

Lower 3 learn about how Christmas is celebrated in Spain



This week in their Spanish lesson, Lower 3 have been learning about the how people in Spain celebrate Christmas and New Year.

The pupils were surprised to learn that the main day of Christmas in Spain is 6th January and that so much emphasis is put onto the 3 kings. They enjoyed learning about the traditional cake: *el roscón de Reyes* which is ring-shaped and is covered in coloured sweets and jellies which represent the jewellery worn by the 3 kings.

Pupils found the idea of Spanish children in the Catalan area of Spain hitting a Christmas log with a painted face (*el Tió de Nadal*) in the hope that it might give them presents particularly amusing.

Pupils went on to write and decorate some beautiful Christmas cards and other Christmas arts and crafts for their family and friends.

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