

Year 6 news

Term 2, Week 3

A snapshot of our week



Maths:

This week, we have continued to learn about fractions. The children have been converting from improper fractions to mixed numbers and they have also simplified fractions using the highest common factor. They have also been adding and subtracting fractions. They have been solving fluency questions, as well as reasoning questions.

English:

This week, the children wrote a short story based on a short video clip from The Literacy Shed, called *Right of Passage*. It was about gaining respect and honour from your fellow tribe members. The children were asked to include a variety of sentence starters, adverbs, ambitious vocabulary and fronted adverbials. They were also asked to consider which punctuation to use. In addition, the children were challenged to structure their writing in clear paragraphs.

Year 6 Cake Sale

Thank you to everyone who brought cakes in to sell the week before last. We managed to raise £138 to go towards our World War II Zoom lesson!

World War II shelters:

Wow! I am so proud of the children! The shelters look great and it is obvious that a lot of work has gone into making them. Well done all! See pictures attached.

PE:

This term, we are learning how to play hockey. This week, we worked on being able to dribble with control, pass the ball and score.

Geography:

We started learning about *Energy and Climate Change*. The children learnt about energy sources and which sources are used the most in the UK.

Term 2 Dates for your diary:

Woodland Learning:

Wednesday 22nd November

Parent consultations:

Tuesday 21st November

Thursday 23rd November

World War II Zoom lesson – Tuesday 5th

December (am)

Family Trust Panto – Tuesday 5th December

(pm)

World War II day (children to dress up) –

CHANGED TO Wednesday 6th DECEMBER

(due to the Family Trust Panto happening on the afternoon of the 5th December)

Young Shakespeare – Friday 8th December

(AM)

Leybourne Grange Riding School Nativity

Friday 8th December (PM)

Italian:

The children worked hard on translating an Italian song that they are going to sing for you at a later date.

Latin:

In Latin, the children looked at English words that have Latin roots.

Parent evening helpers:

Thank you to those children who have offered to help during the parents evenings. Please ensure your son/daughter knows what is happening with regards to getting home after their shift. Thank you in advance.





