

Right start : Bright Future

Friday 25th October 2024

Headteacher Weekly Message

Thank you for attending the meetings with the teachers this week. It was so good to see everyone and we hope the meetings were useful and together we can ensure the children have a successful year in school. The children have been very busy this term and were very pleased to share their books with you and talk about the trips they have been on already.

Attendance was good this week at 97% for the whole school and it is great to see that very few families took time out in term time for holidays. We know how tempting it is but the children do miss out not being in school.

Thank you for sending the children in to school today reflecting different cultures and this was an excellent opportunity for the children to discuss how we value and celebrate similarities and differences. The children have been discussing what they will be wearing all week!

The winners of the rocket competition were Aarav (Turquoise), Anika (Topaz), Adam (Pearl) & Jaypal (Emerald). It was so hard for the staff to choose as they were all so good. Thank you for supporting your children with this.

We hope you have a great half term. If you are looking for free days out with the children, look at <https://visitLondon.com>. They have 37 free ideas to keep the children busy in and around London. The YR4 children loved the British Museum, I'm sure they would like to visit other free museums too!

It is lovely to see children making the most of our online platforms to support their learning.

Important Dates

28.10.24—1.11.24 Half Term Holiday

11.11.24 Hounslow Library Visits

12.11.24 Hounslow Library Visits

13.11.24 Hounslow Library Visits

15.11.24 Children in Need Day

Skye Cam



Thank you to all the children who entered the Rocket Competition!



Thank you for all the Harvest donations for the Foodbank at Hope Church!



What have we been up to this week?

This week we have been learning all about Diwali. The children heard the story of Rama and Sita and we talked about the festival of light. The children have been making divas at the art table and got very creative with their designs! We even went to the playdough table and used playdough and gems to make diva holders.

In Monster Phonics we have been continuing to listen to environmental sounds and listening to the sounds Miss Oh No heard on her trip to the supermarket. The children were able to talk about the sounds they hear when they go to Aldi and Asda.

The children have really enjoyed the role play area and selling sweets at the shop. They have been selling barfi and Diwali treats while getting dressed up in sparkly clothes.

The children have really enjoyed exploring outside and finding the signs of Autumn.

We have been looking at all the colours and collecting leaves in wheelbarrows. The children have also been practising balancing on blocks and jumping from tyre to tyre whilst playing the floor is lava!

Merits this week

Mia for being brave and being assertive with her voice.

Harris, Liban, Eva and Japleen for making a wonderful diva.

Srihani for telling us lots of information about how she celebrates Diwali.

Elenur for playing nicely with her friends.

Narayan for always listening and being ready to learn in the Nursery.

Marco for collecting a huge pile of leaves and trying to count them.

Veer for wonderful counting and shape recognition.

Karina for looking after her friends.

Anaya for becoming more confident to talk during carpet time.

Iden for making a wonderful autumn collage.

Osasre for making friendships in the Nursery.

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Photos from our week



Reminders

Please remember to label all clothes and belongings.
It is half term next week. There is no nursery for one week. See you on
Monday 4th November!

What have we been up to this week?

This week, we have had lots of fun learning our new sounds 'h' and 'b'. We have been using these sounds to read new CVC words such as 'hop', 'hug' and 'bed'.

In Literacy, we have started reading the story 'The Most Magnificent Thing' by Ashley Spires. We have sequenced the events from the story and thought about a time we have been stuck making something and how we thought of a solution.

In Maths, we have been learning about one more and one less. We read stories and sang songs linked to the learning. For example, singing Five Little Speckled Frogs was a great way to think about one less!

For Understanding the World, we remembered everything we had done and learned in our topic 'Let's Explore'. We were proud of all we had achieved.

Merits

Oak Class

Zubaid— for noticing 3 and not 3 around the classroom.

Wisam— for sharing kindly with others.

Jaisriram— for his enthusiasm and perseverance when on the writing table, sounding CVC words.

Vanessa— for using kind hands during our PE lessons with coach and listening carefully to instructions.

Aransha— for developing her pencil grip and practising and practising some more!

Alayna— for taking her time on her 'hen' art.

Birch Class

Asees and Rajbir - for their fantastic drawings of a magnificent machine.

Matteo— for super speaking to his peers.

Kshmya— for such enthusiasm when making her Diwali card.

Muhammad— for persevering and always trying so hard with everything.

Sebastian— for super subitising using the tens frame labels in the outdoor area.

Elm Class

Bhavaya— for super segmenting to spell!

Zaid— for creating beautiful Rangoli patterns using numicon.

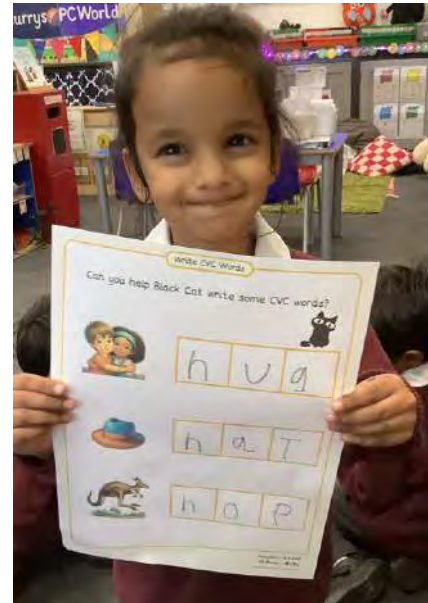
Aayan— for noticing the moon and making links to our previous learning about space.

Damian— for listening carefully to the story in Reading Aloud sessions.

Achilles— for writing a wonderful note to the mummy spider telling her about the baby spider we found in the classroom.

Kaitlyn— for super observing of the teacher modelling speaking sentences and repeating phrases herself!

Photos from our week



Reminders

Pumpkins please! After half term the Reception outdoor kitchen will have a more autumnal theme. If you have a pumpkin or squash you can donate when we come back after half term, we would be most grateful!

A rubbish request! Before your recycling goes out, please do bring any empty cereal/ biscuit boxes, kitchen /foil/ cling film roll tubes and bubble wrap to school. The children love creating models at the art table with them.

Reading Record Books Please remember to check your child's reading record book for the reading task at the start of the week and write a comment in the parent section. Speak to the teacher if you are unsure what to write and we can give you some guidance.

What have we been up to this week?

This week in Year 1, we have continued to read 'Lost in the toy museum.' We have been writing a short narrative of the story. In Maths, we have been reconsolidating our number bonds to 10 and 20. In Science, we have continued with our topic of 'Human Senses' and we have been learning to identify different types of sensory loss and explain how assistive tools support people with sensory impairments.

Merits

Beech Class

Teela and Seerat – for understanding what Buddhist celebrate and how they celebrate it.

Josiah – for working really hard in science and understanding why our senses are important.

Harmony and Margarita – for creating their story map on 'Lost in the toy museum' story.

Riyansh – for knowing his number bonds to 10.

Willow Class

Maia and Sushanth—for identifying a range of assistive tools and explaining how they help people who experience sensory loss.

Joana—for creating amazing freeze frames for our story this week! Well done!

Amani and Messiah—for creating an excellent story map all recalling the story 'Lost in the Toy Museum'.

Riaan—for creating a short narrative using a range of story language!

Maple Class

Adam— for settling in well to Maple class.

Janaan— for working hard in her spellings and sound blending.

Amber— for creating an amazing story map in English.

Prisha for writing a super short narrative using time connectives.

Viaan—for showing good sitting on the carpet during register time.

Eva P—for her super knowledge of primary and secondary colours.

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Look at our story maps!



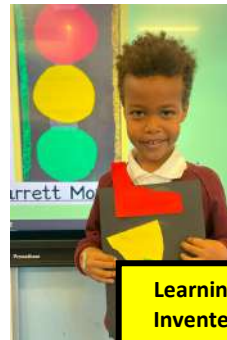
Number bonds to 10!



We loved writing our common exception words!



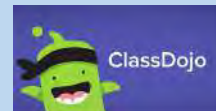
We learnt why our sense of hearing and sight is important.



Learning about Garrett Morgan Invented the 3 way traffic light.

Class Dojo

Beech — 486 Maple – 523 Willow– 491



Reminders

Have a great half term!

Homework book (orange book) is due every Monday.

Please bring your book bag to school everyday. Please ensure your child wears school shoes and brings a coat to school.

What have we been up to this week?

Year 2 have been very busy this week. In Maths, we've been practicing adding numbers using a number line, which has been lots of fun. In Art, we got creative making beautiful Diwali cards, and in RE, we've been recalling the Diwali story, learning all about this important festival. In Phonics, we've been sorting words with different 'y' sounds, which has really helped with our reading. We also really enjoyed our exciting trip to Hampton Court Palace, where we learned so much and had a wonderful time exploring the historic grounds!

Merits

Aspen

Avani and Azia for reasoning their answers in maths.
Charlotte and Idris for showing resilience in maths when adding and subtracting across 10.
Andrew for excellent recall for facts about Judaism.
Leon for super recall of facts about habitats.

Sycamore

Bryson for confidently using his number bonds to add across 10.
Tuwajj for improving his listening skills and doing his best to make better choices.
Aaira and Maya for independently writing a letter to Queen Elizabeth.
Aivah for showing superstar behavior and being so helpful towards her teachers.
Mankirat for her fantastic recall on things we've learnt during our Habitats topic.

Chestnut

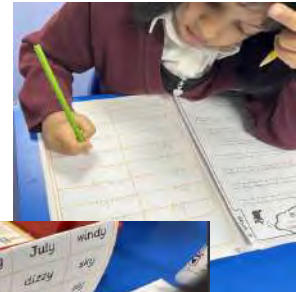
Bashir for his excellent work in maths subtracting a 1 digit from a multiple of 10 using cubes.
Diya for applying the features of a letter to persuade Queen Elizabeth to hold a banquet for very important people.
Damian for clearly communicating what he has learnt about animal habitats in science.
Suman for trying very hard with her reading this week and completing her reading tasks at home.

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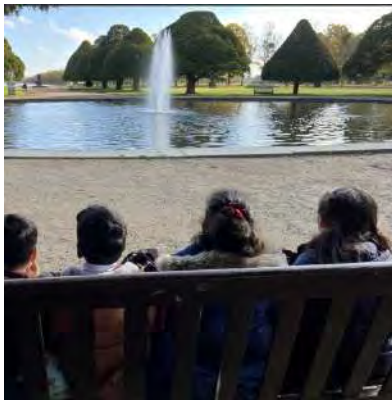
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Phonics

PE



Hampton Court!



Class Dojo

Aspen— 321 Chestnut— 423 Sycamore— 333

Reminders

Complete your Reading Café activity and bring back on 4.11.24

Please remember to bring book bags everyday.

Check classroom doors for PE days.

Reading Café—check classroom door for dates.

What have we been up to this week?

In English, the children have sequenced key events from 'The Secret of Black Rock' using fronted adverbials, expanded noun-phrases and adverbs.

In Math's this week the children have been problem solving addition and subtraction sums, they have used strategies such as number lines and column method to help solve tricky questions!

The children really enjoyed HSBC coming into our school and talking about money and currency to us!

Merits

Turquoise Class

Dominic and Viaan—for their amazing use of wow words and extended vocabulary across a range of subjects!

Adam I—for always displaying his can-do attitude and putting 100% effort into all his tasks.

Vivan—for his overwhelming positivity and politeness this week, always asking the class teacher how she is and how her day has been.

Samarjot and Amani—for their improved writing this week whilst sequencing key event from 'The Secret of Black Rock'.

Lapis Class

Jaisvi and James for their wonderful art work last week and using crayons to add effect to their drawing!

Kyarah and Isra for an amazing letter in role as Erin and using all persuasive techniques—well done!

Tianna and Jenil for trying their best in PE this week and listening to coach Rob—great work :)

Sapphire Class

Arnes and Gagan—for always upholding the class rules ensuring all children listen.

Nishmeet and Agnish—for using the correct vocabulary when writing a letter to a friend discussing Black Rock.

Azel and Kimaarya—for their wonderful contributions during Topic when recalling facts about the Stone Age.

Topaz Class

Sobiya and Irha—for their lovely letter in their Hot Task convincing the townspeople not to destroy the black rock.

Ella and D.Moraes—for their super efforts in using the column method to add and subtract.

Tia—for her amazing fact file in Re explaining how and why Hindus go to the Mandhir.

D.Monteiro—for her great effort in recognizing if animals are exo, endo or no skeletal.

Photos from our week

We learnt all about the importance of being 'money savvy' in a HSBC workshop!



Bread used to cost 15p!



We spent the whole day celebrating our cultures!

Say... CULTURAL DAY!



Class Dojos

Lapis— 969

Topaz— 951

Turquoise – 916

Sapphire— 947

What have we been up to this week?

In English, this week, we focused on drafting our monologue hot tasks from Qen's perspective inside a prison cell, using the writer's toolbox to up level our descriptive and emotive language.

This week in maths, we focused on subtracting 4-digit numbers with multiple exchanges, selecting efficient subtraction methods, estimating by rounding to tens, hundreds, and thousands, and applying inverse operations using pictures and numbers to check accuracy.

This week in RE, we explored the Sikh 5 Ks: Kesh, Kanga, Kara, Kachera, and Kirpan. We discussed their significance in Sikh beliefs, identity, and daily life, and reflected on what is important to us and others.

Merits

Moonstone class

Harnerk and Lohith - have shown impressive teamwork skills in PSHCE, effectively taking on roles in their group and contributing to decision-making throughout the lesson.

Elma and Aynsla - for showing great understanding of Sikhism by thoughtfully explaining the significance of the 5 Ks and their role in Sikh identity.

Rameen Z and Ruya for outstanding teamwork and skill in PE, effectively applying their hockey techniques and strategies while working with teammates.

Obsidian class

Georgia and Keon for persevering in Maths this week even though they found it challenging.

Thiya and Ranveer for making huge improvements with their vocabulary choices when describing their emotions in their monologues.

Rayaan for showing a great understanding in Spanish for understanding masculine and feminine forms.

Tanav for showing great enthusiasm and increased focus during all lessons this week.

Amber class

Aydin- For his phenomenal perseverance in understanding how to use dienes in Maths this week.

Anoud and Myles- As they showed great determination and effort in PE this week.

Rihaan and Geetika- As they produced a brilliant hot task this week after using writers toolbox to up level their work.

Claudia- For scoring an excellent 13 marks in her end of unit assessment in Science. Well done!

Amethyst class

Lionel- For demonstrating good teamwork and collaboration with his peers when analysing emotions and events through emotion mapping in English this week.

Rizzia- For persevering through the challenges faced in Maths when learning to subtract two 4-digit numbers with more than 1 exchange.

Kimi- For showing more independence when drafting her cold task on Qen's perspective in English.

Aashrrith- For showing a more positive attitude towards his learning this week and showing resilience by completing tasks.

Meher- For showing kindness - ensuring 'nobody gets left behind' by offering to help her peers during challenging moments.

Meher- For consciously striving to present her work neatly and legibly with care and thought.

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Excellent HSBC workshop where we learned about money and its value.



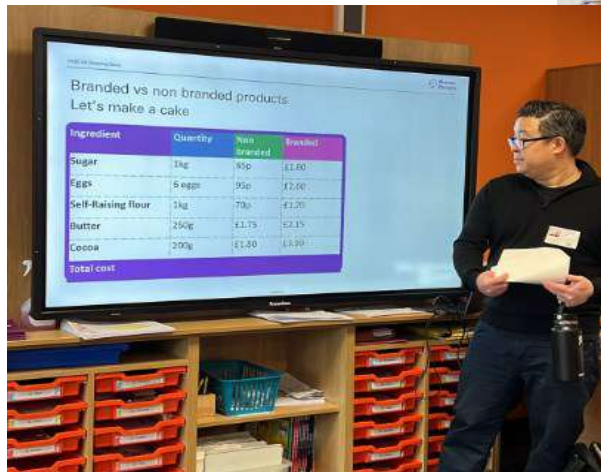
Class Dojos

Obsidian— 2575

Amber— 2093

Amethyst—

Moonstone— 2207



In English, exploring Qen's emotions in chapters 10 and 11



Reminders

Homework is upload on to Google Classroom on a Thursday and is due back on a Monday.

Weekly homework will be set on Doodle Maths and English, remind your child to log on to Doodle everyday alongside TTRS. We may also provide worksheets for homework, however all instructions will be on Google Classroom.

What have we been up to this week?

This week in English, we have built on our balanced argument writing by uplevelling our work to include technical vocabulary, formal tone and conjunctions for cohesion. We have also used adverbials in our writing and completed an independent task to consolidate our understanding of adverbials. In Maths this week, we have started our new unit: Multiplication and Division. We started by identifying multiples and understanding the rules of divisibility and then progressed on to identifying common multiples of numbers. In Topic this week, we identified and recalled the importance of plants from our trip to Godstone farm, in order to write a non-chronological report. In Science, we looked at the human gestation period and discussed the various changes that happen through the nine months, which help to develop the baby so that it is healthy. It's been a very busy week in Year 5, well done to all children this half-term!

Merits

Jade class

Avyaan - for having an enthusiastic approach in computing and explaining how search engines work.
Faatimah and Marwo - for creating an excellent non-chronological report on the importance of plants!
Nikita - for his brilliant behaviour and attitude towards learning.
Romit - for quickly identifying common multiples in Maths.
Shuaab - for being more expressive with his communication and frequently using his visuals!

Pearl class

Rishi and Ameila—for excellent non-chronological reports all about why plants are important.
Gokul—for excellent understanding of factors.
Sharashti - for taking her role of travel ambassador very seriously and creating a superb poster.
Daniel—for his amazing effort when reading this week, showing improvement in his fluency.

Emerald class

Lara and Shukria—for their brilliant work in Science this week when examining the changes that occur during human gestation.
Hasan and Aaqib - for their great attitude in Maths when exploring multiples.
Ahmed and Elijah - for their fantastic work in English when using role play to sequence the events of chapter 16 of the book, The Boy at the Back of the Class.

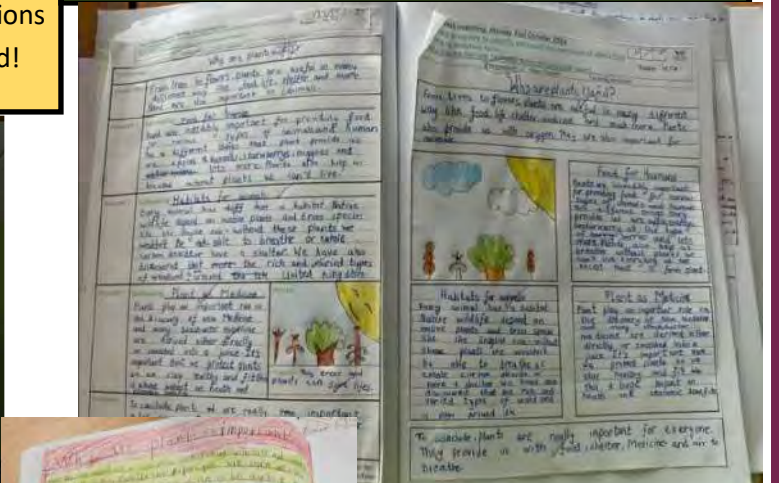
Diamond class

Samiha—for developing her knowledge and understanding of multiples particularly when identifying which common multiples exist in the 3s and 5s multiplication tables.
Leon—for using an excellent choice of emotive language for his balanced argument.
Arslan and Gunisha - for their continuous effort in both English and Mathematics.
Sarah - for some superb work in her Mathematics this week, scoring full marks in her end of unit test and learning to use a variety of methods to find common multiples. Keep up the excellent work.

Photos from our week

The children created fantastic presentations to bring our learning of Islam to an end!

We created some very informative non-chronological reports on the importance of plants!



Class Dojos

Jade— 1175

Emerald—987

Diamond— 1185

Pearl— 1742

Reminders

Homework is uploaded on to Google Classroom on a Thursday and is due back on a Monday.

From this week, the children will be handed their weekly spelling scores on a slip.

Accelerated learning boosters will commence week beginning 4th November. These will run every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Please see ParentMail to give consent.

What have we been up to this week?

This week in Year 6, we have been learning how to use long division with remainders. We have looked at a range of division problems and using the most efficient strategy to find a solution. Also, we have been solving problems from real-life contexts that involve more than one operation. In English, we have been continuing to read our text, 'The Boy in the Striped Pajamas' and have been learning about the new characters that are introduced in the story. We have discussed how the author creates contrast between characters and builds in humour, sadness and empathy. Within our History lesson, we were able to recall what we have learnt about WW1, what started and ended the war. We moved on to learning about the causes of WW2 and were able to discuss what we thought was the most important contributing factor to the start of WW2. In Science, we have learnt to explain why the reflected images from concave and convex mirrors are different to plane mirrors, and how the eye works, including labelling the different parts of the eye.

Merits

Coral

Aysha – from Mrs Flora for her accurate application of BODMAS in Maths.

Smrithi and Neev- for effectively describing the character's feelings and thoughts in their 'hot task' diary entries.

Aleks and Damian – for their fantastic reading tasks this week, creating information texts on how to promote wellbeing.

Aiza I – for her super art work, she used different media to create 3D effect.

Opal

Macbeth and Shameek – for their excellent improvement of their diary entry in their 'hot task' diary entries as a character from the class text.

ThoraniPriya and Yasha – for her constant application of her learning to a high level when completing tasks.

Ruzya – for her perseverance when using the long division method in Maths and working hard to improve her writing composition.

Aaruhi – for her super listening skills and effort in all her work as well as entering into all competitions and applying herself to be a dedicated Travel Ambassador.

Ruby

Sehan and Kevin - for their creative and informative fact file about Barack Obama for Black History Month.

Ishika - for her great reasoning in Maths with Mrs Grover, when ordering operations in calculations.

Eliza - for her fantastic contributions in English when discussing the cause and effect of events from our key text.

Shanti - for showing determination this week in Maths when completing word problems.

Sarah - for her fantastic work in English when writing a diary entry from the perspective of a character in the text.

Jet

Caleb - for working hard with Miss Hussain to identify a range of emotions, even presenting these emotions on his own face!

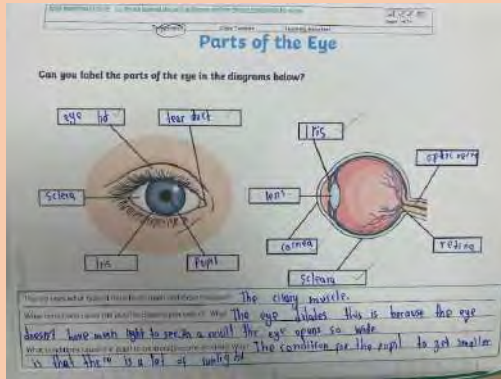
Maya and Otis - for creating a detailed and informative fact file showcasing our learning of Buddhism.

Snyda and Aloysius - for your constant dedication and positive attitude when working with Mrs Grover in Maths.

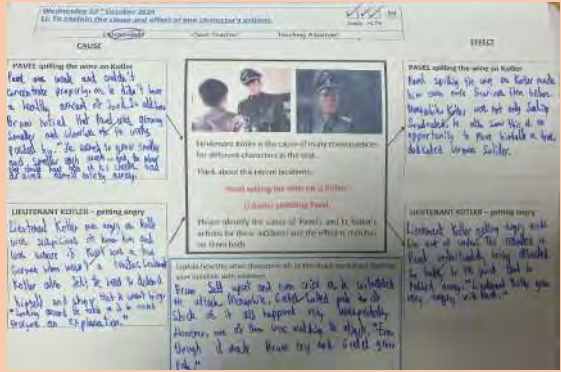
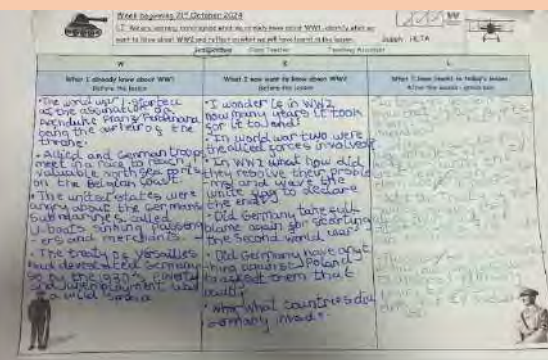
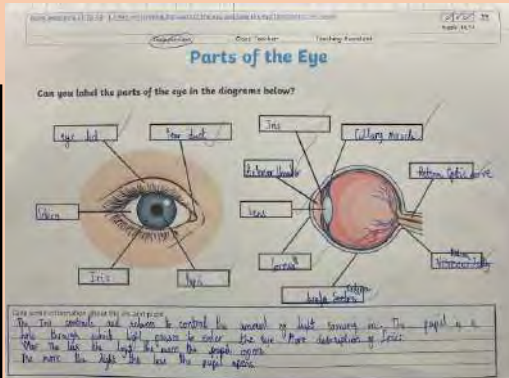
Alex - for asking inquisitive questions in History when learning about WW2.

Emrys— for great focus and work in Maths lessons with Mrs Grover.

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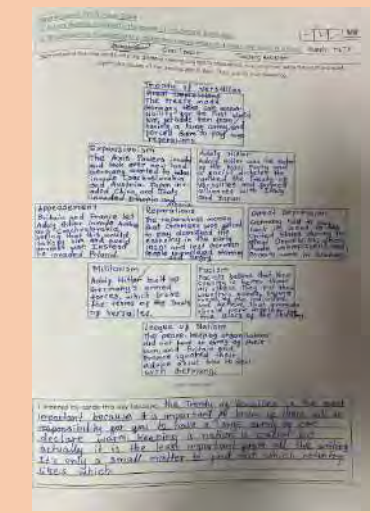


In Science, we enjoyed learning about the parts of an eye!



We learnt about the causes of WW2.

In English, we compared Bruno and Shmuel.



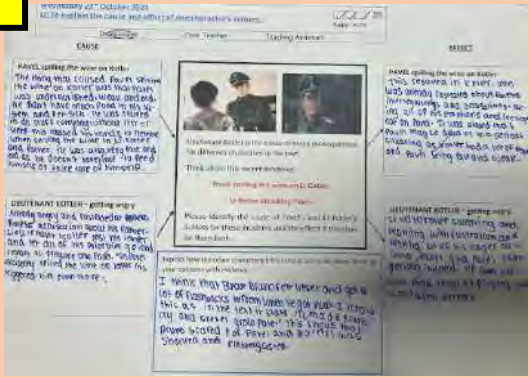
Class Dojos

OPAL - 2196

JET - 1945

RUBY - 1962

CORAL - 2090



Reminders

Homework—Homework has been set on paper and is due back on Monday.

Please make sure children are going on Doodle Maths and English each day to complete their 5 a-day.

Please check ParentMail regarding our trip to the Imperial War Museum.