

English

This week in English, the children have been learning how to create interesting sentences using humour and persuasive devices to get their point across effectively.

History

The children have learnt about the different aspects of daily life: women, men, children, food and

R.E

This week is Judaism week. As part of that the children have been learning about Passover (Pesach). They now understand the importance of the Pesach and what each food symbolises and the reasons why Pesach takes place. In addition to that the children took part in a wonderful assembly and workshop. The children learnt about the Torah. They enjoyed dressing up in the kippah and prayer blanket.

Art Homework

This week the children are to draw a self-portrait in any media they choose. It should be A5 or A4 size. The children should use what they have learnt at school and measure their face so that they know where to draw their eyes, nose, mouth, and ears. Due in next Friday

Maths

Percentages is the new topic that the children are studying. They are enjoying learning how to convert a fraction or decimal into a percentage and vice versa. They have also begun to calculate a percentage of an amount.

Year 5

Autumn Term

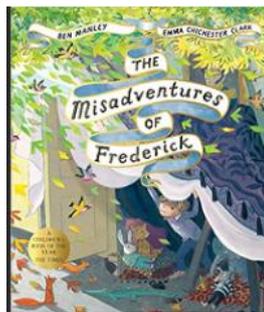


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Guided Reading

This week in Guided Reading the children have focussed upon how to answer questions effectively. They have then applied this knowledge to a Persuasive letter text. This has not only helped with confidence and ability it has also cross-curricular links with our new English topic.

Class Books



Spellings and Homework:

Read daily, Atom weekly homework, daily Rockstars. **although, thought, through, enough, rough, tough, cough, plough, bough, bought, thorough, drought, mischievous, lightning, correspond.**

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:

Valentino



Science

In Science this week, the children completed an end of topic assessment and then began their new topic: Forces. They started to learn about the different types of forces such as air resistance and water resistance. They also learnt about what forces push and pull and which ones do both.