Class 8

<u>Literacy</u>

In literacy we have continued reading and finished our story Beauty and the Beast. We have been writing a newspaper article reporting on the Gaston and the villagers searching for the castle and fighting the Beast and the enchanted objects. We have had lots of fun reading and following instructions to create our own Cogsworth and have also completed a story review sharing our star rating for the

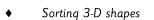
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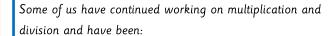


Numeracy

In Numeracy some of us have been working on shape. We have been:

- Identifying patterns
- Recognising and naming 3-D shapes





Recalling the 8 times table



It's December!

This week Christmas the Elf arrived back into Class 8! He brought with him our Christmas tree, decorations, letters and Christmas activities. We have enjoyed decorating our classroom and searching for Christmas the elf's new hiding place each morning. We have also been working well on our Christmas production and are looking forward to you all seeing it.

<u>Topic</u>

This week in topic we have been learning about the material metal and have been exploring objects made of metal, talking about what they feel like and finding out the names of different metals e.g., aluminium, steel, copper etc.. We have also been listening to information and watching videos about how metal items are made and have been sorting items into groups of 'metal or not metal' or 'metal, wood, fabric or plastic'. We also had lots of fun completing a mini science investigation to test if metal could be squashed, stretched, bent or twisted.

<u>Storytime</u>

This week we have been reading 'Gregg the Sausage Roll - Santa's Little Helper' by Mark and Roxanne Hoyle.



