

Year 6 news

Term 1, Week 6

A snapshot of our week



Bright spark



Stars of the week

Maths:

This week, we have learnt about dividing. The children have re-capped the short written method and have solved both fluency and reasoning questions. Please ensure your son/daughter practises the times tables daily if his/her recall of the multiplication facts is not rapid, as this will really help with all aspects of maths - including dividing. We have also been working on our arithmetic skills - we will do this weekly to ensure accuracy.

English:

*This week, we finished reading *The Boy in The Striped Pyjamas*. The children wrote a diary entry and a newspaper report. We are planning to watch the film next week - please email in if you **do not** consent to your child watching the film.*

In SPaG, we have re-capped clauses and phrases.

Reading comprehension:

The children have continued to read a variety of texts and answered questions about the text read - this week they practised answering multiple choice questions, as well as questions that required the children to find and copy examples from the text. Finding examples from the text proved quite difficult for the children, so we went through these questions together.

Homework:

As part of last week's homework, the children were asked to have a picture taken of themselves reading somewhere interesting. At the time of writing this, only one picture has been emailed in. Please can this be done and emailed in as soon as possible. Thank you.

Please note that we have Woodland Learning on Tuesday 12th October

Science:

This week, we started our shadow investigation. The children made moving shadow puppets to try to prove whether the statement, 'My shadow is bigger when I am close to the wall' is correct or incorrect. In class, the children started their shadow puppets, but did not get time to carry out the actual investigation, so they will do that next week.

