



Inter School Quiz

Inter School Quiz by Matt Bestwick

On 10th March 2009, we visited Farmor's school (one of the other schools involved with YEP!) to meet with them and find out how they have done with their project. Both schools gave a presentation of their findings and in groups afterwards we compared the similarities and differences between the two schools. There were quite a few similarities but equally some differences as well.

After that, the key speaker for the event, Jane Lock-Smith (architect from Cube Design) gave a presentation about her and what she does as a career.

She showed us some of the buildings that she has designed including: the McLaren building; Rednock school and our new building! Jane also tries to use the most sustainable methods in designing buildings as possible (as shown in our new building). This was good for us to hear about as we are looking at improving existing buildings whereas Jane designs new buildings- it was good to find out the sustainable methods thought about in the production of new buildings as well as what we know about improving existing buildings.

It was really good for me to meet Jane Lock-Smith as I would like to be an architect as well. The presentation gave me an insight to some of the skills involved in becoming an architect.

I really enjoyed the visit to Farmors school and thank Farmors school for hosting the event, Jane Lock-Smith for coming in and talking to us. Also thanks to Victoria and the

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Students from Farmor's and Cleeve schools taking part in the inter-school event at Farmor's