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A note from the headteacher

Our second week back at school after the summer break has been a busy one! The children have continued to throw themselves wholeheartedly into 'Wake-up and Shake up', with a prize going to the child who has shown the most enthusiasm being announced on Friday.

I had the pleasure of spending some time in each of the classrooms this week. It is hard to believe that the Cherry Class children have only just joined us. They have settled into life at Bladon so quickly. It was wonderful to see them so enthusiastic about learning. I believe we have some budding mathematicians already!

Tracey Fletcher
Head teacher.

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In Apple Class the children were also displaying their mathematical prowess through their understanding of how the number system works. They eagerly shared their thoughts and explained the reasons behind their answers. Very impressive Apple Class!

Meanwhile in Oak Class, editing work was taking place. The children were quickly able to spot the many mistakes that Mrs Weeks had put in her writing. Capital letters and full-stops were being put into the right places, spelling errors rectified and work that didn't make sense soon formed an order. Let's hope that Mrs Weeks learns from her class how to check her own work!

English was also on the learning menu in Willow Class with the children being asked to really think about why authors make careful choices about language and structure in their writing. It was fantastic hearing the children explain why a piece of text is written in a certain way and then thinking about how they could then use that to write a piece of text that is full of suspense. I am looking forward to gripping the edge of my chair as I read their writing.

Next week sees the children in Willow Class go away to Kilvrough Manor in Wales for their residential. We know that they will have a fabulous time and cannot wait to hear about their many adventures.

I would like to thank everyone who attended the FOBS meeting at the White House on Tuesday evening. There are some great events planned. Keep your eyes open for updates in the school newsletter. All the children at Bladon benefit massively from the money that FOBS have raised over the years. If you feel that you would like to be part of the FOBS team and support the school with fund-raising please email: the FOBS team at: bladonfobs@gmail.com

FOBS have very kindly said that they will be financing the school visit to the pantomime this year. On Monday 5th January the whole school will be going to watch Jack and the Beanstalk at the Playhouse theatre in Oxford.