Classroom News

Class Name: Colchester

Term: Term 5 2023-2024

Topic: What's on your plate?

What we have been doing this term:

Out and About

We had our first visit to Youlbury where we had the opportunity to take part in abseiling, crate stacking and archery! The weather was cold and wet but that didn't stop us! We're looking forward to our next visit soon!

Life Lessons

This term has been all about money. We have looked and discussed our wants and needs. We have also learnt about where money comes from and what it can be spent on along with ways of paying for items such as coins, notes and debit cards. So far, we have practised by items at Waitrose for cooking using coins.

English and Drama

Our class novel for the summer term is Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl. Lottie from the Corn Exchange has been in to support us with writing a script and acting out the story ready for a performance. (Watch this space!)

Maths

During our Maths sessions, we have been looking at understanding the value of coins and matching them to concrete resources such as Numicon. We are doing this to help us make different amounts of money and add them together confidently.

What's on your plate?

We have continued to shop for our own ingredients and follow recipes. Our focus this term has been to chop safely and to cook meals independently. We have mastered pasta bake and will be looking in to how we can bake yummy cakes with fruit in. We visited Pizza Express to see how a pizza is made in a professional kitchen, we all wore hats and aprons and baked our very own pizza to take home with us!



Dates & Points to remember: Last day of term: Friday 24th May 2024

Youlbury Trip: Monday 1st July 2024

First day of term: Monday 3rd June 2024

