



# Celebrating Maple class!



**Term:**

Autumn 2  
2025

*Welcome back! We hope you all had a wonderful half term break.*

In Maple Class, we've been diving into our topic 'Important People' while also studying our class story, Wonder. It's been a fantastic experience, and we're excited to showcase the wonderful work and achievements we've accomplished so far this academic year!

## Extra curricular activities



Sponsored 1km walk



## Our learning so far:

**Music** - We've enjoyed playing different styles of music while developing our listening skills, sharing, and taking turns during group activities.

**English** - We are exploring Wonder, a powerful story about a young boy with a facial difference who begins attending a new school and navigates the challenges of fitting in and finding friendship.

**Science** - In Science, we've been looking at animal life cycles, learning about the different stages of development, and discovering what animals need to survive and thrive in their environments.

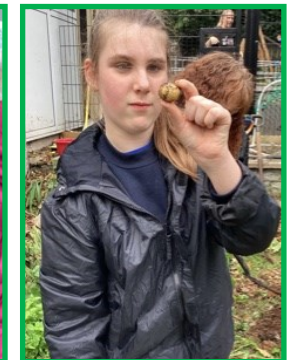
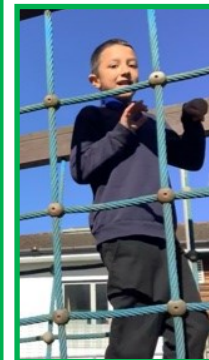
**Love of reading**—We have enjoyed welcoming local author, Micheal Fleet, back to maple who has been busy writing a story dedicated to Doubletrees School.

**Trips**—We've really enjoyed getting back to our Bikeability sessions at Par Running Track, showing great independence and continuing to build on these skills—especially during our visit to the café afterwards.

**WOW moment:** Back in the summer Maple class planted potatoes, and this term they got to harvest them! First everyone had to clear all the weeds, then they took turns to use the garden fork to dig up the potatoes, we collected the potatoes in a tub and then we had to give the potatoes a good wash before we brought them back to maple class.



## Developing our skills



## Community involvement/British Values



Biffa recycling workshop



Local author visit—Micheal Fleet

# Reminders!



## Upcoming events!

- Christmas carol service @ St Blazey Church
- Firework safety awareness
- Bikeability - Table cricket

Remembrance Day - Children in Need—Christmas jumper day and lots more!



## The class team..

Maple class is made up of teacher; Lucy, teaching assistants; Cassy and Kate and midday supervisor June. We also have Phil covering Lucy's PPA time in the week.

You may see our names in the diary from time to time!

## Next steps in our learning...

- This half term we will be continuing our important people topic, this time focusing on non fiction texts.
- In PSHE we will be thinking about getting on with others.
- We'll also begin our exciting new topic 'Let's get cooking!'
- There will also be lots of festive activities happening over this half term as we get nearer to Christmas —keep an eye out for events/reminders in the home communication books/school newsletter/Facebook page.



## Don't forget...

**PE** - is on a Thursday - please send in a PE kit

**Swimming** - is on Mondays, please ensure your child has a kit in school for this day

**Outdoor learning/break times**—please ensure your child has a coat as the weather changes

**Snacks**- Please remember to provide your child with a small healthy snack daily.

**Home communication book** - Please check these daily for any daily updates/reminders, if you

For updates, information and useful contacts, please check our school website and Facebook pages.

