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Shared Education~ Spring Term 2016

As we approach our half term break it's time to send out an update on our Shared Education Work since Christmas.

Our P6 classes began their project on Thursday January 7th with a day of Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) work. Sounds challenging but really it was a day of fun filled activities devised to get the children talking and working together and generally getting to know each other. Since then they have shared classrooms each Thursday, the 14th, 21st, 28th of January and Feb 5th. Miss Mc Donnell and Mr Dougherty have chatted regularly to staff and children and both are delighted at how much everyone is enjoying the work.



Meanwhile the P7 staff met on Tuesday January 18th to plan their programme and this kicked off on Tuesday January 26th. Despite being early days, the same positive, enthusiastic vibe is obvious!

On February 3rd, Holy Child hosted a Grandparents Assembly which is an annual event and everyone there was delighted that a group of P7 children from Ebrington came along to watch the assembly which was a real celebration of the role grandparents play in the lives of their grandchildren.

The Nursery Staff from Holy Child went to visit their counterparts on Wednesday January 27th and between them they have planned a joint event for each month up to the end of the year.

So all in all, it has certainly been a busy six weeks. In our next newsletter we will let the children share their views on the work but more importantly the friendships they are making.

Yours sincerely,

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