

# Laver Class News

Week 4/12/23

We have a busy week filled with our parent's open afternoon, practise for our Christmas production and all our learning!

*What have we been learning about this week:*

## Learning Means the World



In 'Learning Means the World' we have been working with our curriculum creature Shackleton, a geographer.

We used Google Earth to go on a virtual tour of the local area, discussing the physical geography we could see such as rivers and hills. We looked out for human features too, the school, shops, canal and market place.

## Maths

We continued to look at subtraction within 10, counting back on a number line. We have been learning about fact families too.

$$6 - 2 = 4$$

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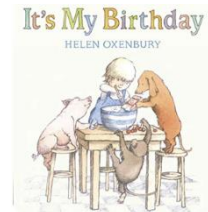
$$2 + 4 = 6$$

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These four number sentences make up a **fact family**.

## Reading

Our class text is **It's My Birthday** by Helen Oxenbury.



## Writing

We have continued working together to create a text map of the story and acted out the parts to remember the sequence. We have also been learning how we can use 'and' to join two clauses.

It's my birthday **and** I had lots of fun.

## PE

We have continued practising our aiming skills and have started using these in simple games.

## RE

We have been learning that Christians use the story of the nativity to guide their actions at Christmas and that Christians are thankful that Jesus came to earth. We have been thinking about what we are thankful for and we created a paper chain with our ideas.

**Our theme in Collective worship** is Advent