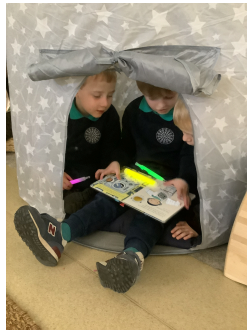


# Learning Blog



## P A D A R N



What a very busy month we've had in Dosbarth Padarn !



We have continued our 'In the moment inquiry based learning' - "Pwy sy'n byw yn yr ardd ?" We created a class graph, showing our favourite minibeasts. The spider was the most popular. We learnt all about the life cycle of a butterfly, and we worked together and created them in many different ways, using various materials. We also had fun creating a symmetrical butterfly, using our favourite colours of paint. We ended our inquiry by creating our favourite minibeast with our own choice of materials and created our own posters, using J2e, on the iPad:- 'Look after God's creatures,'.

We have also created 'Mothering Sunday' cards and we were very excited to create our bookmarks for our mums / guardians.

We have been very inquisitive and curious to start our RVE inquiry:- 'Darkness and Light!'. We have learnt that Jesus' light shines bright. The nursery has been magical, the aroma beautiful and calming, music flowing. A projector filled the room with bright moving stars and a moon. We have talked about darkness and what we can see in the dark. We have learnt that the dark can be calm and beautiful. We were very excited and curious to explore the different activities in our area of learning and to discover the awe and wonder of our natural world. Together we have created the night sky, learning to draw with chalk and chalk pens. We learnt that the stars can be different sizes and the moon, different shapes. We have also learnt to use stars and moon shaped cutters in our play dough area and we even created the night sky with the play dough stars, clouds and moon. We've learnt all about the animals that venture out at night and learnt that they are nocturnal animals. We've sang around the camp fire, looking up at the stars, and enjoyed yummy marshmallows. We've thoroughly enjoyed our dark pop up tent, quietly sitting, holding a glow stick, reflecting on the weeks events and praying to 'God' to thank him for all his wonders.

The highlight has been learning about the 'Easter Story', through an 'Authentic Experience during Holy Week'. We have enjoyed singing and acting out through 'Palm Sunday', 'The Last Supper', 'The Garden of Gethsemane' and to 'Easter Sunday' to remember 'Jesus Christ'- He is Risen!

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