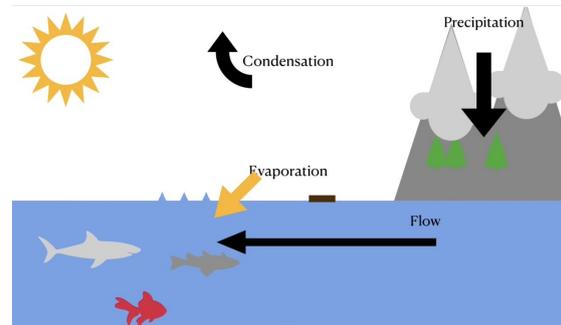




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Science

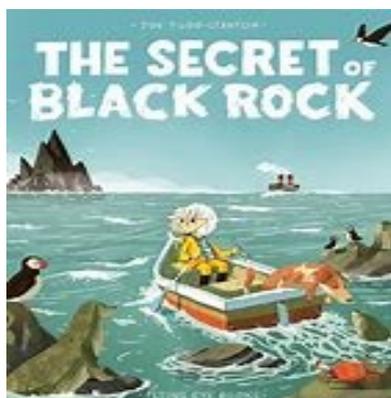
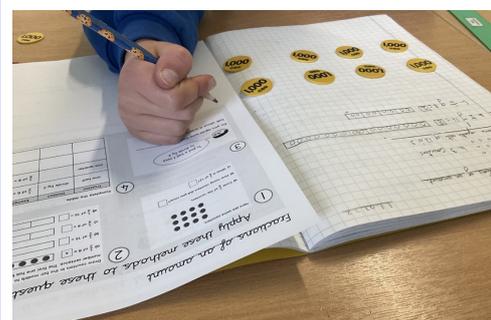
We started off our science by learning about the water cycle. We know that there are 4 stages of the water cycle– evaporation, condensation, precipitation and flow. We enjoyed using the ipads to create an animation of the water cycle. After this we moved onto solids, liquids and gasses whilst linking it to the water cycle. We have been able to do really cool experiments with carbonated liquids to see if gas has any weight.



Maths

This half term we have been continuing to learn about fractions and seeing how they fit in to our everyday life. We have learnt how to count in fractions and spot patterns.

The next topic we have begun learning is decimals. We know how to convert hundredths and tenths to decimals and we got to do some active maths!



English

In English, we used the book 'The Secret of Black Rock' as a stimulus for our writing. Some of us wrote our own versions of the story from Black Rock's perspective and some of us wrote a story in a different setting.

We then linked our writing to our topic and designed and wrote our own explanation text for the water cycle.

Swimming and gymnastics

In PE, we have had the exciting opportunity to swim in the pool! We have really enjoyed learning new skills and playing fun games in the water with Mrs Romp and Mrs Taylor.

We have also been able to do some gymnastics on a Friday afternoon. It has allowed us to get creative with our stretches, balancing and jumping.

A nice surprise visit from a dance workshop boosted our wellbeing too! Although, I think we need some more practise before we apply to be the newest member of Diversity!



RE

In RE, we have been reflecting on the Christian celebration of Lent and how we, ourselves can 'turn over a new leaf'. We have learnt about how much Jesus gave up when he survived in the desert for 40 days and 40 nights.

We have also considered how our own families celebrate Easter and how this may look different for others.

By 4M

