

## Nat West Money Sense Workshops



At the end of the November, years 1 – 6 were visited by teams of volunteers from Nat West Bank who led a series of 'Money Sense' workshops. For the younger pupils (years 1 -3) these helped build an understanding that there are choices with what to do with money and that money can be spent, saved or donated.

Discussions were also had around the differences between wants and needs and, finally, pupils considered the different ways in which a family might spend their money.

Years 4 -6 spent their sessions identifying what would make a good birthday party and then planning and organising one within a set budget. They had to identify costs and, by the end of the session, were showing a real understanding of value for money.



Pupils really enjoyed the sessions while, at the same time, developing their financial awareness.