

Friday 4th October 2019

Year 5 Newsletter

Dear Parents

This week in maths, the children applied known multiplication and division facts and had lots of practice multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. English and history tasks overlapped this week, as the children wrote two contrasting descriptions of Henry VIII, produced a leaflet to advertise a Tudor tournament, wrote a comparison between Tudor and modern day fashion and finally, wrote a non-chronological report about jousting. We had great fun and a bit of light relief playing a jousting game on the website: www.tudorbritain.org/joust/index.asp

Forest School

The children had another successful Forest School session. They enjoyed cooking oat and raisin biscuits and several children said they'd like the recipe, so here it is!



Teacher of the Week

Amy W was this week's teacher. Unfortunately, her first Powerpoint would not open on the school system, as it was on a very modern version. Please be aware of this, if your child wants to make a Powerpoint when it is his/her turn to be the teacher. Hopefully,

Amy will have done her presentation this afternoon, but not in time for the writing of this letter, so I will tell you all about it next week.

Home Learning

I was impressed that so many children chose to do the additional, optional home learning task last week. This week, the children have a maths sheet to complete, which reinforces our work on using known multiplication and division facts. It should be returned to school by Thursday 10th October please.

Best wishes,

Louise Grinstead