

Spring Term Year 5

After a bumpy beginning to our Spring Term, with Covid making its presence known in the classroom, we have still managed to pack lots of learning and activities in!



In English, we have used the style of Shaun Tan in our writing and travelled thousands of miles with our non-fiction reports on animal migration. We have planned and investigated experiments, and made and tested a variety of



levers in our Science topic. Multiplication, area and fractions kept us busy in Mathematics while Queen Victoria and the Industrial Revolution had us using our skills as historians. We learned about some local history with our topic on The Oval, thinking about home and belonging, and created our own collages of London, inspired by the work of Tracey English.



Other highlights of our term include a BMX workshop (we were amazing!), World Book Day events where we discovered new authors and learned about the world of publishing, a fantastic trip to the Science museum and a Comic Relief Red Nose Relay. Last week, we enjoyed a week of coding with special online lessons beamed live to the classroom – we loved programming Minecraft characters to achieve goals on screen and creating our own games. The class is really looking forward to the Year 5 K'Nex challenge in school at the end of term – we wonder who will win?

