



Sanofi Aventis by Megan

Year six visited Sanofi aventis in Alnwick. We went to hear a lecture by Jonathan Hare a physicist that starred in Rough Science.

He started the lecture by telling us about gun powder. He showed us a video of him making a rocket in Rough Science. He also told us the main ingredient in gun powder, POO!

The next part of the lecture was about electricity. Jonathan asked eight people to come up in front of the audience and stand in a line. Next he gave each person a potato with wires attached to them. He measured the electricity coming from the potatoes. He also showed us how to make electricity with water, light and magnets.

Jonathan also told us about when he visited New Zealand. He said he collected gold and crystals from the river by getting a big dish, and shaking it gently. This makes the gold sink to the top. This is called panning.

The last thing he showed us was how he sent a message by light on Rough Science. Then he let us try, you can tell what people are saying by the vibrations on the wall.

Visiting Sanofi was a really good experience and has opened our class's eyes to the science all around us.

We just want to say a big thank you to Sanofi for letting us visit, and for the bag of gifts.

Jonathan

