

# EYE OF THE TIGER!

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There has been a great deal of sensory exploration this week all around school. Early Years and Foundation Stage pupils have smelt and sampled a range of food for cooking. Their recognition and knowledge of ingredients was very impressive. In addition to satisfying their taste buds, they also ventured into their very own perfume ranges! Maybe "Dab on Nabb" will hit the High Street shops this Christmas. Meanwhile, Year 2 pupils enjoyed a mass bake-off experience, creating a variety of designs for their bread, whilst Year 6 pupils made the hottest wraps in town, as part of their Mayan project.



Sounds were the name of the game on Wednesday, when we were visited by writer, Ian McMillan and musician, Luke Goss (not from Bros!), who kick-started a "Tales from Nabb" project. They entertained us with their ability to transform the ordinary into high adventure as the magical mystery tree legend was born! They continued to work with Year 6 pupils, who also welcomed a host of visitors re-telling tales from their schooldays. Year 3 pupils imagined their own mystical trees as a stimulus for writing, whilst Year 1 pupils took to the grounds to inspire their poetry. Year 5 pupils have opted for telling stories through comic strip; their Mayan project has provided the source.



On a scientific note, Year 4 pupils got to grips with learning about gases by investigating whether fizzy drinks had a greater mass than still drinks. Working in groups, they tested their theories, and explained their findings confidently and clearly.



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