

Friday 12th December





light green = 19  
dark green = 16  
yellow = 22  
brown = 3

**Phoebe**



**Willa**



**Isabella**



Purple = 3 squares  
orange = 2 1/2 squares  
yellow = 25 squares

blue = 9 squares  
pink = 13 squares  
white = 8 and 4 1/2 squares

dark = 5 1/2 squares and 2 squares  
green = 4 squares  
brown = 5 1/2 squares and 2 1/2 squares



**Alex**

At the end of our topic on area in Maths, Squirrels had a go at creating a Christmas picture using squares. Then they had to calculate the area of each colour used. They did such a great job!



Well done to Squirrels on their annual collection for the food bank from our backwards advent calendar. Four big bags have been delivered already.





# Environmental Science - Muntjacs

Muntjacs decorated recycled plant pots with their own unique Christmas designs and then planted them with Narcissus tete a tete. They have taken them home to give away as Christmas gifts.



Lots of muntjacs tried pickled beetroot.



This week, Badgers shared their nativity with the friends and family. They all were absolutely amazing and looked fabulous in their costumes. I am super proud of all of them for their confidence on stage and determination to learn all of their lines and songs.



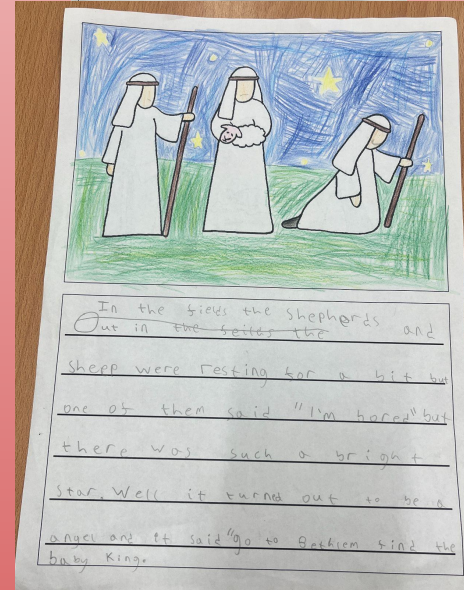
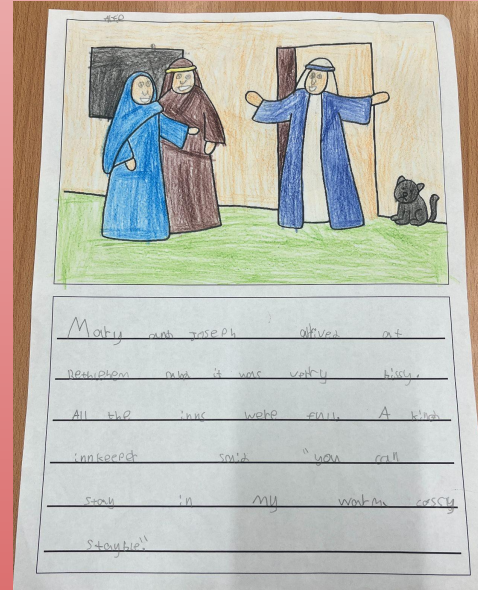
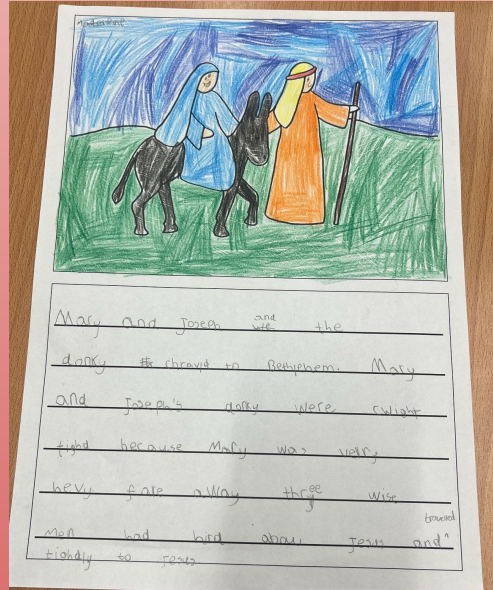
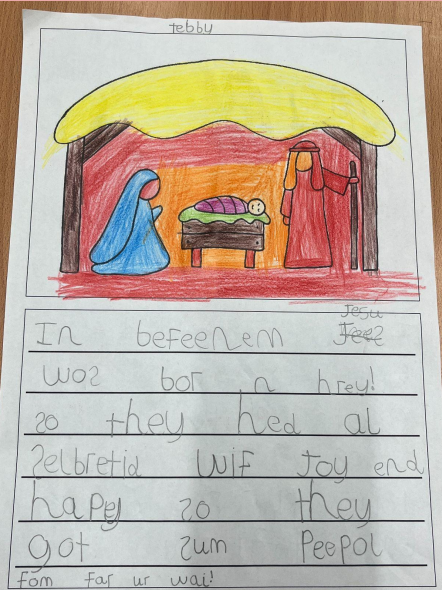
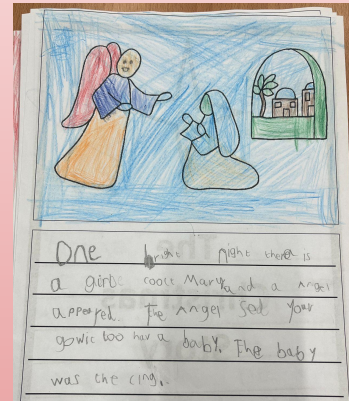
Our stars this week are Bonnie and Ted for being such fantastic Narrators. They read with such great confidence and expression, it was a real pleasure to listen to them tell the story.







Sticking with the Nativity theme, Badgers have also spent lots of time over the past week writing the Nativity Story. Each day we have focused on a part of the story and have tried really hard to make sure our writing is accurate and enjoyable to read. Then, they completed the work with a beautiful picture to also help tell the story.



Some Badgers would love to share what they have written, if that would be okay!

Hedgehogs have been busy this week getting into the spirit of Christmas.

Hedgehogs have taken part in their very first Nativity production (alongside Badgers) this week and their performance in 'Everyone Loves a Baby' was truly spectacular and enjoyed by all!



You were all fantastic!



Hedgehogs have also enjoyed making adorable tube Santas and beginning their Christmas cards - for their families and for our school neighbours.

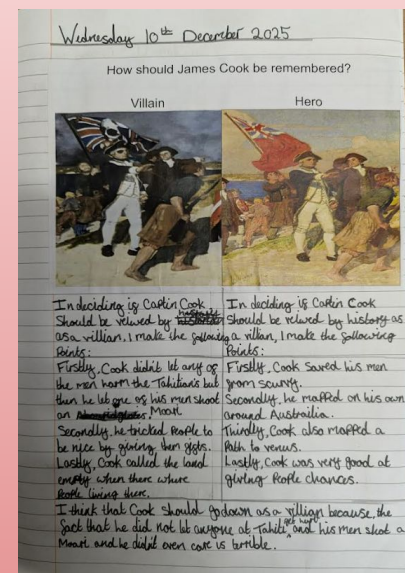




Year 6 had their final Forest School experience. They said the activities had a Maori and Aboriginal vibe!



Muntjacs finished researching the explorer Captain Cook. We drew Aboriginal hunting pictures. To conclude, we assessed whether history should regard Cook as a hero or villain.



## Race To The Pole



We have now turned our attention to the explorer Robert Falcon Scott. We used Google to link mystery biographies to the men in the picture.

We discovered that Lawrence Oates lived in Gestingthorpe - just 2 miles from our school!!!