



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

11th October 2019

This week the children have been writing their recounts of the camp fire they enjoyed last week in forest school. We have been focussing on using past tense words as well as using their senses to help them add detail to their writing. Next week we will be changing genre from diary writing to information reports, focussing on non-fiction sentence starters and laying out our information in different ways.

In Maths we have been adding 1-digit numbers to 2-digit numbers using Dienes and number lines. Next week we will be working on subtraction before beginning on adding 2-digit numbers the following week.

In Science the children have been investigating different materials to identify their properties and every day uses. They have tried to change the shape of different materials by twisting, bending, squashing and stretching them. We will be linking our Science to our topic of the Great fire of London by discussing the best materials to make houses with and the children will be making their own houses similar to those in London in 1666 out of cardboard and wood.

We have loved receiving all the bits of home learning the children have done and some of their homework folders are filling up! We will be sharing our home learning as a class the week before half term so please continue to bring the work in as you complete it at home. We will be sending home their next home learning passport in time for the October half term and it will be linked to our next topic 'The Titanic'.

Kind Regards,

Year 2 team