



The Greville's Termly Update

Autumn Term 2024

YEAR 2



This half term has been an extremely busy, but exciting one in Year 2! We've been embracing all things festive in our rehearsals and performances for the infant show, and both classes have absolutely loved the opportunity to perform to their peers from both in and out of the Greville, as well as other adults. Dragonflies in particular really impressed us with their fantastic acting and learning of lines and it was brilliant to see Ladybirds embracing their dance performance with such enthusiasm. The children have learnt a lot from this opportunity and it has been great to see their maturity and confidence bloom. – **Miss Earl (Teacher and Year 2 Lead)**

GEOGRAPHY



One of our new topics this term has been our Geography module, *Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?* The children have loved learning more about our planet, including: the names of different continents; why where you live in the world can affect the weather and climate; about the north and south poles and the equator. We even had a chance to carry out some geography field work in our own playground, and to work out how where our playground is will affect the kind of weather and climate we experience there.



SCIENCE

We've continued our science topic all about materials over this second half term and this has allowed us to explore the topic further. We've performed some exciting experiments, and are now very adept at making predictions and conclusions!

Continuing the theme of celebrations, Year 2 had the chance to take part in a fantastic Diwali workshop this half term. They did brilliantly at revisiting their knowledge around the celebration of Diwali, and enjoyed displaying this understanding through their active participation in the dance they learnt. We were very impressed with how much they remembered from their Year 1 learning!

OTHER AREAS



Thank you so much for all your support in this busy half term, and we look forward to seeing you again in January – The Year 2 Team