



# ROSEWOOD WEEKLY REVIEW

Week ending 27.4.18

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are all very excited now that Grafham is finally drawing near. Only a few days left and we're off! It's such a nice feeling especially after the children did so well in our class assembly.

**English:** As well as being very proud of the their efforts in rehearsing for our assembly, I have been very impressed with the children's efforts in grammar this week. They have become very confident in recognizing and applying preposition phrases in order to modify their noun phrases and develop their descriptive writing. All of the children can use prepositions as a device to open their sentences now, which adds texture to their writing.

**Maths:** Our focus has remained 'time' but this week we have been learning about digital time, both 12 hour and 24 hour time. There has been some very challenging conversion work as well as some in depth investigations to help the children think deeply about the structure of digital time and how it works. Almost all of the children are feeling confident with the different ways of telling time and in using number lines to help solve time related problems.

**Other Subjects** In Science this week, the children carried out an investigation into evaporation. They devised different variables in order to compare the rate of evaporation and how it can be speeded up. We then learnt about the Water Cycle, and it's key processes: evaporation, condensation and precipitation; creating some colourful, detailed posters to help us remember the new concepts. We also had our topic launch this week, which comprised of some exciting team activities.

## What will we be doing in Rosewood next week?

The children will develop their problem solving skills involving digital and analogue times. We shall look at Judaism in more depth, how and where Jews pray, in RE. And of course on Wednesday we shall depart for Grafham. Hooray!

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY AND NOTICES

- Water bottles are essential in this hot weather.
- Grafham residential 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> May

## HOMEWORK

DAY	SUBJECT	DUE IN
MONDAY	None	
WEDNESDAY		
THURSDAY	Time puzzle	Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May
FRIDAY		

*Mrs Wheatman*