

# Cedar

## Weekly Review

Week Ending 9<sup>th</sup> March 2012

What's been happening this week?

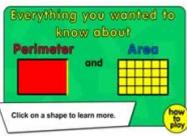


### LITERACY



This week in Literacy we have been continuing our work on information texts. The children were each given a booklet that they should use to create an information brochure for tourists travelling to London for the 2012 Olympic Games. Each child completed a contents page at the front of their booklet and went on to write an introductory paragraph that included facts about London and the Olympics. We then found out about different places to visit whilst in London and the children created some fantastic pages with illustrations and facts about places like The Houses of Parliament, The London Eye and The Tower of London.

### NUMERACY



In Numeracy this week we have been finding out how to calculate the perimeter and area of regular and irregular shapes. We began the week by focusing on perimeter and the children were asked to calculate the perimeter of a number of Olympic pitches and then use this information to answer related word problems. We then went on to look at how to calculate area and how this is measured in a different way to perimeter. Finally we completed some interesting Pentominoes investigations.

### REQUESTS:

Next week is Science week and we are really looking forward to completing some exciting investigations and experiments! Without giving too much away I would be really grateful if your child could bring in an old CD (one that you never want to play again!) and a plastic carrier bag on Monday.

On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March we will be having our annual Eater Activity morning. As usual we would be incredibly grateful for any donations of shredded wheat, chocolate, chocolate mini eggs, tubes of icing etc.

### NOTICES

- WC 12<sup>th</sup> March: Science Week.
- Fri 16<sup>th</sup> March: Science Week Assembly.
- Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March: Grafham Water talk for Year 4 Parents: 5.00 pm.
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March: Cedar Assembly.
- Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March: Easter Activity Mornina.

### HOMework



LITERACY (due Mondays)

To research Olympic Stadiums.

SPELLINGS (Test Wednesdays)

NUMERACY (due Thursdays)

Calculating Perimeter.

X TABLES (Test on Mondays)

Children should continue to learn either the 2, 3, 4 and 5 or the 6, 7, 8 and 9 x tables.

**RETURN SLIP** Please sign and return this slip on Monday.

