



OWLS CLASS (Year 2) - Weekly overview

Term 1 Week 6



Friday 11th October 2024

This week we have been learning about:

English	Started work on non- chronological reports. Mind mapping ideas for a shared writing task on big cats. Reading - continued comprehension groups and 'drew an image from words' Friday diary - editing to ensure punctuation is correct in our diary writing.
Maths	Begun addition and subtraction: Related number facts (using lots of concrete resources to help with calculating). Drawing links between number bonds to 10 and 100. Finding lines of symmetry, symmetrical shape and making a symmetrical pattern.
Science	Recording habitats and signs of habitats. Investigating - what is the perfect home for a woodlice?
Other Subjects:	PE: balances and swimming. Art: collage (for display board based on the artist Charles McGee), blending colour with paint to make a sunset background. Geography: Why visit Kent (a postcard to France) which we will use to contrast why visit Kenya. PSHE: 'mind your manners' - we reflected on how to behave in the dinner hall, at home and with different people. 'What makes a good friend' - how to deal with choices in our friendship groups. Computing: being safe online - a Now Press Play drama which took us inside a computer game and made us reflect on not sharing personal data Music: Using non tuned percussion instruments to produce an African beats rhythm. RE: Stories about the Prophet Muhammad* that inspire Muslims to look after animals, the planet and everyone. Focus on 'the story of the Prophet and the cat'. Jigsaw: recognising the choices I make impact on others and the world around me.
Other information	*** Please continue to support your child with reading with them at home and record in the reading record. *** SPELLING SHED - please continue to practise spelling rules with the handwriting sheets. Friday 18th October 0910hs parent celebration assembly at school. All welcome. Wednesday 23rd October family drop ins. Pop into the class at pick-up time and have a look at all of the wonderful learning going on in Owls class! Reminder: please can you ensure that long hair is up and that on PE days earrings are removed if possible. Ordering lunches: please can you select 'home packed lunch' option when you are not ordering a school lunch

Home learning Task

Thanks for the incredible photos of spotting signs of animals on your autumnal walks. They have been added to our science display. There is room for more if you'd like to upload them.