

Comenius Newsletter - December



Skype calls to other schools:

- In December, four classes called the other four schools involved through skype.
- We had great fun doing it.
- We sang two Christmas carols each and had a welcome message.
- The classes who were involved in the skype calls were Ms. Walsh, Mr. Frehill, Mr. Daly, Ms. Cashin and the school choir.
- We heard some great Christmas songs from all the countries.



Christmas Traditions Powerpoint:

During December, all the classes participated in a Christmas tradition powerpoint competition. Here we had to show Finland, Denmark and Italy how we celebrate Christmas in Ireland. The winning class was sent off to the other countries. We got to see how the other countries celebrate Christmas.



Christmas cards:

We made Christmas cards to send to all the schools involved in our comenius project. This was great fun and they turned out really good. Some of us got prizes for making the best card in our class!



A view from the pupils:

Hi my name is Chloe Ward from fourth class. We sent cards to all the children in Italy, Denmark and Finland. We got to see their cards. It was great to see the different greetings they use!

Hi name is Emily and i'm in Ms MacManus' class. We made a slideshow. We made a big art poster which we used for our presentation. Some of my friends dressed up as Santa and wore pyjama's on the day we made our slideshow!.

Weather recording:

We recorded the weather in Tallaght last week. Mr Murphy's class was in charge of this. We then compared the weather in Ireland to weather in Italy, Denmark and Finland. We found that Finland and Denmark were very cold where as Italy was very mild. However, Ireland of course had the most rain!

