

3rd May 2019

Hello!

We have been full of (magic) beans all week long, because this week, we have been thinking about the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. A beanstalk has magically appeared in class for us to measure and compare how many leaves high we are. We have also made playdough beanstalks, and measured them by seeing how many leaves we can fit on them – we had some really giant ones! The children have also been digging for magic beans and seeing how many that they can find.

Yesterday we did a magic spell to make some dancing beans! The children experimented by putting lentils and other things into fizzy water to see it would make them dance. Naturally, we also used lots of glitter, because everyone knows that proper magic spells need to be shiny! It was great fun and it turns out that we are a very magical bunch, because we can get lots of different things to dance in fizzy water!

We didn't do beany cooking this week – it's been windy enough! Instead, we are going to be concentrating on being cheesy... We have a whole term of cheesy recipes to try out, ranging from this week's classic lunchtime recipe – the cheese sandwich, to a more sophisticated dish – the cheese pinwheel. Easy Peasy Cheesy are our magic words this term!

Letters concerning Parents' Evening have gone out – many thanks to those of you who have already filled out and returned the slip to request an appointment. If you have yet to return your slip, then please do so ASAP so I can allot appointment times. If you are not able to come then please let me know so that I can arrange a telephone appointment with you. Thank you!

Finally, don't forget that Monday is a Bank Holiday so school will be closed!

Wishing you all a wonderful long weekend – let's hope that the sun manages to put in at least a brief appearance!

Have a good one!

Rachel ☺