

Class Cherry Weekly Review



Week Ending 23rd May

NOTES FROM THE TEACHERS

A reminder that we hope to have sports day on the first Wednesday back after half term, weather permitting. Congratulations to Rosie, Alisa, Kobe and William who took part in a Maths challenge at The Vine a couple of weeks ago and to Aimee, Rocco, Abdullah and Amishi who took part in a Mega Maths event at Barton Primary School this week. We are really *'mathstastic'* in Cherry at the moment! Please can we remind you that we are a nut-free school? This is for the safety of all our children and staff. Thank you.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Faulkner

English

In English, the children have completed the unit on 'Why the Whales Came' by writing their own ending of the book. The children came up with great ideas for writing, completed plans and then wrote up their chapters, incorporating skills developed over recent weeks with setting descriptions and dialogue.

Maths

In Maths, the children have been learning to add and subtract decimal numbers. The children have developed their understanding of calculating with decimals through shading 100 square grids, using place value charts and counters, writing calculation methods and working on informal number lines.

Enrichment

In Enrichment this week, the class have continued to learn about mountain habitats. The children used the internet to research an animal of choice that lives in a mountain habitat. They created information fact files about the animal in their books.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 24th May - INSET day / school closed

Monday 27th - Friday 31st May - Half term

Wednesday 5th June - Sports Day

Tuesday 18th June - Year 5 careers fair

HOMEWORK

No homework is set over half term although the children have been offered the opportunity to take part in a sponsored spellathon. It is optional for the children to learn 30 given words over half term and they will be tested on the words on Monday 10th June. The children with the highest scores will be asked to take part in a spelling bee, competing against other children in other schools in the CB23 network.