

Real Life Creative Christmas Maths Workshop – Wednesday 29th November

Parents had the opportunity to join their children in school to spend the morning working with them to complete creative Christmas Maths activities. The children and parents used their Maths skills in a variety of different ways that were challenging and enjoyable.

This year we had even more parents join us and it was great to see everybody was enjoying themselves throughout the school. We have lots of other exciting Maths events planned for this academic year and we look forward to hopefully seeing as many of you as possible.

Take a look at the fantastic things made by each class.

Nursery

Nursery had so many exciting activities planned from symmetrical snowflakes, identifying shapes in Christmas objects and creating specific number amounts. It looks like they had great fun.



Reception



In reception the children were Christmas detectives as they had to try and unlock the padlocks by matching the correct number to the amount. They also had lots of fun decorating Christmas trees in different ways. First they had to put the correct amount of baubles on that was shown on the star and then find 1 more to decorate the rows of tinsel on the tree. They were all very successful and created some beautiful Christmas trees.

Year One

The children in Y1 combined lots of different Maths skills to create a range of superb Christmas decorations. They had to use their measuring abilities to measure the strip accurately which created the perfect Christmas tree. The children then made some glistening snowflakes using different materials but they had to be symmetrical.



Year Two



Year 2 made a Christmas multiplication game where they had to use their times knowledge to reach the star at the top. In order to play the game the children needed to make a dice using the net of a cube. Some of us reached the end and had a great time playing our game. We even managed to beat some of our parents!

Year Three

Year 3 created their very own Christmas Grinch game that required them to use their arithmetic skills to work their way around the board. The children created some really challenging questions for themselves to solve but proved how good mathematicians they are as they managed to reach the end.



Year Four



The children in Year 4 had a fun filled morning creating some magnificent snowflakes. They were given a measurement but then had to convert it find the accurate measure they needed. The children then folded and cut the paper to make the snowflakes. It looked like they all worked really hard and they have their snowflakes proudly on display in the classroom.

Year Five

In Year 5 the children were creating some 3D Christmas trees using multiple shape nets. They had to put together the pieces of the net and then thread them together to create this wonderful end product. I'm sure they all look great as Christmas decorations.



Year Six

Year 6 started by working out some Christmas themed problems such as how long to cook the turkey. They were then faced with the challenge to make this fascinating snowman using different shape nets. As you can see they all look very incredible and all of Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed the challenge of making them.

