

English

In English this week, the children have completed their Non Chronological Report Plan. In addition to this, they have learnt about the Greek and Latin origins of words and created their own word to describe an action of their creature.

Computers

Year 5 enjoyed a visit from GamFam, who spoke about how gambling adverts can entice people in and sometimes mislead them into spending money. The children also learned how people may feel pressured into gambling and took part in role play activities to explore these ideas in a fun and engaging way.

PSHE: The children learnt about celebrating differences.

RE

This week the children have been learning about the Sinai Covenant. The children have enjoyed some drama and acted out what happened with God and Moses and the Israelites with regards to the Covenant. The children have then reviewed the Ten Commandments and collectively written and discussed a set of Ten Commandments for the class. They have also debated whether the original Ten Commandments were more about restriction or freedom.

Maths

This week in maths, the children have been learning about rounding. They have cemented their knowledge of how to round and have begun to work with larger numbers. They have now moved onto the topic negative numbers along with daily arithmetic work.

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Guided Reading

The week the children have been learning about reciprocal reading. They have learned about the different roles: leader, predictor, summariser, the clarifier, the questioner. Each role interprets the text, and collectively they will gain a sound understanding of it enabling them to answer questions

Class Books

The World of Unknown Monsters
Mythical Beasts & Magical Creatures



Spellings and Homework:

Read daily, Atom weekly homework, daily Rockstars.

Suffixes:

Kindness, hopeless, careful, quickly, enjoyment, disappointment, management, amazement, forgiveness, consciousness, forgetfulness, successful, pitiless, mysteriously, frequently

I recommend having a look at BBC Bitesize, Spelling. There are games to play to help the children practice spelling and revise the spelling rules.

Golden Book:

Santino



Art

This week in Art, the children have completed a mask design using one of their previous portraits as a base. They have examined Egyptian masks and combined their image with decoration using biro pen.

Geography

This week the children have learnt about the symbols on an Ordnance Survey Map. Through observation and discussion, they were able to identify what the symbols meant and why they are used.