



Class 3 Newsletter – 2.11.18



This Week...

Welcome back! I hope you have had a lovely half term and enjoyed the lovely Autumn sunshine. The children have returned to school refreshed and I have really noticed a leap in their maturity and willingness to learn. I think that it is going to be a great half term! The poppies that many of you created at home are beautiful and we are displaying them in our classroom before moving them into the Reflection Area for a short while next week. Any other examples that you wish to send in would add to our display. We have been fact finders on World War 1 this week as we are going to be writing diaries in the persona of a soldier next week. We have used film clips, photographs and non-fiction books to discover what life was like in the trenches. Miss Wilson continued this theme, teaching the children songs from the War which they loved. Ask them to sing them at home too! In our Maths, we have been focusing on subtraction, using the column method and, even learning how to exchange which is a tricky concept! We have begun our topic on Ancient Egypt by looking at Egypt on maps, particularly the land around The Nile. Great news that some of you were able to visit the World Museum in the holidays to find out more!

Class Information

All the children have been issued with a slip of paper detailing a whole school project we are doing on the 100 year anniversary of the end of World War 1. Each child has been given a year from the last century to research and identify 1 or 2 significant events. Please ensure that this is completed and sent back to school on Monday 5th November.

Please remind your child if their reading book needs changing as we are encouraging them to change them independently in class when necessary. We are currently missing Mrs Catterall, but are working hard to hear your children read their book as often as possible as well as completing Guided Reading activities. Reading a wide range of books at home is always very beneficial, especially as the children become more independent readers with special interests and preferences

Dates For Your Diary

Remembrance Service - Year 6 will be leading this special worship next Thursday at 9.15am - you are most welcome to come and join us.

9th November @ 6pm - Bingo at St Bernard's Club - please come along and enjoy a good evening.

Forward Notice -

Christmas Party and lunch - 19th December

Christmas Production - 18th December @ 6pm

Thank you to all those of you who have returned sponsor money for the Bog-Eyed Jog. Please send in any outstanding sponsor money as soon as possible.

Special News!

Christian Value Certificate - Trust

Jack C

Curriculum Certificate -

Cole

Writer of The Week -

Faye

Next Week -

In our English work, the children will be looking at diaries and writing an entry for a diary based on the experiences of a World War 1 soldier. We will focus on adverbs in order to use these in our work. Our Maths will be based on counting, sequences and multiplication. We shall be investigating reversible and irreversible in our Science and using food to demonstrate this. In Art, Mrs Morris will continue looking at sketching and using different grades of pencil. The children will also start the historical enquiry into Ancient Egypt and we will complete our RE unit on the Bible.