

Year 6 news

Term 5, Week 2

A snapshot of our week

Daisy

William

Lewis Lu

Sienna

Bright spark

Stars of the week

English:

This week, the children wrote a biography about Charles Darwin. They first planned how they would structure the writing and what to include. We had already researched facts about Darwin and the children used these to write an informative biography. They used great vocabulary and really thought about how to include higher quality punctuation, vocabulary and conjunctions. The children have also continued to read a variety of texts and have been working hard on answering a variety of different reading comprehension questions.

Maths:

In maths, we have been revising a variety of different areas. This week, we have covered: worded questions, fraction arithmetic and 2D shapes. The children have some fraction homework to do. Please encourage your son/daughter to keep using TT Rockstars at home regularly.

Geography:

In geography, the children re-capped the Water Cycle in preparation for learning about rivers. They were asked to find out what precipitation, condensation and evaporation are in detail - then explain it to a friend. They were also asked challenging questions, such as: What would happen to the water cycle if there was no precipitation? What would happen if there was no condensation? Evaporation? and so on.

RE:

The children re-capped who the Buddha is and his background. We then studied the Four Noble Truths in more depth.

PE:

The children have been practising a variety of gymnastic shapes. They worked in pairs and small groups to devise a routine that included a variety of poses. They also practised throwing and catching, before playing a game of rounders.

Latin:

In Latin, the children read and translated a text. They then learnt about how the verb-ending changes depending on the subject. They did so well!

Dates for your diary:

Week commencing 9th May: SATs tests (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu)

Friday 13th May - rescheduled DT day

Tuesday 17th May - Woodland Learning

Friday 20th May at 2.30pm - Year 6 Act of Worship to parents

Friday 27th May - Woodland Learning