

# Year 4 Newsletter

Week beginning: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2025

## Woodland Learning

We had a lovely session at Woodland Learning on Monday.



## English

This week the children finished their presidential speeches. Some children have read out the speeches to the class. The speeches are impressive and very persuasive. The children will vote anonymously next week, when all the candidates have presented their agendas to the class

## RE

In our RE lesson, we learnt about the service of Eucharist (the Holy Communion). We then described how Christians show their beliefs about Jesus in their everyday lives. Finally, we linked some of the objects and symbols seen around Easter to Christian beliefs and practices.



Via Dolorosa, Jerusalem. Israel.

## Geography

We studied how tourism has been changing over the years, in our geography lesson this week. We looked at changes in destinations, changes in the mode of transport and the impact of tourism on the world.



## Maths

We compared and ordered mixed fractions in our maths lesson.



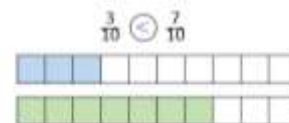
I know that  $\frac{3}{8}$  is smaller than  $\frac{7}{12}$  without having to draw a bar model or find a common denominator.

$$\frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{3}{8} < \frac{1}{2}$$

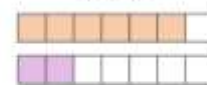
$$\frac{7}{12} > \frac{1}{2}$$



$\frac{3}{10}$  is smaller than  $\frac{7}{10}$

When the denominators are the same, the smaller the numerator, the smaller the fraction.

$$\frac{6}{7} > \frac{2}{7}$$



$\frac{6}{7}$  is greater than  $\frac{2}{7}$

When the denominators are the same, the greater the numerator, the greater the fraction.

## Spellings

Please learn the following spellings for next week:

1. gym
2. hymn
3. myth
4. pyramid
5. symbol
6. syrup
7. Egypt
8. bicycle
9. cylinder
10. oxygen

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| crystal | pyramid | bicycle    |
| gym     | symbol  | cymbals    |
| hymn    | syrup   | cylinder   |
| mystery | typical | gymnast    |
| myth    | Egypt   | gymnastics |
| oxygen, | crypt   | lyrics     |

Group B spellings:

(The children that belong to this group know who they are.)

1. baking
2. baker
3. baked
4. danced
5. dancer
6. hiking
7. nicer
8. shiniest
9. biker
10. hoping



Our music lesson.



The Year 4 choir sang  
beautifully!

Thank you, Mrs Smith,  
for teaching the choir  
so well! You are  
brilliant!



Have a wonderful weekend!

Miss Courtney, Mrs Pattanshetti, Mrs Burling and Mrs Millar 😊