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Beacon

We are still working very hard to assemble the Minotaur production - it's coming along nicely! Next, we will need to think about making costumes and scenery.

In History, we have begun learning about Alexander the Great and how he conquered many different areas of the world.

In Science, we have been learning about the human body and life cycle; in Art, we are still working on our small matchstick small-scale models, which look fantastic. In English, we have learned how to write play scripts. We all wrote an extract of a play script about Odysseus defeating the Cyclops, Polyphemus.



<u>Alfoxton</u>

In the past week, Alfoxton Class have been getting absorbed in the story of Omar and the amulet of trouble. The children has been enthusiastically putting actions to the text. The Year 4 have completed their times tables check now. In Science, children have found interesting facts about mudskippers using an online encyclopaedia. Did you know they have the ability to survive in and out of water! They use their fins to skip across the mud and they can also jump distances of up to 2 feet!!



<u>Triscombe</u>

We were impressed by how much our pea plants have grown; some are doubled the length they were last week. Some have started to flower and soon will produce a pod. How exciting!

We had lots of fun printing with 3D shapes and we made pictures using 2D shapes.

We had some farm animals come to our school. We petted a calf, two sheep, 3 pigs and some bantam chickens. We enjoyed feeding the sheep. Their mouths tickled our fingers as they ate from our hands. The best part of the day was the tractor! We loved honking the tractor's horn, even Mr. Tucker joined us. We think he enjoyed the tractor more than we did!



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Preschool

This week and next week we are learning all about life on the farm. This week we have had fun with animal masks and making the different noises of the animals, we have matched different quantities of farm animals to the corresponding number and read the books 'What the ladybird heard next' and 'Cows in the kitchen' (which the children thought was very funny!). We made a small world farm and watched a farm video clip all about the work involved in looking after farm animals, from feeding to mucking out! We have also had a visit from Farmers Matt and Heidi, who very kindly brought in some farm animals for the children to pet and a tractor for them to climb and sit in. The children were all very excited and all had a thoroughly fantastic time! They loved petting the sheep and calf and especially loved scratching the piglets behind their ears! The highlight though for most of them was being able to sit in the driver's seat of the tractor and 'drive' it!

Preschool would like to thank Matt and Heidi very, very much for this afternoon and a big thank you to Carlie for arranging it with them for us. We had some extremely happy children!



Important Dates

Friday 28th June: Wednesday 3rd July: Wednesday 3rd July: Friday 5th July: Tuesday 9th July: Wednesday 10th July: Friday 12th July: Tuesday 16th July: Wednesday 17th July-19th July: Wednesday 24th July: Thursday 25th July: Thursday 5th September: Sports Day Year 6 Haygrove Transition Day Whole School Move Up Morning Reserve Sports Day School Production (afternoon) School Production (evening) Year 6 Leavers Trip Reports to Parents Choir Group at McMillan Theatre at 6.00pm KS2 Residential Year 6 Leavers Service at the Church at 2.00pm Summer Holidays First day back

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