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Dear Parents

This week's class news



Class 1

Class 1 enjoyed being active to practise their counting skills and explore numbers. We did a counting dance routine [Super Movers: KS1 Maths Collection - Teach](#) and played skittles, hopscotch and some children made themselves their own number hat or badge.



Class 1 have been learning about the lifecycle of a frog this week. Year 1 children have continued their work on sequencing ideas with time words to explain the lifecycle and included topic words.



Reception have explored the stages through sensory play, making frogs, painting and creating ponds in the outside area. We all enjoyed a walk to Rose's garden, where the children observed frogspawn – they enjoyed the chance to touch it and described it as wibbly, wobbly, slimy, soft, squashy and like jelly! We enjoyed an afternoon in the wild valley, making frog and toad homes.



Class 2 and 3

We had a fantastic time taking part in NSPCC Number Day, a special event that celebrates maths while helping to raise awareness for the charity.

As part of our learning, pupils took on an exciting business challenge presented by Eman Asuquo. Each team was given a fictional £500,000 investment and asked to design and launch their own business. They had to decide what product or service to offer,



calculate start-up costs, set prices, plan marketing and work out how to make a profit.

There were some wonderfully creative ideas — from pet themed shops to parks for football that included cafes and sportswear. There were gadgets, cafes and eco-friendly products!

This activity helped children develop their understanding of:

- Budgeting and managing money
- Teamwork and decision-making
- Real-life maths skills in a business context



We all had a great day, and it was brilliant to see all the amazing ideas and the creativity of our children. Photos of our winning teams in next week's newsletter.



Boscastle Winter Olympics - Thurs 12 Feb

Next week, the children will be taking part in some 'Boscastle Style' Winter Olympic events in the morning, with dance as usual in the afternoon. Children can come in dressed in a winter Olympic theme or usual PE kit, if preferred.

[10 Winter Olympics facts! | National Geographic Kids](#)

Kind regards Sara Haden Headteacher