

## Orange Class

April has been a short month in school as we had our Easter Holidays. We all had a great time with lots of Easter eggs.

This half term our topic is 'special events'. In Discovery we started learning about the Olympic games. As an introduction we first looked at a PowerPoint Erica made. We also looked at how it all started in the Ancient Greek time, we looked at photographs of old Greek vases to discover about the different sporting events.

In Science we are learning about magnetism. In the first two weeks we have found out which materials are magnetic, we sorted materials into magnetic and non-magnetic and we compared magnets to see which one was the strongest. We recorded our findings in a table.

The topic for maths is fractions. We learnt about half, quarters and thirds of objects and quantities. Some of us compared fractions and found out that for example a half is equivalent to two quarters.

In English we are learning about poetry. We started with rhyming poems about animals and we explored the rhyming words in the poems. We will continue with limericks.

We enjoyed the start of our computing topic: we made shapes using turtle logo and others gave instructions to a beebot.

We have been very busy in our first weeks back!

