This has been a fabulous week. We should go to Folly Farm all the time!



This week in our literacy we have looked at the phonic sound 'ay' as in play and also a-e words or ch words, which link to our spellings for the coming Monday. This week we wrote a recount of our trip to Folly Farm. We tried to write in paragraphs, writing our first paragraph talking about the W questions = when, where, why, who and then we started each paragraph with a different time connective, finishing with our thoughts and feelings about the day. In Welsh we used the words we had learned for the different parts of our body, and did oral word asking and answering the question, Beth sy'n bod? – What's the matter?

In our Numeracy lessons, we have looked at rounding numbers to the nearest 10 or 100 and then started to look at setting out multiplication sums using Numicon. Throughout the week we have also practiced our digital time and we are getting better and better at it all the time!



In 'Move it Monday' we started to learn new athletic skills and as it was raining and had to stay indoors, looked at the standing still long jump. We have some springy Sharks in the class who could clear some of the gym mats in 1 jump!

In our Topic work we looked at naming and identifying the 7 continents of the World and had to cut them out and put them back together like a jigsaw, in the correct place. This was trickier than it looked, but we were all fantastic at naming them, thanks to the catchy song we learned to sing in class.



Today we listened to some traditional Arctic/Inuit music, We discussed what we could hear, how it made us feel and the images it created in our minds. We then tried making some traditional Canadian throat music of our own. It was interesting and something that might entertain families over the weekend at the dinner table!



Finally, we went on our trip to Folly Farm on Thursday, and what a trip it was! I have never had such a rewarding, fun, action packed trip and enjoyed myself so much. This was due to the fabulous company of the children and their enthusiasm for everything they saw. They really were a joy!

It has been a fabulous and exhausting week and we wish you all a lovely weekend. See you on Monday refreshed and ready for the week ahead.

Mrs Howard, Mrs Bowen & Mr Ward.

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| Hugo      | Zac        |  |  |
| Mimi      | Alex       |  |  |
| Aneurin   | Dylan      |  |  |
| Annie     | Ally       |  |  |
| Teddy     | Ace        |  |  |
| Eden      | Myles      |  |  |
| Eli       | Asiyah     |  |  |
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| William   | Sophia     |  |  |
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