

Spring 2

2015

YEAR 2

NEWSLETTER



At Westbrook Bay enjoying exploring the beach.



Science

In science we have been learning about plants. We visited a local garden centre and the nature garden to carry out observations. We also planned and conducted our own plant investigations!

Topic

We have been learning all about the seaside and comparing different seaside activities past and present. We used a map to identify geographical features and find different environments.

We also developed our sewing skills while creating monster puppets!



Computing

We have been using iPads to make short animations using puppet pals.

We also had a Skype conversation with a friend who lives on Tortola to gather information all about life in the Caribbean. We used this information to create and print a tourist leaflet to try and encourage tourists to visit the island.

Literacy

This term has been all about monsters! We started by reading and writing some monster poetry, using adjectives, similes and alliteration to make our descriptions super disgusting!

We also studied Not Now Bernard and wrote more sophisticated versions of it using inverted commas, adverbial phrases and subordinate clauses.

They wrote some AMAZING narrative writing set in a fantastical wood. Feel free to come into the classroom after school to see your child's incredible stories!

Next Term:

We will be learning all about Nocturnal Animals! We will become experts on animals that live in British woodlands.