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Brampton CE Primary School Article

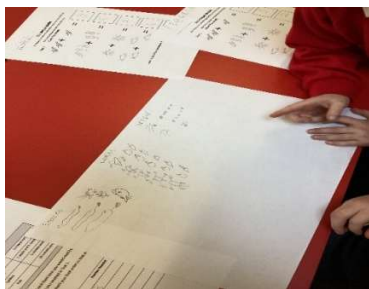


At Brampton CE Primary School we have had some fantastic theme days and visitors this half term.

Maths in the workplace.

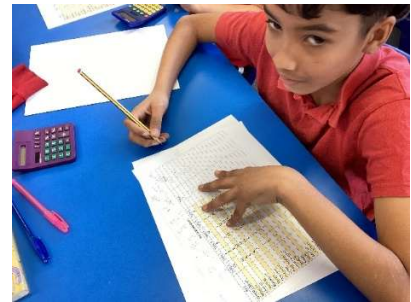
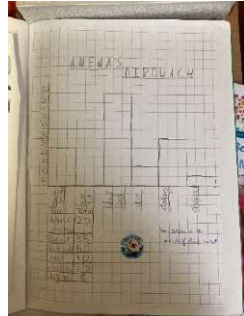
Reception children have enjoyed learning the song 5 Little Monkeys. They sang the song and subtracted the monkeys from the bed and then replicated it on a 5's frame. They attempted to write the subtraction sentences using the correct symbol.

The children in key stage 1 looked at Maths At The Zoo. First, they counted the number of animals they had to feed. Then they worked out how much of each food they needed to make sure all of the animals got fed.



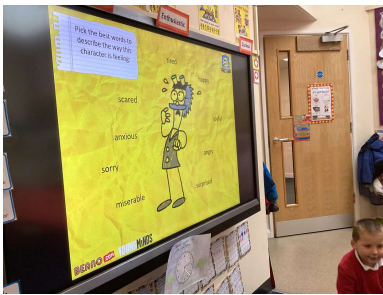
In Key Stage 2 the children completed work on data handling. They went outside looking for birds in our school grounds. The children used names of the birds and pictures to identify them. They collected data using a tally chart and created bar charts to present the information.

In year 5 and 6 the children used their data to work out averages. They the mean value of each type of bird species.



Mental Health Day

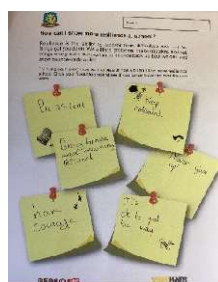
In Key Stage 1 the children looked at images to try and identify the emotion the character was feeling, looking at their body and facial language to help them decide. They had sentence starters with different emotions. Working in pairs, the children told their partner times when they had felt that emotion. Some of the children felt confident in sharing their experiences with the whole class.



In Lower Key Stage 2 the children started their day with Yoga before thinking about being brave and building resilience. The children wrote down what being brave means to them. They designed their own bravery character and a character to demonstrate different difficult emotions.

In Upper Key Stage 2 the children focused on friendship, kindness and self-belief. One of the activities was to create courage cups.

On Friday afternoon the whole school gathered together to watch the short film- The boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse. We discussed the importance of being united and the importance of asking for help.



Road safety visitor

Holly from Suffolk County Council came to talk to each class about road safety. Reception and KS1 took part in an interactive session in the hall about crossing the road safely. KS2 enjoyed an hour-long interactive presentation where they learnt about various topics from pedestrian crossings, road dangers and cycle safety. Holly also spoke to our Junior Road Safety Officers and had a look at their scrapbook of achievements.



Sizewell C visitor.

Year 5 and 6 were visited by Sizewell C to take part in a Power Up Challenge. The challenge involved the children designing their own vehicle using Knex building materials while thinking carefully about design, strength and movement. The vehicle needed moving parts and needed to be able to carry a box. All the children really enjoyed this experience and worked well within small groups.



This term the children have received some amazing experiences and lots of interactive opportunities linked to a range of subjects including- PSHE, Maths and Science.