



SANTA'S LITTLE HELPERS WONDER IN THE WORKSHOPS AT MIS

All classes created outstanding decorations, cards and gifts in the run up to the holiday period - from hand painted trees, quirky characters and wacky wreaths. All manner of artistic activity was to be observed in the Malherbe milieu. Year 1 made imaginative decorations and festive items using recycled materials collected throughout the term - putting their ecological practices to good use as the basis for their quirky Christmas creations. In the spirit of 'Design and Make' within Science, the children first talked about and sketched their designs before then attempting the construction. They found that their original plans did change along the way as they experimented with the materials and different challenges encountered!

Year 1 and 2 came together in the final week of school to make personalised cards and cool characters using corks and other simple resources! In recognition of their excellent work and good behaviour throughout the term, these students received a special Class Dojo certificate stating their points earned so far this year! Many classes similarly received rewards in lieu of their academic efforts and co-operation using Class Dojo or other individualised class systems. A flurry of brilliant baking was also observed throughout the school with oreo truffles and chocolate chips cookies prepared and shared by the senior students of Ms. Cox and Ms. Snape - incorporating Scientific principles about the melting and combining of materials with some old fashioned festive fun and sweet treats! Delicious!