

# Grove school

On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May, SPS went to Grove school to have a look around and compare our schools. Miss Gould (the head teacher) welcomed us in and introduced us to the school council. Then split us into year groups. We got a tour of all the classes:

Year 6 called Beech Class

Year 5 called Silver Birch Class

Year 4 called Chestnut Class

Year 3 called Sycamore Class

Year 2 called Maple Class

Year 1 called Willow Class

Foundation called Oak Class

There are 168 children, 6.8 teachers, 7 TA's and 1 head teacher!!! The largest class has 27 children and the smallest class 14. The school has a fabulous pre-school on site and has an amazingly painted mobile class room where year 6 and the after school club is held. Like us they have Christian Values but theirs are Love, Respect and Resilience. We are given merits for good work and behavior whereas they are given housepoints. They have a lovely outside area with a trim trail and outdoor classroom, like us!

We had a lovely visit and some yummy biscuits and drink!

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