

Kingstone and Thruxton Newsletter

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Our Green Team have been busy again this week, planting primroses and broad beans as part of their mission to increase biodiversity! They are working so hard on their Eco Action Plan—brilliant!



This week in Year 4, the children have been exploring maps of the local area. They were amazed at how big an ordinate survey map is and talked all about how they each focus on different areas throughout the country. They have been measuring the distance from Kingstone to the surrounding villages, learning all about the different map symbols. Some of the children enjoyed themselves so much they have taken copies of the maps home to carry on exploring!



Year 2 have been tasting a variety of leaves, roots, stems, flowers and fruits as they discovered that we can eat all parts of some plants. Some of the children were surprised to find out that cucumbers and tomatoes are fruits.



In amongst all our hard work, we did manage a little bit of down time in the snow! Thank you for all your patience and understanding as we have navigated the uncertain weather this week. It is always very difficult to make school closure decisions when the forecast is subject to change, but I'm pleased that we've been able to open each day. It is a credit to the wonderful staff team for their 'can do' attitudes— a huge thank you to all! Here are a few snowy pictures from yesterday...



With best wishes for a fabulous weekend,

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Head of Primary

