

Science

Newsletter

Don't forget to
recycle your
batteries



Welcome to the Summer Term Science newsletter. It has been a busy term with the highlight being our Science Week—Food Glorious Food. The children had a great time tasting the chocolate and learning how to be a chocolatier. No chocolate in the fridge from now on!!



David Greenwood-Haigh from Coeur de chocolat came to school on Monday 21st May. He taught the children lots of things about the science of chocolate. We learnt how to use our senses to taste, smell, touch, look and even hear if the chocolate is of good quality. We also found out about the combination of cocoa solid to cocoa butter and milk. The children had a great time using their new found knowledge to make chocolate lollies which tasted amazing.

Our final STEM challenge of the year saw us link up with Fiona Neve from Zoom Zoom Tea Rooms. She had a fantastic suggestion of creating a friend for her new company mascot. With a heavy emphasis on recycling and up-cycling it was a great theme for the children to think about the 'rubbish' we produce. The donation of a prize for each year group of a Knickerbocker Glory was added motivation. Congratulations to the winners.



A huge thank you to Mrs Platt who gave the children in Year 2 a brilliant insight into the food industry. She brought a large (and tasty!) selection of Mr Kipling cakes in for the children to try and use their skills to guess the flavours. They finished by designing their own cake bars with some interesting suggestions for flavour combinations!



Our STEM challenges will be continuing in the new school year and the children will be deciding on the theme for next years Science Week. As always if there are any parents who work in STEM related industries and would like to come into school to share their knowledge this would be much appreciated.

