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Language Alive

'We went in the hall. When we came back we smelled the bread. We saw a woodpecker, then the ducks, then three kittens, then four cows and five mice.' - Ashton (Ladybirds)

'I enjoyed making the bread and taking it home.' - Isabelle (Butterflies)

'I was a marker on a great big number board and had to work out how many squares to move.' - Vihana (1C)

'Our Language Alive was about Jack and the Beanstalk. There was a puzzle and a hundred square. It was great fun.' - Brandon (1H)

'I liked the story of Jack and the Beanstalk, Bree was Jack.' - Dev (1C)

'We were so excited when we went to Language Alive. It was so funny and we won the puzzle. Simon was pretending to be a funny mother.' - Amarah-Jae (1H)

Special Assemblies

'Wesak is the most important festival for Buddhists. It celebrates Buddha's birthday. In assembly, we learnt about Buddha's adventures after being trapped in a castle for 20 years. His father wanted him to be king, but he decided to dedicate his life to help others.' - Aset (2T)

'On Tuesday, we had an assembly about Ramadan. We learnt that it is a special occasion for Muslims. Muslims fast for a month, which means they don't eat food while there is daylight. Mr Wingrove told us about the prophet Mohammad and the Quran.' - Bree (1C)

'We learnt that Muslims fast during Ramadan. They do not eat during daylight hours. Also, when Muslims fast, they pray.' - Rabiya and Kimora (4M)

'In assembly, Mr Simner told us that Buddha wanted to have a normal life, so he left the palace to help others. On this day we celebrate being kind to each other. We talked about a flower and how as it withers, this is like our lives. Mr Simner taught us not to wish our lives away, but to enjoy every moment.' - Khari and Annabel (Y5)
Birmingham City University – Open Day!

‘On Saturday 9th June (11:00am – 4:00pm) Birmingham City University will throw open its doors once again to families for an action packed day of free and fun-filled events and activities for all ages. From theatre to fashion and sport to TV broadcasting, there will be lots for families to do, experience and be inspired by at our multi-million pound City Centre Campus, situated in the heart of Birmingham Eastside (The Parkside Building, City Centre Campus, Curzon Street, Birmingham B4 7XG).

School Fund

This week £5.00 was collected in School Fund. May I take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have paid, some of whom have paid for the whole half term, as this means we can buy those ‘extra’ things for the children.

Fundraising Finlay

Finlay, in Year 6, is raising money to help fund his brother’s Scout Trip. Next Wednesday, he will be holding a Cake Sale in school and he will be donating a percentage of the money which he raises to School Fund. Therefore, he is asking for cake donations to support this venture. If you do wish to donate any cakes, please send them to 6C. Many thanks on behalf of Finlay.

Royal Wedding Celebrations

Children in Reception and Year 1 held a very fancy Royal Wedding Party and they looked extremely regal!

‘It was a fun day. The juice was very nice. We had a lovely tea party. I had a jam sandwich. We had little cakes. We got to decorate our biscuits. The teapot was very posh.’ – Gracie (Y1)

As well as this, children who stay school dinners had a very special Royal Wedding Treat!

I hope you all enjoy the celebrations tomorrow and over the course of the weekend!

W. Simner

(Head Teacher)