

Message from the Headteacher

We have a couple of events coming up next week. We are asking all children to wear odd socks on Monday as it is the start of Anti-Bullying Week. It is an opportunity for the children to celebrate differences and what makes them all unique .

At the end of the week we will be raising money for Children in Need through dressing up and bringing a £1 donation and our new PTA will be selling cakes and treats after school. Pudsey will also be walking around the school all day , please look out for him.

The children have also bought poppies and bands this week . We have marked Remembrance Day in school with assemblies and watching the BBC coverage in classes. Mrs Flora made a super display for the front entrance, which will be in Hope Church this weekend too.

Please send your child in with a warm coat now the weather is turning. We have lots of jumpers and even coats in the lost property boxes, please claim them. If not claimed and not named we will wash them and give them to families that might need the extra help with uniform.

Important Dates

- 14.11.22 Odd Socks Day
- 14.11.22 Year 6 Chertsey Museum Trip
- 17.11.22 Year 6 Chertsey Museum Trip
- 18.11.22 Children In Need Cake Sales
- 18.11.22 Wear a spotty or bright outfit for Children in Need.



Gold Merit Awards

Well done to Alina in Jade Class for receiving a GOLD merit badge today!

Nursery Weekly News Friday 11th November 2022

What have we been up to this week?

We have had another busy week in the Nursery. The children have been learning all about Remembrance day, what it means and what Poppies represent. The children have then been selling poppies in the Nursery shop and developing their counting skills to count the correct number of coins needed to buy one.

The new sound of the week has been 'p' for Poppy and the children have been practicing writing the letter and finding objects than begin with the letter p.

We have made the most of the dry days this week and the children have been busy in the mud kitchen, making wonderful concoctions and they have been using chalk to write letters and draw lovely pictures too!

At the Art table the children have been using chalk and paint to make their own 'poppy field' pictures. They have done a fantastic job!

Merits this week

Hareem for becoming confident in class.

Karthik for doing some lovely talking with the teachers.

Lavia for trying to sit on the carpet and join in with the activities.

Anusuya for sitting on the carpet and trying to listen.

Joanna for lovely speaking and listening.

Ariyan for becoming more confident in class.

Scott for always being kind to all the children.

Wali for excellent speaking and listening in class.

Seerat, Hareem, Aarav and Yasin for making a wonderful poppy picture in art.

Riaan for great counting using a ten frame.

Photos from our week



Reminders/Support

Please make sure all of your children's book bags are in school next week, so that we can start sending home books. Books will not be sent home without a book bag for them to be stored in—please see the school office if your child does not yet have a book bag.

Reception Weekly News Friday 11th November

What have we been up to this week?

This week in Reception we have continued learning through our focus story '**The Naughty Bus**' by **Jan and Jerry Oke**. We have been talking and writing about how the bus felt and painting buses in our art areas.

In Phonics, we have been learning the sounds '**e u r**' and '**b**' and how to segment words using 'sound talk' to spell CVC words. We have also used Monster Phonics to help us learn the high frequency word '**me**'.

In Maths we have been learning all about the 2D shapes - **circles** and **triangles**, using the words 'side', 'curve', 'straight' and 'corner'.

Merits

Oak Class

Diya for excellent contribution during phonics and fantastic letter formation.

Ayaansh for incredible reading this week and blending complex sounds.

Zaina for always trying her hardest and following adult instructions.

Elm Class

Aiden for counting objects to 18 and being patient. Well done Aiden!

Torin for showing good understanding and telling the class about what traffic is. Well done Torin!

Tuwaij for super home learning using 'sound talk' to spell.

Birch Class

Naksatra for always helping others and being a kind friend.

Samir for becoming more confident and contributing during circle time.

Victoria for trying really hard at blending her words.

Zephan for following the class rules and good listening.

Photos from our week



Reminders

Next week is 'Ant-bullying' and we would like your children to come to school wearing odd socks of any colour on Monday 14th November, as long as they are different!

Then on Friday it will be 'Children in Need' and your children are welcome to come to school wearing spotty or brightly coloured clothes for a £1 donation.

Year 1 Weekly News Friday 11th November 2022

What have we been up to this week?

In English we have been reading a new book called Nurse Clementine. We then took part in a hot seating activity where we pretended Nurse Clementine had come to visit and we asked her lots of questions.

This week was Year 1's DT week. We have been designing and creating our own hospitals.

Merits

Beech Class

Shriya, Samvir and Aishman for creating and designing their hospital for DT week. Well done!

Mahira for her excellent phonics this week. Keep it up!

Agnish and Declan for using a number line in maths. Well done!

Maple Class

Tomas— for super subtraction using a number line.

Samiha—for working well with others, thank you Samiha!

Krystle—for working hard in the reading corner, reading challenging texts.

Alisha—for wonderful written work using a range of punctuation.

James and Malika—for working hard to blend sounds in phonics sessions. Well done!

Willow Class

Harman-for his effort in using the number line to add and subtract.

Jenicea-for independently using the number line and recognising how many jumps to make when adding and subtracting sums.

Anahat-for using a range of question starter to ask Nurse Clementine.

Yunus-for following dance instructions in PE.

Daniel-for his effort in making a hospital for DT week.

Imaan-for doing really well in her spelling and reading this week.

Ebony Class

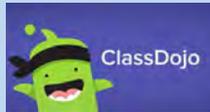
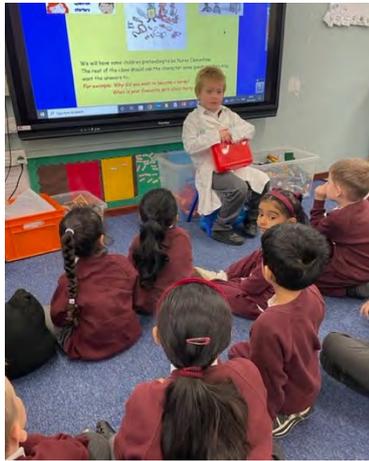
Tanishi and Miya—for effectively using a number line to add and subtract numbers.

Lukas—for showing perseverance during his English work.

Adam I — great answers for his Florence Nightingale homework.

Viaan and Ivana—for building wonderful and creative hospitals.

Photos from our week



Class Dojo

Beech—868 Maple— 865 Ebony- 875
Willow— 871

Reminders

Don't forget odd socks day on Monday. Come wearing odd socks!
Pudsey and a cake sale will be happening on Friday 18th November.

Homework is due on: Monday 14th November 2022

Year 2 Weekly News Friday 11th November

What have we been up to this week?

In Year 2 this week we have been busy reading 'Room on the Broom' by Julia Donaldson. The children have been collecting adjectives to describe the witch and dragon in order to make a WANTED poster. In Maths, we have been using the place value chart and Dienes to add and subtract 2-digit numbers. In Art, the children have been creating their own poppy wreaths using different media in honor of Remembrance Day.

Merits

Pine Class

Jan and Harnek - For working hard in RE and describing what Jewish people do during Hanukkah.

Vihaan - For completing his work in Maths when using the place value chart to add.

Shanaya, Eva and Diya - For producing amazing fact file posters all about the Great Fire of London.

Aspen class

Elano for his outstanding writing tasks, answering all the comprehension questions in lots of detail and using evidence from the book.

Kshitija for using her inference skills to answer questions.

Shanya for working extremely hard across all subjects this week.

Anna for using comparative conjunctions in her writing to compare our class reading books: The Gruffalo and Room on the Broom.

Claudia for her amazing effort in maths, working independently with counters to solve addition questions.

Shourya for writing a very good Wanted Poster using amazing expanded noun phrases.

Chestnut Class

Sophia- For her hard work in our Art lessons, creating a remembrance wreath.

Aashrith and Skyla-Rose— For their fantastic descriptions of characters from 'Room on the Broom'.

Katushca- For her careful use of punctuation and adjectives when creating a wanted poster in English.

Sian and Avyukt- For their really hard work in our Maths lessons, using the exchange method for addition and subtraction.

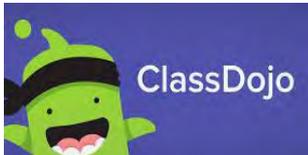
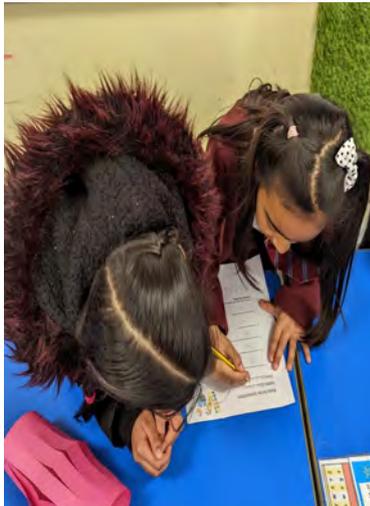
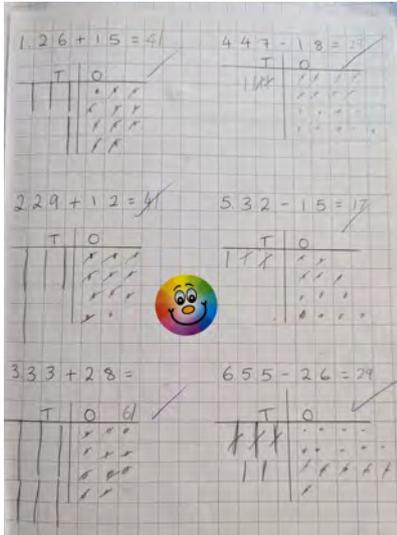
Sycamore Class

Shaan—for having great control with a ball during PE.

Talia—for describing the witch from our new story 'Room on the Broom.'

Georgia and Jiaan—for recalling different reasons why a camel and other animals are suited to their habitat.

Photos from our week



Class Dojo
 Aspen—485 Pine—456 Chestnut—501 Sycamore—447

Reminders

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Year 3 Weekly News Friday 11th November 2022

What have we been up to this week?

This week in Maths we have been learning and understanding our 3 times and 4 times tables. Please log into timetables rock star to recap learning!

In English this week we have been diving deeper into our class text. We have been exploring different senses and adjectives to describe the setting of the black rock.

Merits

Turquoise Class

Rahma and Erika - for perseverance and drive when representing and learning the 3 and 4 timetables.

Angeleena and Ayesha—For using exceptional adjectives to describe the setting in our class text.

Zoila—For placing 12th out of over 400 children in our school's cross country competition.

Azmat—For recently giving 100% in his reasoning for his answers.

Topaz Class

Sarvani— For her enthusiasm and participation in Math's learning her 3 times tables. Well done!!

Hassan—For his excellent sentences in English upscaling his adjectives using a vocabulary quadrant. Well done!!

Nawal— For her perseverance and sportsmanship competing in cross country run this week. Excellent!!

Khadijah—For her well illustrated and labelled diagram of the rock cycle in Science. Well done!!

Lapis Class

Ghala and Marwo for their improved handwriting and trying their best!

Shuaab for trying his best with sounding out his letters—well done.

Jana and Presha for their amazing hard work this week in Math's and recalling their timetables.

Arnavv his wonderful RE work this week and explaining the differences between old testament and new.

Sapphire Class

Renoy -For his initiative in practicing math's to understand the concepts.

Linda -For her understanding and contribution to the Rock cycle.

Cherish— For her concentration when learning the Rock cycle.

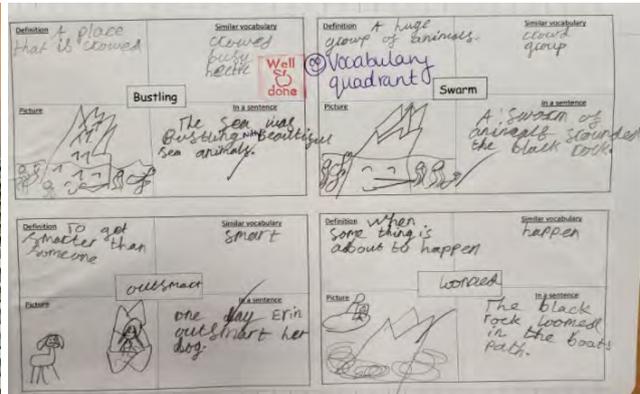
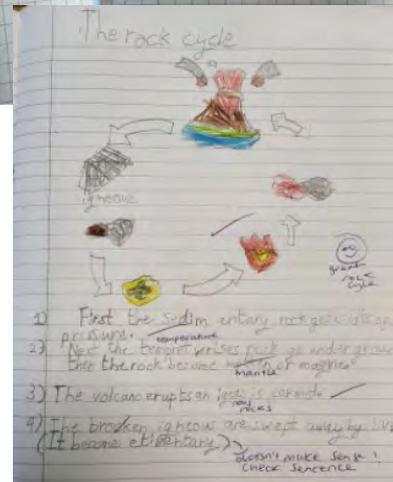
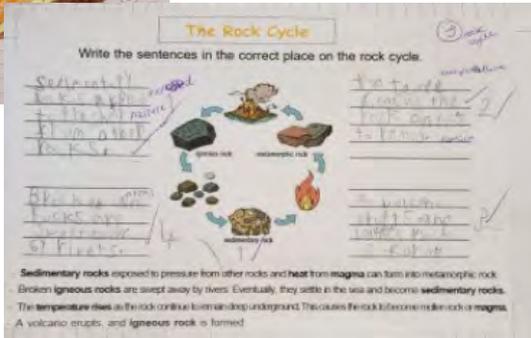
Colter— For understanding his emotions and making mature decisions.

Nicolas— For being an enthusiastic learner and contributing input.

Viyana— For her improvement in her handwriting and contribution in English.

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Photos from our week



Class Dojos

Lapis— 2326

Topaz— 1987

Turquoise— 2033

Reminders

There is an INSET day on the 25th November 2022. Your children will not be coming to school on this day.
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What have we been up to this week?

In English, we produced our own thought bubbles using inference from the perspective of Leon and identified cause of effect conjunctions to use within our writing.

In Maths this week, we have been consolidating our learning of addition and subtraction before we move onto our new topic of area.

In Topic this week, we have been learning about King Alfred the Great and learning to consider why he was called 'great.'

In Science we conducted an experiment, where we used egg shells and different drinks to see the effects of tooth decay on our enamel. We have been very busy.

Merits

Amber Class

Gautham—For his excellent understanding when exploring the use of inverse in Maths this week.

Snyda and Chrisha—For working extremely hard to complete their end of unit test in Maths and thinking about their prior learning to support them.

Vajraa, Nissi and Parth—For their fantastic contributions and producing excellent fact files in Topic this week when exploring King Alfred the Great.

Amethyst Class

Aiza I for linking her own beliefs to our learning in RE.

Amina for always challenging herself in math and completing her work to a high standard.

Neev for an amazing piece of writing in Topic, all about Alfred the Great.

Aleksander for having a positive attitude to every lesson this week.

Yash for being able to complete his work to a high standard, whilst helping others.

Obsidian Class

Delcan and Lyrah— For working extremely hard in remembering their spellings every week.

Hazim and Victor—For walking participating and giving fantastic answers in class discussions.

Snigdha— For her hard work in answering word problems using inverse operations.

Moonstone Class

Neathra—For using techniques for tension building that she learnt last half-term, in her new learning this half-term.

Jenson—For incorporating thought bubbles from her English work into her Topic work.

Sarah—For her excellent statue that she designed to commemorate King Alfred the Great and his excellent battle reputation.

Eliza—For her fantastic explanation of what inverse operations are and the special relationships between them.

Vienn—For her excellent work in English when writing sentences to describe a scene using prepositional phrases.

Jaymin—For his excellent work in PSHE when learning not to judge people by their appearance, but by their actions.

Headteacher's Award

Amber: Kiara and Caleb

Amethyst: Romain and Aysha

Obsidian: Jugaad and Artiom

Moonstone: Shazad and Jenson

Photos from our week



Class Dojos

Obsidian— 3079

Amber— 2807

Amethyst— 3183

Moonstone— 3172

Reminders

Homework is handed out on a Thursday and due back in on a Monday.

Children must come to school in FULL school uniform with a polo shirt and tie, unless they have PE, then they should wear their PE kit.

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What have we been up to this week?

This week in Year 5 we have been exploring characters from 'The Highwayman' which consisted of drama activities such as hot seating which the children thoroughly enjoyed. In Maths we have continued our topic 'Multiplication and Division' working on cubed numbers which the children really seemed to have grasped. In Science this week the children have been able to explain how day and night works. As part of the lesson the children all became the earth and rotated like the Earth which they found extremely engaging!

Merits

Diamond Class

Ayaan for improving his use of DAB in maths this week.

Divansh for contributing his thoughts concerning racism and identifying ways to stamp out racism during our PSHCE lesson.

Liyana for demonstrating her understanding of identifying and using relative clauses in her writing.

Ramanjot for trying very hard in PE this week, using her tennis racquet to develop her hand eye coordination.

Razan for demonstrating a great understanding of multiplying by 10, 100 and 1000.

Smile for showing a very good understanding of using new vocabulary to order drinks and food in Spanish.

Emerald Class

Jasleen- For showing excellent reasoning skills when answering questions about cubed numbers.

Laasya and Aarna- For identifying features of a longhouse and explaining their function.

Shahyan- For asking some intriguing questions during hot seating.

Kiaan- For answering reasoning questions in Maths using D.A.B.

Yamini- For developing her understanding of written English which was demonstrated in her reading task this week.

Jade Class

Mishika and Ameena for working hard in English to identify and use relative clauses in their writing.

Yashmit and Shanelle for their effort in Maths to multiply numbers by 10, 100 and 1000.

Natalia and Aariz for completing excellent work in RE when learning about the life of a Muslim during the Islamic empire.

Pearl Class

Ashley and Neel - For their specific, effective and carefully thought questions to characters in the Highwayman book which helped them to determine whether the Highwayman is a hero or villain.

Aiza and Angel - For demonstrating great understanding when multiplying by 10, 100 and 1000 in Maths.

Medeina - Mr Short would like to give a merit to Medeina for working well collaboratively, helping other children in the class.

Headteacher's Award

Jade Class:

Siraya for completing excellent work in Maths to identify square numbers.

Yuhayb for his effort in English to explore the character of the highwayman through drama.

Diamond Class:

Ronit—for showing a great understanding of multiplying by 10 and 100 this week in maths.

Eduard—for sharing his knowledge of day and night in science.

Emerald Class:

Mabel- For creating an excellent diagram accompanied by an explanation on how day and night occurs.

Vlake- For answering reasoning questions in-depth with examples.

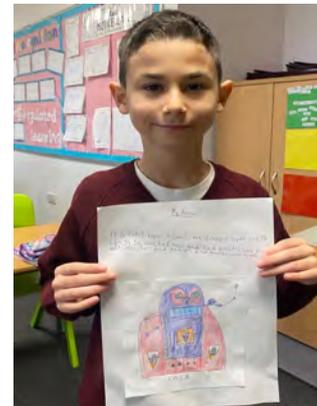
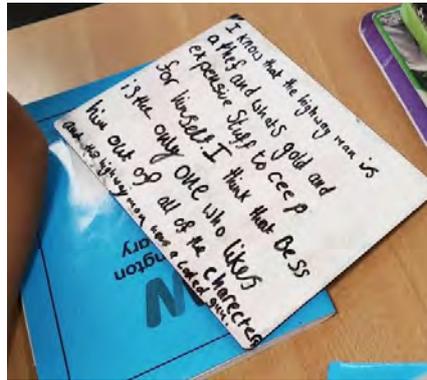
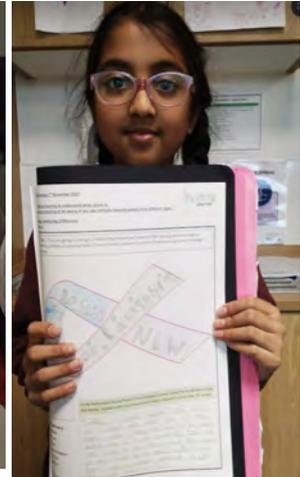
Pearl Class:

Edward - For his amazing illustrations and captions about the Sun, the Earth and the Moon.

Krishna - For her outstanding performance during hot seating, exploring and empathising with characters from The Highwayman in English.

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Class Dojos

DIAMOND: 2526 EMERALD: 2280 JADE: 2455 PEARL: 2974

Reminders

Homework—check on Google Classroom—Due back 14.11.22

Odd Socks Day —14.11.22

Anti Bullying Week 14.11.22 to 18.11.22

Cake Sale—18.11.22

Children in Need Day—18.11.22

Year 6 Weekly News Friday 4th November 2022

What have we been up to this week?

In English, we started our new class reader. 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas' - set in Germany in WW2. The children started off making predictions about the story - based solely on the clues from the front cover. After reading the first 2 chapters, they completed probing comprehension questions - requiring the different range of skills from the Reading Domains.

This week, Year 6 started their new Unit in Science on Animals including Humans. The children researched blood and its main components: plasma, red blood cells, white blood cells and platelets - including their respective roles. They learned why the red blood cells are red, and why they are full of iron. They learned why we need oxygen and why the red blood cells deliver this to all the cells of the body. They presented their findings on an information sheet and drew a pie chart to indicate their respective volumes.

In maths, the children completed their practice of using the formal method of long and short division to do word problems. They had to write the remainder as either a whole number, a fraction or calculate the remainder as a decimal fraction.

In Topic, the children researched the impact of rationing and what exactly was rationed. They linked this to the Government campaign of 'Dig for Victory' and how posters were made to encourage children to eat vegetables, as well as informing adults with ideas of how to cook them to make them more versatile.

Two well-known characters used in WW2 were Doctor Carrot and Potato Pete. The children tried creating their own characters with information to encourage children to eat them and suggest tasty ways to eat them.

Merits

Ruby Class

Karthikeya and Krithik: From Mrs Neal for working collaboratively to solve tricky division problems in maths.

Muneeb and Becky: For persevering in Maths and managing to crack long division.

Diana: For her fantastic reading task – she wrote a super diary entry and effectively described the character's thoughts and feelings.

James: For his super effort across all subjects this week – he has produced some great pieces of work including persuasive writing and Remembrance Day art.

Opal Class

Shylah, Stella, Maaz, and Deesha: For their excellent WWII persuasive posters, creating their own fruit or vegetable characters, to encourage children to eat vegetables during the 'Dig for Victory' campaign.

Shadiya: For her perseverance in maths to accurately solve problems using the formal method of long division.

Headteacher's Award

Ruby Class

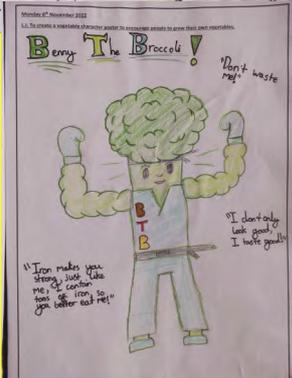
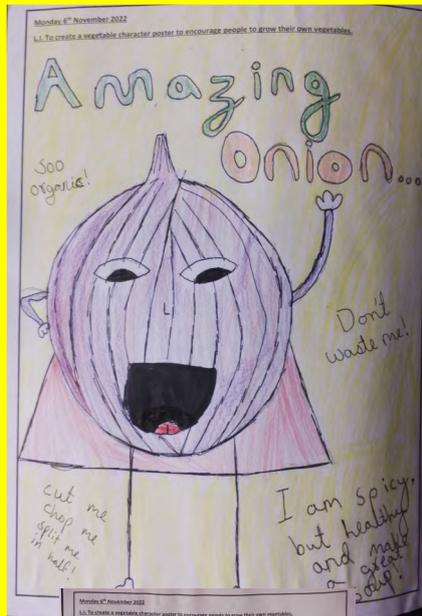
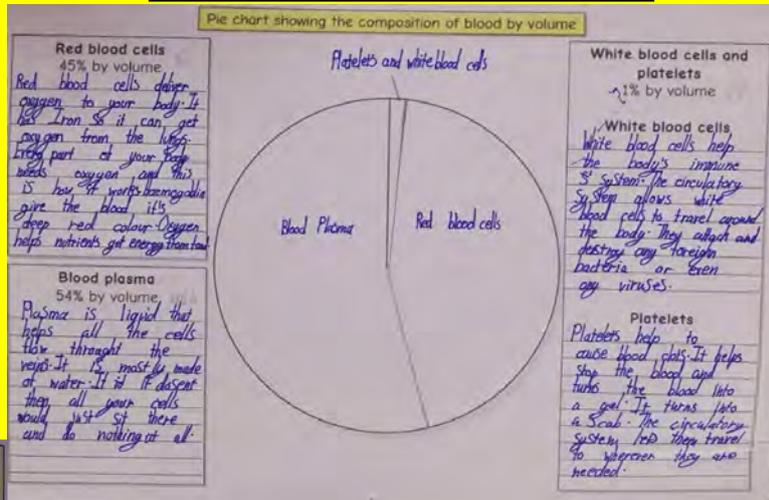
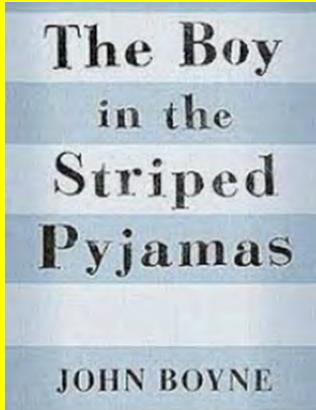
Wsna: For her helpful contributions in English in a class shared piece of persuasive writing.

Gravier: For his fantastic work using the formal method of long division.

Opal Class

Kris: For his excellent WWII persuasive poster, creating his own fruit character, to encourage children to eat fruit and vegetables during the 'Dig for Victory' campaign.

Umayma: For her helpful contributions in English in a class shared piece of persuasive writing.



Class Dojos
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Reminders

HOMEWORK this week is on paper for Maths and English.
Don't forget, there is also the weekly spelling list.
Homework was allocated to the children yesterday (Thursday 10th) and will need to be completed by Monday 14th.
The spellings for the next test will be given today and the test will be on Friday 18th November.