Parents in Partnership

Spring 2 Week 2

Name

(y6)







Math's

This week we have been revisiting 2D shapes. We have worked on drawing accurately and using rulers and protractors to construct angles. With the SATs fast approaching we will be revising a whole range of math's areas over the coming weeks

<u>RE</u> We have started to look at the feast of Lent and its importance in the Catholic calendar. Children will be given the opportunity to reflect at this important time and gain an insight into the importance of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

Literacy

We have continued to focus upon the development of character in our narrative writing. We have identified a number of features that help characterisation and then employed them in our work. We will then use this in our independent writing.

Spelling and Grammar

This week we have been learning about pronouns, including possessive pronouns. We have learned how to identify them and then to utilise them in our writing to avoid repetition and provide variety.

In spelling lessons, we have continued to look at the application of prefixes to a variety of words to alter their meaning.

HOMEWORK

Please note that any 'growing green' in the homework books needs to be looked at again. If the children need help with this, they can of course ask Mrs. Smith or myself to assist. Unless agreed, all homework must be returned completed by Wednesday of each week and failure to do this will result in time needing to be found in the school day.

World Book Day

All week we have been enjoying reading for pleasure and sharing our favourite books with each other. We started the week with stories around a campfire, have shared stories with other year groups and been read to by different teachers. We were lucky enough to be visited by the published author, Kate Kelly, whose thriller 'Red Rock' has been enjoyed by many children in class and is available from Amazon or direct from the author. Many thanks to Mrs. Wilkins for arranging this visit.

Science Week 'Science Selfie Competition'

Next week is National Science Week. As part of the week we are organising a competition to take a #ScienceSelfie: a photo showing you taking part in some aspect of science. Further details can be found on the school website or attached to this letter and we hope to see as many entries as possible.

REMINDERS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION...

Next week we are lucky enough to have a visit from the Life Education Van. The children will get the opportunity to take part in a program based around 'decisions'. Please remember, if you have not done so already, we are asking for a £4 contribution toward the cost of this great resource.