



Weekly Curriculum News

! INFORMATION & REMINDERS

Thank you to all parents who were able to attend the ARE evenings last week. If you were unable to attend and would like to meet with your child's class teacher please email the teacher directly to arrange a convenient time.

Dates for your diary:

M50 Art trip-Thursday 29th October

Project Week - Monday 2nd November - Friday 6th November

Bonfire Night - Saturday 7th November

Assessment Workshops for Parents - Tuesday 17th November; 9am to 11am and then repeated from 5pm to 7pm.



ENGLISH

Next week, children will continue to learn a number of grammar and writing techniques. We will begin to direct this learning towards the context of non chronological writing; specifically Reports.

Children will independently write a report on an investigation or skills taught in Science and in doing so will learn the following objectives:

- To use brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis.
- Use advanced organisational and presentational devices (such as headings, bullet points, sub headings)



MATHEMATICS

Next week children will move into the area of 'Multiplicative Reasoning'.

We will be teaching the following objectives:

- multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication.
- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long division, and interpret remainders as whole number remainders, fractions, or by rounding, as appropriate for the context. All children will focus on these objectives; the Mastering group demonstrating their knowledge and skills in these areas by resolving questions set in a real life context.



TOPIC

Next week sees our final lessons in Making New Materials. In addition to Science and Art, Children have now learnt some History around the Bronze and Iron age with relation to the importance of materials at those times.

Next week, as an Exit point to this unit of work, children will be choosing one of the many investigations they have carried out in recent weeks and teaching it to Year 1 children. The Year 6s will plan, deliver and assess the lesson they decide upon. This will be a great experience for all children concerned and will be a beneficial way for our students to demonstrate their knowledge and understanding of the work they have learnt so far this term.

Towards the back end of next week we will begin our new Topic unit; 'What a Wonderful World'. You will shortly receive a letter outlining the objectives in this next unit. It will be entitled 'The Natural World'.