



## Over the last week at Beechwood.....

Foundation Stage Butterflies have had an exciting visit from Tabitha the witch, who shared her story about getting into a huge muddle. The children have had fun becoming students at Beechmus Magicus!

Year 1 have returned back to school excited to start their new topic of 'Celebrations'. They have begun by looking at fireworks and bonfire night this week. They have been thinking of adjectives to describe fireworks and have used these to write their own acrostic poem about fireworks. In maths they have been starting their unit on addition and subtraction and have been practising using a part-whole model.

Year 2 are already hard at work, building up suspense about colourful dragons in English. In Maths, they are taking on the challenge of adding tens and ones - with carrying! Their Science investigation involved a whole lot of stretching and twisting, while in History they questioned how that wind could destroy the whole city of London!

Year 3 have been creating Information Texts about their chosen hobby, giving us all the information we would need to take it on. They have also started learning about the Christmas Nativity, making puppets to help learn the story. The children are looking forward to moving into their science topic on light this half term!

Year 4 this week in Math's they have been learning how to subtract two four digit numbers with an exchange. In English they have started to compare historical settings, dwellings and clothing. This means they have been introduced to the vocabulary relating to comparing and contrasting images. In science they are learning about living things and how to class and sort them.

Years 5 and 6 have settled back into the second half term well and we have enjoyed hearing all about what they did over their break. In English they have all been looking at Poems and in maths, Year 5 have started looking at statistics whilst Year 6 have been looking at common multiples and fractions.

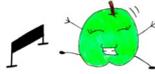
### House Competition :

Well done to all of our Brilliant Bananas for collecting the most tokens this week!

Outstanding  
Oranges  
77



Amazing  
Apples  
71



Super  
Strawberries  
60



Brilliant  
Bananas  
80



### Wear it Pink 2020

