



"Memorable
Learning"
2019 -2020

Ampertaine Primary School Newsletter



Tuesday 10th December 2019

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Room 2 News

In room 2, prospective parents were given the chance to see children accessing cross-curricular skills through using programmable devices to explore number, shape, space, direction, movement, instructions and coding. Children showed them how different activities allow us to work together or independently. We also demonstrated Mathletics in action, and did some problem solving with our phonics activities.



NEWS FROM ROOM 1

We had great fun in Room 1 during our open evening! We made Ampertaine Santas and created Teddy Bear faces using loose parts as Transient Art. In the tuff tray, we had scented playdough. We had 2 different scents – Christmas scent made with cinnamon and ginger and winter playdough made using cornflour, rosemary and mint. Dylan made a huge train with Mobilo, it had 23 carriages!



NEWS FROM THE MOBILE

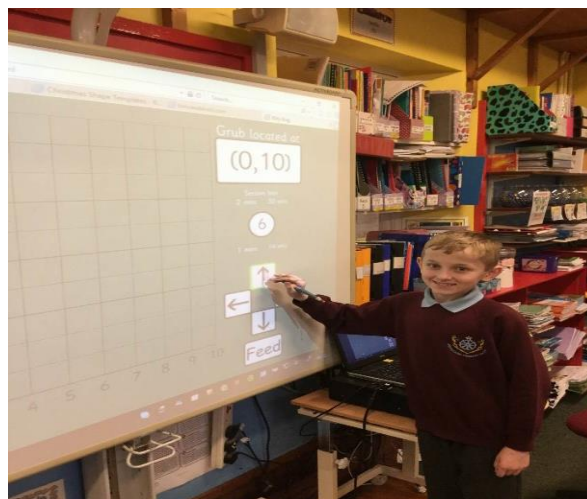
P4/5 showed our visitors some of the construction activities we can choose at Lego Club afterschool.

We have lots of new Lego and Knex sets.

Some of the boys demonstrated their phonics skills by using the Lexia App on the Ipad.

Open Evening in Room 3

Some P5/6 boys from room 3 showed our prospective parents their fantastic ICT skills whilst demonstrating some of the great ways computers and our interactive board can be used to enhance the learning experience making it memorable and fun! From the photos you can see Adam B and Adam S learning more about co-ordinates by playing interactive maths games. Caleb S also did a super job of explaining all about our very popular Accelerated Reader at Ampertaine PS. Terrific work boys!! 😊



Room 4 – Steam in a box and mental science

Primary 7 and Primary 6 pupils had the opportunity to chat with parents and children during our open evening.

The children demonstrated Volcano in a cup and the amazing quick sand. All of the children were a fantastic example for Ampertaine. Speaking clearly to our guests and explaining with detail and knowledge the various activities they have done and why they enjoyed them.

The children also demonstrated the work they accomplish on Mathelatics and also how we use AR in school.

Calendar Dates

December		
Wednesday 11 th	Carol singing in the Linen Hall.	
Thursday 12 th	CLOSED for ELECTION	
Friday 13 th	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day- £1 voluntary donation Non uniform	
Monday 16 th	Little Amps visit for Dress Rehearsal	
Tuesday 17 th	Christmas Concert afternoon 1-2:30pm. All children collected at 2:30pm	
Wednesday 18 th	All Children collected at 2pm	Christmas Concert Evening 7-8:30pm
Thursday 19 th	Non uniform day. Toys allowed in school. Fun DISCO 1-2pm KS1 and 2-3 KS2	
Friday 20 th	Non uniform day. FILM and POPCORN Last day of term finish at 12 noon	
Monday 23 rd	BAG PACK in TESCO COOKSTOWN	