

Maple Class Newsletter

27/03/26

What a wonderful week we have had in Maple!

On Thursday and Friday, we had our annual Year Five trip to Folly Farm's beautiful nature reserve. The children represented the school incredibly, full of questions, positivity and showing the respect towards staff that we pride ourselves on at Batheaston. We received wonderful feedback from the instructors who worked with us about the children's behaviour and enthusiasm.

Our two days were jam-packed full of activities including pond dipping, mini beast hunting, den building and fire lighting to name just a few. These activities challenged the children to step out of their comfort zones, work together collaboratively and embrace all that the outdoors has to offer. We were incredibly proud of their resilience and how much energy and fun they brought to every session!

Our evening also included a night walk to place a camera at the site of their badger set to see if we could catch any footage. Although we didn't spot any badgers that evening, we did get to watch some of the later footage the following morning where a female badger was spotted!

On behalf of myself, Sarah and Hannah we would like to say a huge well done to all of Maple Class for being such superstars for the two days!

Have a lovely weekend!

Katy and Maple Class



This week's awards

No awards this week as we were away at Folly Farm!



Next week's learning



Maths: Problem solving

English: Writing: Character descriptions, Guided Reading: Poetry, Spelling: end of term test

Science: Consolidating properties of materials

Topic: South African cuisine

RE: Pilgrimage to Mecca

Reminders



PE days: Mon & Tues

Wednesday: Gladiator visit!

Thursday: Easter bonnet parade