

English

This week, we were working on our Fiction topic, writing a Narrative. This was based upon the book *The Water Tower*. We first had a planning sheet, where we thought of our ideas for the first, second and last paragraph using figurative language (similes, metaphors, and personification), fronted adverbials, expanded noun phrases, speech and show not tell. We then wrote each paragraph one lesson at a time before publishing it. We are hoping to read them each to Year Six next week!

Maths

We have been learning about angles, what different angles look like and how to use a protractor accurately to draw different angles. We found out how to draw a reflex angle, which is greater than 180 degrees, even though a protractor can only measure up to 180 degrees.

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This week we continued our topic of 'Relationships.' We understood the importance of being close to and trusting special people in our lives. We learned it is important to talk to our special people about our troubles.

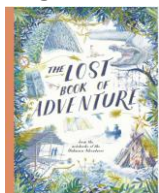
Spellings and Homework

Read daily, Atom weekly homework, daily Rockstars.

Disappearance, reconstruction, unforgettable, misunderstanding, interaction, deactivation, irresponsibly, indestructible, autograph, structural, appearance, reactivation, criticise, rhyme and variety.

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

Next week the children will begin their new writing project. We will be working with this book.



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District Sports Training

A reminder for those children selected for District Sports this year to come into school in your P.E. kit next Monday 8th June and Wednesday 10th June.

Sports Day

Today was our annual Sports Day. We were so lucky that yesterday's rain dried up so we could have this great event. We loved sprinting in our fun run with our outfits on. Well done to **Green House** for winning Sports Day this year!

Geography

We continued the topic of Eastern Europe. Specifically, the children used the computers to research countries such as Ukraine. The children uncovered facts such as the longest river.

Guided Reading

This week in reading, the children examined a text about Edward Jenner and the vaccination, and a diary entry. Two very different texts which have enabled the children to retrieve information confidently from two very different sources.

Well Done Year 5!

Mrs Faulkner would like to pass on her thoughts about how great Year 5 were this week whilst she was covering for Mrs Turner. She had a splendid time, and it was a great pleasure. Well done!

Golden Book

This week, the Golden Book award goes to

Olivia

for her super participation and engagement in all lessons, her use of our Oracy 21 speaking skills and applying the learning from the main teaching in her work.



Religious Education

This week we completed our Religious Education topic about 'To the Ends of the Earth.' We first learned about the connections that can be made between the scripture in the Bible and Confirmation. We made links to Baptism, Pentecost and Confirmation. We then learned and considered how Confirmation helps a Christian to grow in virtue. We learned what the virtues were and what 'fruits' grow as a result of developing these virtues.

Art homework

This week the children can draw something from the sea in any media they like. For example, a star fish in pen and ink.