





This Week...

We have been doing a lot of reading practise during our English sessions. We completed an Ancient Egyptian comprehension which taught us many new facts about the gods and goddesses of the time. We also worked on our class text, The Twits, ordering words in alphabetical order and finding their definition in the dictionary. We also did a character profile of Mr and Mrs Twit, backing up our opinions with evidence from the text. The children also had the opportunity to research information on the laptops, finding facts and recording them in writing. In our Maths, we have continued working on time which many children have found quite tricky. This will be re visited again at a later date. In our Science, we used our growing scientific knowledge to identify different powders and decide whether they were insoluble or soluble - we loved working with instant snow and Jelly-baff! In our RE, we have been discussing the true meaning of Christmas and finding evidence in a selection of cards and carols.

Class Information

Homework - Knowing how busy this time of year is for families, I am not setting any written homework until New year. Please ensure that your child continues to read widely over the holiday and practise times tables as regularly as possible. Telling the time on an analogue clock would also be very beneficial - we have been learning to tell the time in five minute intervals (eg 20 past 6 and 10 to 8 etc) as well as recording to the nearest minute as a digital time (eg 10:53).

Thank you so much for the wonderful homework projects the children have worked on with you at home - they have been fabulous to look at and the children have really enjoyed sharing them with their peers.

Please can we respectfully remind parents that they must **not** enter the school grounds until 3.10pm. This is a safeguarding measure. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

<u>Dates For Your Diary</u>

Christmas Production - 18th December @ 6pm

Christmas Party and lunch – 19^{th} December. Children to come in suitable party clothes.

Thursday 20th December - Whole School visit to the Pantomime - School uniform to be worn

Friday 21st December - School finishes at 2pm.

Can I take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a wonderful, peaceful and joyful Christmas.



Look forward to seeing you all again in 2019!

Special News!

Christian Value Certificate - Peace
Katie
Curriculum Certificate Lucas
Writer of The Week Ryan E

Next Week -

We will be doing all things Christmas! We shall be watching the Key Stage 1 production and performing our production to the rest of school as well as to you! We shall also be making some exciting Christmas crafts to bring home! The children in Class 3 are bestowed with the honour of delivering the Christingle Service next Friday so we shall be making Christingles in preparation, and learning about their significance. We are all very excited about visiting the pantomime on Thursday morning for a whole school Christmas treat and, don't forget.....school will close at 2pm next Friday. What a fantastic week we shall have! Oh yes we will!