

Year 6 news

Term 4, Week 3

A snapshot of our week



English:

The children listened to Rudyard Kipling's 'How the Whale got his throat', whilst reading along. We talked about the style and the children identified the use of repeating phrases and sentences. We then listened to the beginning of 'How the camel got his hump'. The children wrote the end and had to be imaginative and describe exactly how the camel ended up with a hump. The children brainstormed ideas together, before writing their own version.

Maths:

In maths, we have been revising the use of written methods for multiplication and division. The children then worked through lots of reasoning and problem-solving questions - some were really testing their skills as well as perseverance and determination. In addition, we also re-capped how to convert between measures.

Science:

In science, we looked at what it means to have a healthy lifestyle. We discussed eating a varied diet, with only occasional treats. We also talked about the importance of regular exercise. The children learnt about the functions of carbohydrates, a variety of vitamins, proteins and fibre.

RE:

In RE, we discussed how Christians live their lives based on their beliefs about the resurrection.

Geography:

The children learnt about arable, pastoral and mixed farming. They also learnt about land-use in the UK. We will compare this with farming in Panama next week.

Computing:

In computing, the children initially took part in a quiz about coding, before starting the new coding unit. They learnt how to give animated characters speech and also how to make the characters move.

Have a good weekend all!

Don't forget to practise the spellings and please bring in your times table sheets!

Tuesday 15th, Wednesday 16th, Thursday 17th March - Parent Teams Meetings

Thursday 17th March - Woodland Learning