



Reminders:
 Thank you to everyone who attended Parents Evening this week. It was great to see you all and discuss your child's first term at HTPD!

SPELLINGS: 'ee' sound
 screech creep sweet
 freeze each leave
 please squeak



Curriculum News:

English:
 Our 'Just So' stories are looking amazing and we are really proud of how hard we have worked. We are now at the editing process and have been thinking of how we can improve our writing by correcting our punctuation, varying our sentence openers, choosing more interesting descriptive vocabulary, using conjunctions and making sure our story has a clear ending that links to the beginning—phew!

Maths:
 In maths the children have moved on from arrays and have begun to look at the grid method for multiplication. We have also been working on multiplying by ten, and doubling and halving 2 and 3 digit numbers by partitioning.

Geography:
 We discussed what we already knew about clouds from our previous work on the water cycle. We learnt about different types of clouds and created our very own cloud in a bottle.

Try it at home!
<http://www.planet-science.com/categories/experiments/weather/2011/03/make-a-cloud-in-a-bottle.aspx>



Science:

This week we were thinking about how sound travels through different materials. First we planned what we would need to do to carry out a fair test. Our next job was to insulate the cups with different materials making sure the layers on each cup were the same thickness. Before we could test the materials we needed to make an electrical circuit with a buzzer. Finally we could test each material and find out which one was the best at insulating against a sound!

