



Weekly Review – Maple Class



30.04.21



THIS WEEK

This week, we have developed our understanding of text features of non-fiction reports and focused on constructing paragraphs to create cohesive texts. In Maths, we have continued our work on algebraic expressions and how to find the rule in order to explore expanding patterns. In Spanish, we have been learning how to say 'some' for both masculine and feminine plural nouns through reading and listening exercises. We have also really swimming this week!

NOTICES & REMINDERS

Swimming will continue next week, however pupils should still bring in their regular PE kit as well in case for any reason the pool is out of action. It is also easier to change into swimming gear if wearing PE kit to school on those days. Swimming kit will need to go home after each lesson.

Please ensure a water bottle is brought in, as well as a waterproof for wet playtimes.

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

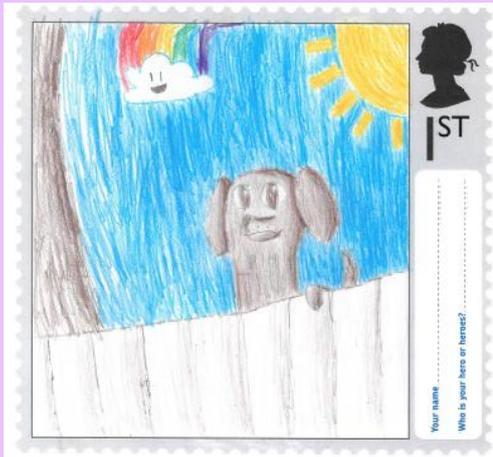
Please ensure that your child is reading every day. If times tables are still not secure, these also need regular practice. A times tables test timetable has been sent home.

NEXT WEEK

Next week, in English, we will be researching a topic, taking effective notes and constructing paragraphs. We will also be looking at improving sentence structure using various grammatical techniques. In Science, we will be looking at the effects of drugs and alcohol on the body. In Maths next week, we will be beginning a new topic on geometry, looking at properties of angles and triangles. We will be using some of our algebra to solve unknown angles.

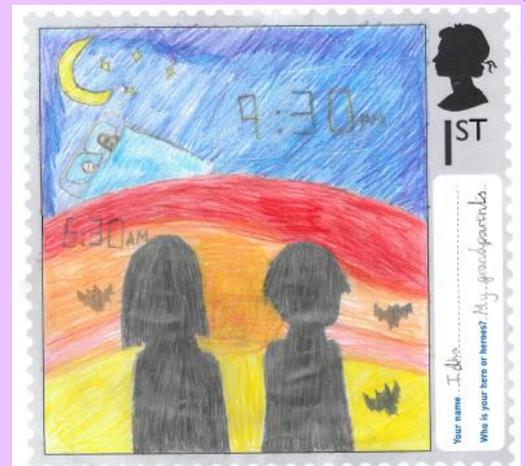
HOMEWORK

Please encourage your child to complete a task a week from the Topic Web. You will be notified by email if this is the case, and resources will be put on Google classroom so that your child can have extra time to reinforce their learning. If this is the case, they will not be expected to do any homework from the topic web. All children should continue to learn their times tables and read at home regularly. For most children, spellings will be learnt and practised in school using the 'No Nonsense Spelling' scheme. Other children will be sent home with spelling lists.



This week, we have been designing stamps for the 'Heroes Stamp Design Competition' from the Royal Mail.

A panel of judges will pick 8 winning designs from across all the entries. The winning entries will be sent to the Queen before they are printed and issued as a set of stamps to be sold in shops!



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