



Big Six Bonanza



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Merry Christmas Everyone!

Big Six Turn Back Time

You may have seen the recent BBC series, *Turn Back Time*, where a group of celebrities and historians have attempted to chart the changing face of the British high street over the course of a century. For one week only, the BBC recreated a mini high street in the Mander Centre shopping centre in Wolverhampton and Big Six were invited to visit as part of their history studies. So, we walked up into town and stepped back in time. In pictures, here was our experience...



Mr. Turner's 1930s grocery store where Misha and others attempted to buy 3lb of cheese, a tin of sardines, liquorice and cloudy lemonade that would be delivered the following day! Everything was so realistic; even Mr. Turner's mannerisms.



Katie and Sairah (above) enjoy a sit down in a 1960s lounge whilst Philippa (right) studies the timeline and interactive activities where we got to smell tea, coffee and variety of other products.



You can find out more about the *Turn Back Time* series and watch the episodes at www.bbc.co.uk/turnbacktime.

NOTICES

- Congratulations to Evie Bramley for being placed 3rd in the West Midlands Aquathon Series; a great achievement.
- Congratulations to all Big Sixers in Lincoln for a fantastic assembly performance on Thursday 9th December.
- Congratulations to Sukhneet Gakhal and Jemima Cooke for being chosen to read at our whole school, end of term assembly.
- There will be a pre-towers meeting on Thursday 6th January 2011 in the Big Six Classroom from 6pm. Come along to find out answers to last minute questions before parents will be able to enjoy a peaceful week at home.
- Well done to all our Big Sixers for the hard work and determination that they have put into this term. We wish them and their families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Subject Focus: PSHE

For the last few weeks Big Six have been looking at ways to look after themselves and stay healthy. Firstly, we learnt about hygiene and starting with the basics but maybe the most important, washing hands. To make it more interesting, we did a flour experiment to model how far germs travel just by touching objects and each other.



We also used a UV lamp to highlight the bacteria left on our hands even after washing!

We came up with an extensive list of ways to stay healthy and top of our list was: exercise; eating five fruit and veg. a day; drinking lots of water; washing and changing clothes; eating a balanced diet; getting plenty of sleep and smiling and laughing!

This week, we have considered healthy diets and how we can cram plenty of fruit and vegetables

into our daily diets. We had a food tasting session and sampled a variety of more unusual fruits including sharon fruit, physalis, fresh figs and papaya. All of us liked something but the flavours were not to everyone's taste, as you can see...



James and George finding something a little sour!



Joseph's finds the figs a little smelly whilst Jemima isn't sure on the taste.



Emily, Alice and Eddie enjoying the sharon fruit.

Meet a Big Sixer

Every month we be bringing you a short, sharp insight into the life of two of our Big Sixers

Name: Sophie Hickman
Form: 6X
House: Jefferson
Favourite subject: All of them!
Least favourite subject: None of them!
Best thing about being in Big Six: Everything
Favourite food: Pasta
Hobbies outside of school: Dancing
Anything else we should know? Big Six is the best!



Name: Eddie Cooper
Form: 6y
House: Lincoln
Favourite subject: Art, PE and Science
Least favourite subject: French
Best thing about being in Big Six: It's fun
Favourite food: Ice cream
Hobbies outside of school: Tennis
Anything else we should know? I'm sporty

