

# Year 5 News

Term 1, Week 2

## A snapshot of our week

### English:

This week, the children have thought about descriptive writing. They brainstormed sounds, sights and smells of a Tudor market and created a word bank to use when writing a detailed description of a Tudor market scene.

We have been focussing on SPAG this week; we have been learning about nouns, articles and determiners, as well as pronouns.

### Maths:

This week, the children have been learning about place value. They have been ordering and comparing numbers up to 7 digits, adding 10, 100 and 1000 to any number, rounding as well as investigating the largest and smallest possible totals and the largest and smallest possible difference.

### Science:

The children carried out tests on the materials they had been given. They had to investigate whether they were magnetic, transparent or translucent as well as the hardness and flexibility. There were some great discussions going on.

### Art:

The children have been practising their sketching techniques with the help of Mrs Cannon. They have been learning about proportion and have practised sketching faces. Next week, they will move on to Tudor portraits.

### PE:

The children have been practising their ball skills this week. They have been dribbling, passing and playing games trying to control the ball, whilst also trying to get their peers out of the game.

### General notes:

The first set of homework was sent home on Wednesday. Please remind your son/daughter to bring in the completed homework every **Monday** so that it can be marked that afternoon.

### THANK YOU

Mrs Ward and I wanted to say a HUGE THANK YOU to you all for our lovely gifts at the end of the school year in July. It was very generous of you.



Keira

Star of the week



Chloe

Citizen of the week



Harrison

Star of the week