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Chameleon Class Newsletter

End of Term 1

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been such an amazing start to this school year. I was so looking forward to welcoming the children back as I have such fond memories of teaching them two years ago. Of course, the highlight of the term was our Residential to Grittleton House. Even though it was the first time staying away from home for most, the children showed great resilience and independence. I especially enjoyed watching them work in teams to problem solve and work out how to proceed through a game. Axe throwing was fun (I stood well back) and Buggy Building required co-operation and communication skills.



In P.E. the children have been lucky to receive coaching in Lacrosse from an expert. These lessons help to improve so many skills; co-ordination, catching and throwing, team work and listening. Our indoor yoga sessions have been focused on mindfulness, reflection, stretching and controlled movement.

English lessons have been particularly exciting this term. We have used a short Science Fiction film clip called 'The Ruin' as our stimulus. Each week, we looked at stills from the clip and discussed figurative language and grammatical devices that could be used to retell the story cohesively. The writing outcomes from this unit of work are fantastic and it has sparked an enthusiasm for creative narrative which I'm sure will continue next term.

Have a lovely half term and we are looking forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 2nd November.

Best Wishes from the Chameleon Team – Miss Ford, Mrs Pym and Mrs Tayler.