

Friday 20th January 2017

Year 6 letter

Dear Parents,

This week in Maths, the children have been rounding numbers, finding multiples, factors and prime numbers, multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000 and solving calculations using BODMAS - the order of operations. In English, the children began to try to solve the London Eye Mystery. They made notes as 'police inspectors' acted out interviews, then wrote up a formal police report. As always, we continued to build on our SPaG and reading comprehension skills. Finally, the children began to write a really creative, extended story, imagining what happened to the main character in our book. Within this piece of work, the children are attempting to demonstrate all the skills needed to meet the expected standard for Year 6 writing.



Teacher of the Week

This week's teacher was Fraser, who was very professional and knowledgeable, as he taught us all about guinea pigs. His lesson included a quiz, sound effects, videos and a drawing activity. He was very humorous, but also very strict - a natural teacher!

Home Learning

I was really impressed with the London Eye posters that the children created for last week's home learning and they are going to make a lovely to our display. I was rather less impressed with spelling test results! I know that it is a big ask to be able to spell all the words on the Year 5/6 spelling list, but it is something the children have to be able to do. Please encourage and support your child to continue to work on the words at home and we will do more practice at school. Additionally, the children have some maths sheets to complete, which should reinforce this week's learning. They should be returned to school by next Tuesday please.

Best wishes,

Louise Grinstead