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Our Big Draw Newsletter:

A peek into what each year group did to celebrate art, nature and our environment!

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A CLIMATE OF CHANGE

Art from off cuts



In year nursery we created Art work using the off cuts from trimming paper. We used the books 'Clean Up' and 'Big Blue Giant' for inspiration. We created flower pots and wind chimes from the empty tins from the kitchen. We also created Mandala art from autumnal objects in our environment inspired by Richard Long. We recycled bottles to create props for maths. Lastly we upheld the tradition of the post it drawings!

Mandala Art



Wind chimes & Flower pots

Ten green bottles



Our Book of the week



Post It



In Reception our learning is always cross curricular. Our learning for the Big Draw supported not only Expressive Arts and Design but also Communication and Language, Understanding the World and Shape Space and Measure.

For lunch we often have yoghurt – we always reuse the pot. For The Big Draw we “Choose colours, we put them in their places with glue and we stick the paper around.” Zaima

Why didn't we throw the yogurt pots in the bin?

ALL: Recycle

Nuriyah: We can't keep on throwing our rubbish in the pin

Why do we recycle?

“The whole planet gets stinky.” Yaqub



Big Draw Honeyuckle Class 2020

For the Big Draw, Year 1 explored a number of ways to create flowers with tissues paper and pencil sharpening.

We went out in to the school playground and collected various leaves to create different textures on clay.

We have also learnt that at school we need to recycle both paper and plastic and we will make a plastic recycling bin.



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**Eco-friendly
Leaves**



Nature



Recycle



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Earth Mobile

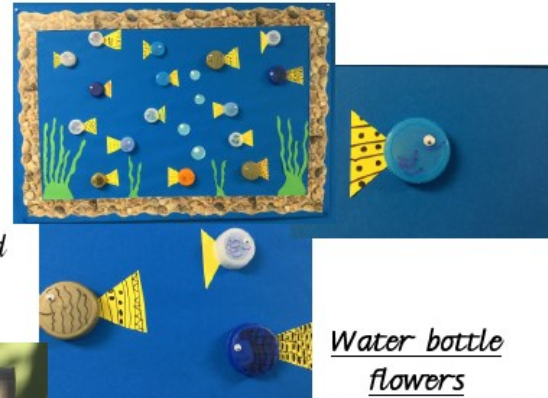


In year 3 we created flowers out of plastic bottles, we used the bottom of the bottle to create the flower and green card for the stem. We also used the cap from our plastic bottle to create fish art. Next we created nature card frames and when we went on a nature walk we used our frames to see the different types of plants and flowers. Lastly we created an earth mobile out of cardboard.

Nature card frames



Bottle cap fish art



Water bottle flowers



Voice of the Ocean

This year, the theme for Big Draw is 'a climate of change'. In Year 4, we focussed on how our unrecycled plastic can harm not only our sea life, but also the people in our planet.



Did you know that, in the world's oceans floats a trillion tonnes of plastic, slowly killing many marine species? We learnt that plastic is made from a combination of materials therefore, most plastics are not recyclable. Putting the unrecycled plastics in landfills does little to solve problems as they do not decompose quickly. It can take up to 1000 years for a plastic bottle to decompose. So the plastic will live longer than us! Our Big draw task helped us think about the ways we can reuse plastic to help our environment and protect the marine life. It's our duty to maintain the Earth that we live on for the generations that will come after us.





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In Year 5 we looked at the effect of climate change on coral reefs. We created three backdrops; the first one depicted how coral reefs were before climate change, the second showed the effects of climate change and the third backdrop showed what we want the coral reefs to look like in the future. We created underwater sea creatures using recycling items such as plastic bottles, plastic bags, cardboard boxes and bottle caps.



During Big Draw, Year 6 created some art using recycled materials. First, we looked at the different types of items that are polluting the sea, we then created our final piece using recycled household waste. Our final piece explored the impact of humans not recycling materials on land, and the effect that this is having on the flora and fauna of the ocean.

