



Year 2

I am special in God's eyes



Information about some of the things we have been learning at St Joseph's
in Year 2 this week. 22nd January to 26th January

English

Moving on from the story, *The Bear Under The Stairs*, we have been learning different facts about bears. This has included sorting the fact from the fiction, grouping facts using subheadings and also writing coordinating sentences using the conjunction but. At the end of the week, we began writing a non-chronological report all about bears.

Maths

We have begun our new learning this week linked to multiplication and division. This has included looking at how multiplication links to grouping and sharing. We used practical resources and pictorial representations to show groups of and talked about how this links to using the x symbol for multiplication.

Topic

The children have been looking forwards to this week in our topic as we have made our moving aliens using a variety of pivots and linkages. Some of the designs look incredible and we will be displaying a selection of these in the classroom. There have been lots of discussions linked to presentation and meeting our design criteria. Cutting our intricate designs was a challenge for some but we all persevered!

R.E.

This was the end of our learning linked to Books in RE. The children have reflected on their learning by thinking about the different types of books Catholics use and how we show they are special. This has included learning call and responses that are used by the priest in a Church. Finally, the children wrote reflections on how they were going to use this new knowledge going forward.

Information for next week:

- 2S' PE days are: Tuesday and Thursday
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