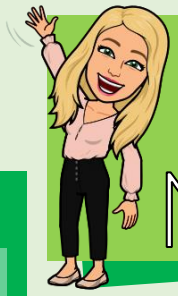
Week beginning

16.11.2020



Year 6 Newsletter

Magic Moments!

The children have worked incredibly hard this week whilst looking at Remembrance Day, and have produced some lovely pieces of artwork to commemorate those in World War I and II. We loved the detail Lillie included in her poppy picture. It was beautiful.

In maths, we have been looking at converting improper fractions to mixed numbers. Isaac gave some fantastic explanations of what improper fractions and mixed numbers were. Well done, Isaac!

All classes took part in a discussion surrounding gender diversity. We are so proud of the maturity of all our children and the wonderful and appropriate questions they asked to support their learning! Well done to all our children!

In English, we have been looking at producing a narrative. Jimmy has created some amazing sentences with lots of figurative language, so well done Jimmy!

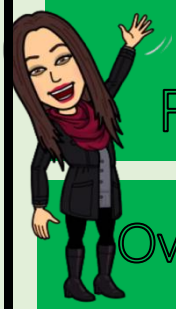
A Peek at the Week...

In English, we are going to be writing newspaper reports based on the events of the story Journey to Jo'Burg. We will recap the features of a newspaper and will be reporting on the two missing children as they continue their adventure to Johannesburg.

In maths, we will be multiplying and dividing fractions. Please remember to continue to practise your times tables as this will be very helpful for you this week.

In science, we will be recapping the features of vertebrate and invertebrate animals, and looking at how to sort and classify them. The children will be designing their own animal and describing its features in order to correctly classify it.

Our topic lesson this week will be an introduction to the British slave trade. We will be discussing what the Triangular Trade was and why it was used.



Don't Forget!

As the weather becomes colder, please send your child in with a hat and gloves that they could wear for PE. Please can we remind everyone that no earrings can be worn to school at any time.

Over to you... Home Learning

Homework is set every MONDAY and due in the following Monday. This week Year 6 have the following online tasks to complete:

MyMaths: Comparing mixed numbers and improper fractions.

Reading Eggs: Reading comprehension – What's cooking? Chef's Journal

Google Classroom: A Purple Mash task has been set for you this week. Login to find out more!

Spellings

The rule of the week is:

****CHALLENGE WORDS – set 9****

The spellings you will need to learn are:

appreciate communicate definite
exaggerate harass marvellous
persuade relevant stomach vehicle

Log in to Spelling shed to practise!

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