

## Primary 1-4 Class:

Welcome to the last blog of this term! Hasn't it gone quickly? I know everyone is looking forward to a bit of a rest! Here we go then with a final round up!

### Awards!



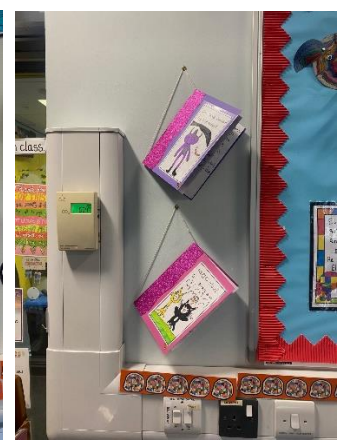
This was a bit of good news to start my week!

George Jardine has earned himself a gold award for his 4x tables! Very well done, George!

It's a mixed bag next George – 2,3,4,5,10! I wonder how you will get on with this one?

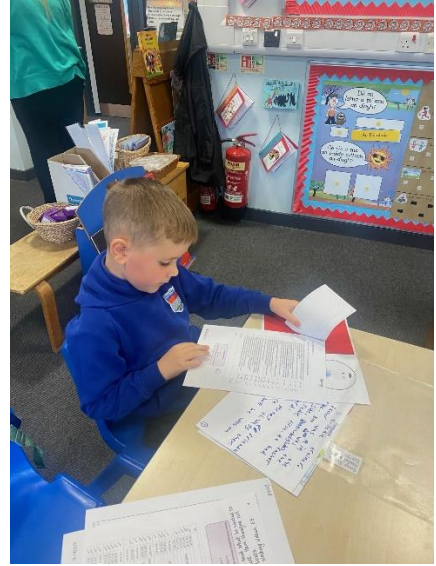
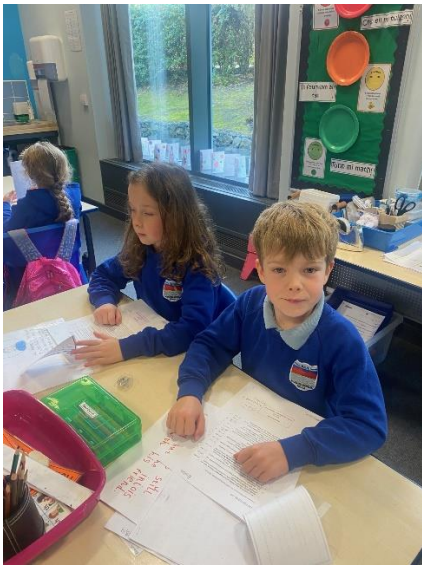
### Our Little Stories:

Finished and hanging on the wall! I just managed to snap Darcey and Brooke having a final look through their work!



The stories are modelled on someone feeling left out and we were inspired by how Elmer felt when he wanted to be the same as the rest of the herd. Our books are now complete and are up in the classroom. They look lovely I must say!

In our profiles we have all our planning and a photocopy of our story. Once they come down off the wall, I intend to put all the stories in the profiles so we can look at them in years to come!



We looked at our feedback provided by Mrs. Mackinnon and the comments we could work on to help uplevel our writing next time!

Meanwhile, Paddy has been working with the audio box; here he is with the sensory gel pad and completing a jigsaw. Well done!



**PE:**

After a few warm ups we worked well with the small weighted balls! Brooke and David are busy tagging... and Paddy is busy with the frisbee!



Throw and catch first, followed by fling as high as you can and see if you can catch it! We had some great action shots!





Our second session of the week took place on our Elmer day – we were dressed in our brightest clothes! Look out everyone!

It's on your marks for Zoe, Rowan and Logan!  
 Skipping warm-ups for Darcey and Cooper...followed by dribbling skills for David, Robert and George!



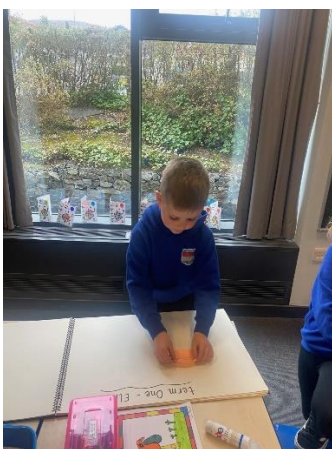
We finished with some dribbling games... here's some throw-ins from Zoe, Brooke and Rowan – and a stop from Logan! Well done, everyone!

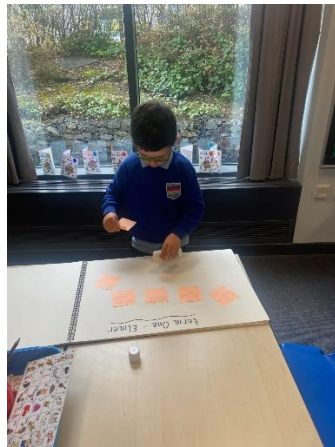
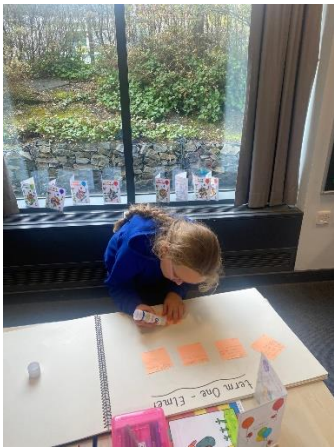
## Our Favourite Activities – term one plus floorbook!

We thought about all the things we had been doing during the course of term one. We wanted to record our thoughts for our profiles – we've had quite a mixture of ideas! Here we are making good progress!



We then added our thoughts to the class floor book. We hadn't really got this off the ground this term and needed to record some ideas for term one before we all forget!





## **Workers of the term!**



Well, I couldn't split this one!

This term's worker prize is shared by Brooke and Darcey who receive a box of art materials.

Brooke and Darcey both have different strengths, but strive to do their best every time they tackle a task! I think that is all one can ask for!

Very well-done girls – here they are with their prize and their certificates!

## **Sharing:**



News from the Gerard household!

Zoe tells us she has been decorating her shelves in her bedroom – a lovely shade of pale blue apparently...

We would love to see some pictures of them, Zoe! It sounds as if you have been working very hard on them!



Brooke and Darcey have come across Mr. Tickle in McDonalds recently!

We all love Mr. Men stories in P1-4 so it was great to see him for real. A lovely share, girls!

...And Brooke and Darcey wanted us to see how they have been using their Worker of the term prize! We are delighted you love it you two!



## Stickers:



Isn't it lovely to see Paddy earning himself a sticker in his folder!

He had been busy on his tasks this week and chose his own sticker for his folder – well done, Paddy!

## Maths:

Finishing off our Maths this week. Paddy has successfully sorted the compare bears by colour – and gets a sticker for his efforts! Robert and David are covering work on before and after using numicon, while George and Cooper are in full flow on Sumdog!



## Profiles:



We enjoyed looking through our profiles before setting ourselves some goals that we hope to achieve by the end of the school year!

Look out for them next time you visit us in class!

## Yoga:



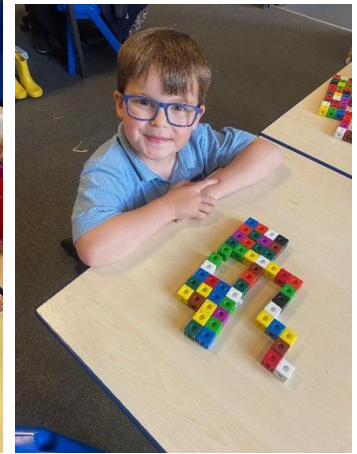
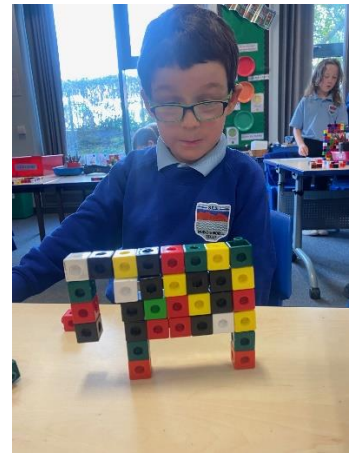
Nothing like a spot of yoga on the smartboard during wet playtime! I couldn't resist a quick snap!



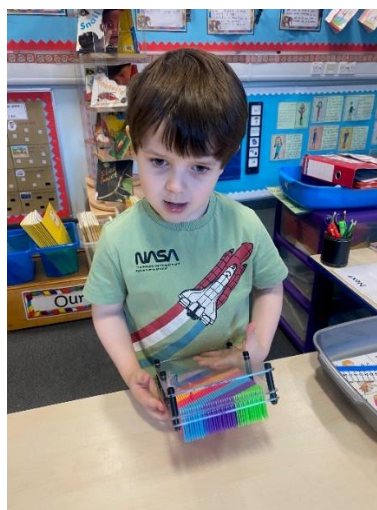
## All Things Elmer!

We are finishing off this term's topic in style! We have been busy making Elmer the elephant from multilink cubes... it was rather tricky!





*...and our Elmer day on the last day...*



We are in our brightest clothes in celebration of Elmer! And look at that fabulous t-shirt of Paddy's! It's got a rocket zooming through space on the front!



We have Ruth Jardine to thank for providing us with these super Elmer biscuits! One of our first tasks was to ice them!



Before we were allowed to eat them!

Mrs. Mackinnon had also made some marshmallow top hats!

We have absolutely stuffed ourselves today – apologies!



Paddy wasn't at all sure about a biscuit, but look at him examining his marshmallow top hat.

Every texture is different for Paddy – but he's giving this one a go!



We also played Elmer dice games with a partner, completed a jungle bird task and made a class Elmer garland. Paddy enjoyed playing with the class tool box!





We all had a great day, I think!

### A final visit to the library:

For this term at least! Most of us were just having a browse after returning books – however, anyone not going away on holiday was busy choosing books to take home!



I think our final picture illustrates just how much Paddy is part of our class! Cooper is giving him such a big hug and I think that's a very fitting way of ending this term!

Have a great holiday everyone – and I know there will be more of the same for term two!

Mrs. Mackinnon signing off!