



2nd November 2018

Dear Parents,

Welcome back, I hope you all managed to enjoy the lovely weather at the beginning of last week.

This week in maths, the children have been looking at fractions. I started the week by refreshing their memories as to what it means to find a fraction of a shape or amount. The children were then able to add and subtract simple fractions. The challenging part of the week was looking at equivalent fractions. We are still working on this!

In English, the children visited our very own version of Narnia! We focussed on the character of Lucy this week; the children were great at describing her personality and appearance using interesting adjectives. After visiting Narnia, the children were able to describe what Lucy saw as she ventured outside of the wardrobe, again they used some imaginative and sophisticated adjectives.

I am looking forward to the school trip next week; the children learn a lot during this day to consolidate their Ancient Egypt topic work. Please ensure they wear warm clothing and sensible shoes under their costumes during the trip. We will (I will let you have the date once set) have an Egyptian day in school this term. This will give the children the opportunity to dress up again and try an Egyptian breakfast. We may even mummify someone (not literally!)

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I have started testing the children on their high frequency words. Thank you for learning them with your child, I am seeing more evidence of these words being spelt correctly in their written work.

The school have a new online programme called 'T T Rockstars,' which is aimed to improve children's times tables knowledge in a fun and engaging way. Please find attached letter to enable you to access this with your child.

Any questions, please see Mr Deakin, our maths lead.

Kind regards,

Mrs Wardle and Mrs Ward