Autumn Term

2018

in Class 5

Beamish Agricultural Show

Class 5 started the year with a visit to Beamish. We had lots of fun visiting the different parts of the open air museum and entered all of the categories in the Beamish Agricultural Show. After



working very hard in school on arts and crafts, we were hopeful that our entries would do well, and we were not disappointed! Both Key Stage 1 and 2 performed very well indeed and we came away with lots of 1st, 2nd and 3rd place certificates which were put proudly on display in our school.





After lunch we visited the village and found out how people grew their own vegetables, made their own bread and used old scraps of fabric to create rugs. Next,



we stopped off at the sweet shop and then took the tram back to the gift shop.

Our class had a great time and we were proud to have done so well in the agricultural show!

Weaving

As part of our topic on Recycling, we gathered up some old scraps of wool and used them to create some attractive weavings. We enjoyed finding out how baskets can be made and had a go at creating our own from paper.



Reduce Reuse Recycle!

In Geography, we looked into how our actions affect the planet and what we can do to make a difference. We made

bird feeders from plastic bottles and used scrap paper to make recycled card.





As part of our research, we found out about the impact plastic has on our seas and oceans and what we can do to make a difference.

Murton Library

Every three weeks, we visit our local library. We withdraw one book each and listen to a story which is read to us by the librarian. This term, we started the BFG, which is an interesting and very funny story by Roald Dahl. We have lots of fun visiting the library and find it peaceful and relaxing, as well as educational!







WW1 Memorial Day

The government released a recipe that the public could bake which was sent to soldiers in the trenches during the First World War to boost morale.





It contained flour, sugar, milk and vinegar! No eggs were used because they were hard to get hold of during war time.

Despite its appearance, the cake tasted delicious!





We painted pebbles for the WW1 Memorial Service at church, in remembrance of those who gave up their lives in the name of peace.





We designed and produced our own poppies from card.











We learnt about life in the trenches and wrote post cards to loved ones.





We designed out own WW1 recruitment posters.







