Croeso i Ysgol y Model

Here is the first destination on our map. We are the Year 4 Model School Creative Group. We have been learning about maps and trying to make some of our own. We have been mapping the things that are important to us.

We made maps of our worlds and by the end of the project we were able to make a map of the world we hold in common. This is our Mappa Mundi. The Old Model School is at the centre. I drew the arc because we worked a lot in the ICT suite which is called Noah. All of our work has been recorded on the People's Collection website.

We went on a trip to Aberystwyth to the National Library of Wales. It was extremely cold. We went to see the Black Book of Carmarthen. The book was written in the Old Priory in this town.

The Book is written with ink made from oak nuts. The book mentions Merlin who was a poet and a wizard.

After seeing the book we went to Borth beach where we saw lots of tree stumps. They were very old. Some people say this is the lost land of Cantre'r Gwaelod where you can hear the bells still ringing.

This is a picture of a Chestnut Tree in the Playground of the Old Model School. We found the Picture in the back of the Old School Log Book.

The Log Book records the history of the school including special events like this one. We found the log book in a locked room in the attic.

After finding the book we interviewed Mrs Evans who was a pupil at the old School. She said that some thought the school was haunted.

We had a map of Carmarthen and decided to split it into pieces. We were in pairs and drew one of the bits of the map.

The end result was quite good. It was a fun activity.

You can see the results on this cake. We hope it will be tasty too.

This is a photo of a poem we wrote. We made the poem with our minds and imagination.

It was fun but sometimes hard. We did this with a poet called Elinor.

The poem was inspired by our visit to Carmarthen museum in Abergwili. We saw lots of objects at the museum that made us think about history and our place in time.

This is the last destination on our map. Here is the rainwater gauge. We are seeing if the climate changes over Wales.

The Old Model School was once a weather station. We have been measuring rainfall and recording it for our map.

Diolch yn fawr! Gobeithio eich bod chi wedi mwynhau ein gwaith. Rydym ni y grwp creadigol wedi mwynhau.