What do pupils think about EYFS learning at Millfields?

2019 - 20
Pupils in each class were asked the following questions:

What do you like about maths lessons in the EYFS?

What do you like about Literacy lessons in the EYFS?

What’s the best thing about topic learning in the EYFS?

What do you think about our outdoor learning in the EYFS?

What do you think about our trips in the EYFS?
EYFS
Maths lessons:

• I love learning about maths on the carpet – it’s exciting!
• I loved learning all about numbers and finding 1 more or 1 less
• I like doing really hard sums like bigger numbers over 100! – it’s easy!
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Literacy lessons:

- I love doing all the different writing like sentences and lists and instructions
- I love learning how to write and using my sounds and red words
- I think it is really educating and fun because now I can write but I didn’t know how to do that before
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Topic lessons:

• I liked learning about minibeasts because of the butterflies - they are my favourite and I learned about the life cycle!
• I liked learning about food because we got to read books about food that were so good and funny like ‘Never use a knife and fork’
• I liked the minibeasts because I like spiders and I got to make some paper spiders
• I liked learning about Firefighters and I even got to go in a real fire engine!
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Outside learning:

• I like playing with all the vehicles in the sand pit outside – it’s so fun!

• I like playing with the big toy trucks like the monster truck

• I like going on the scooters and the bikes in the afternoon when the outside is open

• I like learning about new things when we go on trips
EYFS Trips:

• All our trips are always fun and exciting and especially when it rains on us! Our trip to Countryside Live was the best because I loved seeing the sheep and holding a real tarantula!

• I liked going on to the fire station for work week. We got to spray the hose at a tall building!
Summary

What's working well at Millfields:
• Pupils love to learn and have a positive attitude towards their learning in all areas of the EYFS
• Pupils are motivated and engaged with their topics and value the cross curricular links with maths and literacy
• The pupils speak with confidence about their lessons and learning
• The quality of teaching is good and pupils were able to recall exciting activities
• Teachers use a variety of ways to engage pupils, including using stories and creative approaches
• Trips are an important part of the EYFS, pupils talk about them with enthusiasm and always look forward to the next one