

Year 5 Newsletter

Hello parents,

In English this week we have continued with our class book 'Kensuke's Kingdom'. We have read chapter nine of the story and the children have completed a variety of writing tasks from this. We have planned and written a newspaper report on the surrender of Hiroo Onoda (the soldier who surrendered 30 years after WWII had ended), an explanation of how something works for Kensuke and we have written Haikus about the island.

In Maths, the children have been completing work on percentages. We have been finding percentages of amounts, answering percentage word problems and finding new prices for items on sale. The children have also completed an arithmetic test, which they did brilliantly on!

This week we were treated to a special music lesson by Mr Jaggard. He taught the children all about the history of brass instruments and they were able to see and hear the sounds they made.

For home learning, the children and you are to have a great holiday. The children have been working extremely hard this term and I am so proud of their efforts and achievements. They deserve a well-earned rest!

Have a great Easter holiday!

Best wishes

Mr Deakin

