zumba!





















We think Paddy and Logan are firm friends! Here they are at line up time! Paddy is setting up the marble run before examining one of our magnifying glasses to see just what it can do!

Bertie Bassett:

After quite a tricky challenge set by Mrs. Mackinnon last week, we now have had the job of creating a Bertie Bassett of our own. The idea is to draw 3D shapes to make him. We know that drawing one 3D shape is very tricky indeed, but we are always up for trying our best! Two early finishers – Zoe and David show us their finished results! I think they look stunning!





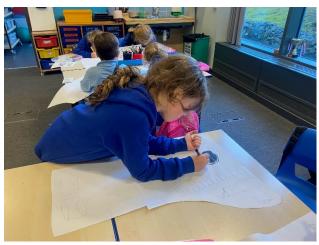


















Our Bertie Bassett drawings have made it to the classroom wall before the end of the week!

They look really great – well done everyone!

Daily Mile:

A beautiful afternoon took us outside for a blow of the cobwebs! Even Logan, who gave us a great example of a power walk!







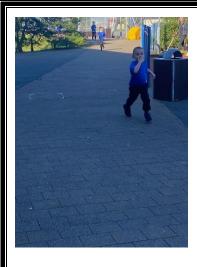












It might be a while before we can get out again – it's such a pleasure on a glorious day, isn't it?



<u>PE:</u>

We are still working on ball skills during our Thursday gym slot. However, this week we have been using our feet to control the ball! It's quite a tricky skill when you are first learning and the ball has to be well controlled. We started off with simple dribbling skills...this was followed by striking at a target, while keeping the ball low to the ground! Use the sides of the foot for passing and the ball of the foot for stopping and keeping under control!

















Paddy also joined us for some gym time. We think he is very proficient with a shuttlecock and also with the large green ball! Well done, Paddy!







Elmer!

The children made these wonderful Elmer masks when I was absent from school last week! I think they look absolutely stunning and I couldn't resist putting them on the blog.

The cryptic question – "Do you know who we are?"



















Aren't they super?

I'm thinking we might have an Elmer Day...

Watch this space!



Library Visit:







With Irene away on holiday, it was down to Mrs. Mackinnon to read a story... no pressure! This was followed by some browsing time!







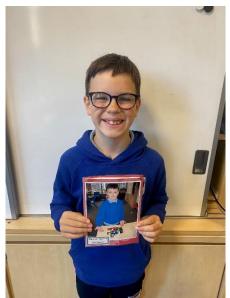


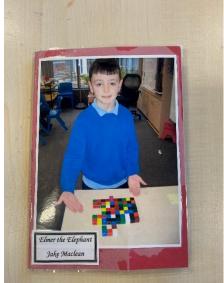


We were delighted when Paddy joined us in the library! He spent quite a while looking at all the books before trying out the lego!

Sharing:

Weren't we just delighted to see this fabulous share brought in by Cooper! Big brother Jake also learned all about Elmer when he was young and in his little book came so we could all see exactly what Jake learned about in primary P1-4!









And here's another fantastic effort! I never thought I would be including Riley in my class blog again – but you just never know!

I had to share this marvellous example of the Titanic, which both boys helped to build! I think it's absolutely stunning – so well done both of you! I wonder how long it took you to build?

Stickers!



Well, it just must be Cooper's week!

Here he is with his completed sticker folder before he was promptly given another one!

You know what we always say "It's good to collect!"



A couple of thoughts from Paddy!

Paddy has had a great week in school – and I think we can all guess what his favourite activities have been! It's an amazing rocket – no wonder he has enjoyed using it! And look at these fabulous planes and people made with the stickle bricks! More please – we'll get going again next week, Paddy!





Next Week:

I have not posted further work for next week. We have quite a bit from over the last fortnight that needs completing so I feel we'll crack on with that!

Have a great weekend, everyone!