



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

24<sup>th</sup> October

### Curriculum

In this final week of the half term, we have been writing a diary entry of Captain Flinn. This has enabled us to assess the children's ability to apply their use of prepositional phrases in writing and also draw upon their understanding of conjunctions in their independent work. The children continue to amaze us with their creativity and flair in writing. In Maths, we have been learning about Roman Numerals, which the children found fascinating. We converted contemporary numbers to Roman Numerals and vice versa.

In Science, we have learnt about the fossilisation process, which has led to many questions in the classroom. As part of our art sequence, we have prepared Christmas Cards which you will be able to order. The children will be bringing them home with order forms this week and you will be able to order directly from the supplier.

### Homework

Thank you for your support with the homework passports, we have been amazed by the creativity and imagination shown in their homework pieces, especially the cakes! Just a reminder that we will require a list of ingredients for our children with food intolerances. We are encouraging the children to continue to use the online resources during half term, to develop their fluency skills in reading, writing and Maths. A new homework passport will be sent out at the beginning of the next half term.

We would encourage the children to continue to log their 4 reads during the half term break.

### Swimming

The children in Year 3 will begin swimming after half term on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November**. They will need to come into school with their swimming costumes on underneath their clothes and a towel, cap and goggles for the swimming sessions. We encourage parents to practise changing into and out of their costumes independently during their half term break. Thank you to the parents who have been able to support us within the sessions at Surrey Sports Park. As all kit will be kept in a container whilst the children are swimming, it would be very useful if their bag could be clearly labelled.

If any parents are able to help out with supporting us on the coaches for the swimming sessions then we would be very grateful. We will be going on Mondays. If you are able to support with the first lesson, we would need you to be available from 10am-12pm. If you are able to support with the second lesson then we would need you to be available from 10.45am – 12.30pm. You will need to have a valid DBS certificate, but we can help with how to obtain this. Please express your interest using the form below. We thank you in advance.

We hope you have a restful and enjoyable half term and look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November.

Kindest regards  
The Year 3 team.