

## Highly Sprung All things magical!



We were really lucky as Mark from Highly Sprung came to introduce our new topic, 'All things Magical'. He used a book called Leon and the place between. We had fun taking part in the drama, music and dance



'Leon was really lucky to see all of the magic' Ethan



We told Mark about how much we all like the Greatest Showman. He gave us some fabulous ideas for us to have a go at other the next few weeks.

As part of our workshop we acted out a circus. We had lots of fun pretending to be clowns, acrobats, flame throwers and elephants. We also thought about how Leon would be feeling during different parts of the story. We are really looking forward to our new topic now.

"I love the circus it's so much fun."  
Bella



"I loved being an acrobat."  
Ava

## Highly Sprung – Amazing Adventures

We had lots of fun working with highly sprung this morning. It was a fantastic introduction to our new topic of holidays. We thought about different places that we can go on holiday.



"I went on a  
aeroplane."

Ava



We thought about different ways that we can travel when we go on holiday. We really enjoyed pretending to be a train and a aeroplane.

Sarah explained to us that we can do lots of different things on holiday depending on whether we go to a hot or cold country. We pretended to visit the seaside, the jungle, India and a really cold part of the world.

"I like  
building sand  
castles."  
Archie



"I like  
having a  
ice cream."  
Emily

## Highly Sprung Diwali



We have been learning about Diwali. As part of our learning Highly Sprung worked with us to act out the story of Diwali. We also looked into the different ways that the festival is celebrated and we learnt that it is called the festival of light.



'They decorate their houses with lots of pretty lights.' Freya



We thought about how celebrations that we celebrate are similar to Diwali. We recognised that at Christmas we decorate our houses and give each other presents.

To begin our lesson with Highly Sprung Mark talked to us about the importance of warming up our bodies. We did lots of fun exercises and pretended that we were different animals. Our favourite game was spaghetti where we had to move around like a piece of spaghetti and freeze as fast as we could.

"They get presents like we do at Christmas."  
Joseph



"I loved doing all of the exercises."  
Evie



## Highly Sprung – Marvellous Minibeasts

Today we had lots of fun working with Highly Sprung it was a great way to start our new topic which is called 'Marvellous Minibeasts.' We pretend to be lots of different creatures and travelled in different ways.



Plants need water, sun and soil.

Joshua



We are excited to start growing our own plants over the next few weeks after learning how to look after them.

We also talked about growing plants. We discussed what plants need to grow and also acted out the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. We really liked it when the giant chased us.

Quick the giant is chasing us.

Kavla



The snails are really slow. Evie

## Highly Sprung – Out of an Egg



Today we were very lucky as Mark from Highly Sprung came to launch our 'Out of an Egg' topic. We started off by talking about Easter Eggs and where they came from. We then used dance and drama to show different types of eggs and the journeys they have.



We pretended to be a caterpillar hatching from an egg and followed the journey of the caterpillar lifecycle until we hatched out and became a butterfly.

"Chickens hatch from eggs" Leo



Mark talked about dinosaurs, chickens, bees, turtles and other animals that hatch out from eggs. We pretended to be a chick hatching out of an egg and starting our lives. We moved our bodies in different ways and with a partner to create different poses to represent different types of animals.

"Snakes lay eggs" Hari



"I am a dinosaur hatching"  
" Josh