

## Year 4 Blog – Week Commencing 15.05.2023: Saving Sapphire!

This week in Year 4, we have delved into our creative side and took part in a variety of exciting subjects: DT, gardening, Computing, and drama!

On Monday, Year 4 were trying out for the districts and completing against each other in the 70m sprint and sergeant jump. We chose to do a rotation so that all children could take part in the activities. While two thirds of the year group were trying out for the districts, the final class was taking part in gardening, getting the Year 4 planters ready for planting our fruits and vegetables. Each class had a set of 10 planters to weed, turn over, and prep the soil. We look forward to next week where we can start planting!

As part of our new writing unit (write to entertain: a jungle narrative), we all took part in some drama to immerse ourselves into the topic. We performed a jungle narrative scene where we discovered a baby elephant had been captured by poachers. We worked together to release the elephant (Sapphire) and save the day!

In DT this week, we have been creating our electrical powered torches. Our design brief was to create a battery powered torch so that people in India can travel to collect water in the dark. We cut, stick and painted our torches, ready to install our battery packs next week.



