



Class 4 Newsletter

Autumn Term - 28/09/2018



This Week

In English this week, we have continued using 'The Magic Faraway Tree' as our main text. We have focussed quite heavily on using speech punctuation, ensuring it is punctuated correctly. This will help us begin to write using description, action and speech. In Maths, our focus has progressed onto addition and subtraction. We have solidified our understanding of written methods for calculating and then have begun to apply this further. In RE, using verses from the Bible, we created some wonderful pieces of art. In Science, we sought to answer the question 'Are all metals magnetic?' We explored a variety of magnets and metallic objects and then presented our findings using role play and drama. The Year 5's also went to Ashton; this week we explored physical and chemical changes. We also had our first visit from the Sing Together team. We learned four new songs, some of them had fun actions and others used British Sign Language. We are looking forward to learning these in more depth.

Next Week...

English: The Magic Faraway Tree

Maths: Addition and Subtraction

Science: Thermal insulators

RE: How the Bible is made

Geography: Food from France

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Important Dates

Mon 1st Oct: Comprehension homework due in

Wed 3rd Oct: Open Door from 3:15 to 4:00pm

Thur 4th Oct: Poetry recital at 10am

Fri 5th Oct: Year 5 swimming

Fri 20th Oct: Half term

Thur 15th Nov: Parents' Evening

Thur 14th Mar 2019: Sing Together Concert

Stars of the Week

The **CHRISTIAN VALUE** award for **FRIENDSHIP** goes to **Faith** for being a caring friend and wanting others to know how kind her friends are.

The **CURRICULUM** award goes to **Daniel** for some super Science vocabulary when thinking about how to improve the presentation of our investigation.

Star Writer: **Keinan**

Behaviour

Those children who have modelled Outstanding behaviour at least 3 times are:

Jensen, Lewis, George K, Libby, Dylan, Cayden, Jaiden, Millie, Keinan, Harley, Logan, Daniel, Connor, Jake

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Homework

The children have a reading comprehension called "The Shark" to complete. They need to answer all the questions from 'Get Started' and 'Try These'. They are allowed to choose 2 of the 5 questions from 'Now Try These'.

Have a pleasant weekend.

Mr Bateman