



# Snow MONKEY

## YEARS 2 & 4



*Literacy*  
In Year 2, we explored enchanting fiction worlds which feature imaginary creatures in familiar settings, with books like "Not Now, Bernard," "The Slightly Annoying Elephant," and "There's No Such Thing as a Dragon." We delved into these stories, honing our skills through book reviews, while mastering 20 common exception words.

In Year 4 Literacy, our focus was on non-chronological reports. Through the excellent book "Cool Architecture", we studied the features and language required to write reports that are well structured and clear. We learned how to summarise a text and the importance of a glossary. Finally we used the skills we had acquired to write a report on an Ecohome.

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*Unity is as sweet as chocolate.  
Different flavours, one delicious treat.*

Numbers came alive in our *Maths* classes!

Y2 focused on multiplication, concentrating on the 2-, 5-, and 10-times tables, used various tools to understand these concepts, and applied this knowledge to real-life word problems.

Meanwhile, Y4 students tackled intermediate maths, mastering addition and subtraction with three-digit numbers. Lessons covered carrying and borrowing, as well as advanced topics such as fractions, time conversion, and decimals.

The Y4 Snow Monkeys made learning the 3-, 4-, 6-, 7-, and 8-times tables engaging and enjoyable through interactive drills and games.



Excitement filled our *IPC* classes during our exploration of the delicious world of chocolate. From thrilling chocolate tastings to creative dyeing activities and cacao pod art, we embarked on a sweet adventure. We have also dug into the History of Chocolate, crafted our Mesoamerican-inspired drinks and played lively games set in the Aztec-Mayan market. Currently, we are creating pop-up pages tracing how cacao made its way to Europe. This mouth-watering and educational experience was enjoyed by everyone involved!

