



Peek at the Week

Year 2 – 19th November 2021

- Important Dates / Reminders
- Today we celebrated Children in need. We were very impressed by everyone's fancy dress – thank you for your kind donations!
 - **30th November** – Priory Friend's Xmas Cake Stall. Please bring your cakes in on either the 29th or 30th of November.
 - **29th November and 1st December** – Parent's Evening.
 - We are finding a large amount of the children's clothing, particularly jumpers, with no names in. Please make sure you label your children's clothing so they can be easily returned to them if lost.

Star of the week

Hawking: Hattie

Newton: Sienna

Franklin: Esha



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Word of the Week: Veranda

Our Learning

English
 This week, we have been exploring the African rainforest where Anna and her family visited on holiday. First, we imagined we had travelled to this vibrant, immense habitat and we worked in teams to create big pieces of artwork—which are now on display in the Year 2 corridor (see below). We then thought about interesting vocabulary to describe this setting and used our ideas to create a poem. Finally, we performed our poems to the class using expression and actions.

Next week, we be using different drama techniques to investigate Anna's holiday with her family.

Maths
 This week, we have been subtracting ones and tens from 2-digit numbers. We have also been practising counting backward in ones and tens – This is an activity the children could practise at home. Next week, we will be subtracting two 2-digit numbers using a number line.

Foundation subjects.
 In Geography, we have been looking at the human and physical features of a village in Africa and compared it to our lives in Burnham. We also created simple sketch maps of the school.

Anti Bullying Week
 This week we have been participating in Anti-Bullying Week. This year's theme is "One Kind Word"

