



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

Firstly, a huge thank you to all our parent helpers, those who come swimming on a Tuesday and those who come into support our readers. It is hugely appreciated.

### **Curriculum**

Swimming sessions at the Surrey Sports Park continue this week. This week the children were in their ability groups with a dedicated swim teacher. They have embraced the lessons and represented the school well, which we know they will continue to do. Thank you for the support. As always, the children will need to bring their swimming kits into school every Tuesday morning.

In Maths we have been building on our teaching of multiplication by introducing division and the children have impressed us with their knowledge and enthusiasm! Again, can we ask that they continue to practise using Times Tables Rockstars at home as this supports the learning in school. In English, we have continued our focus on paragraphing and structuring writing to ensure flow and consistency. The children have also practised reading their work aloud to ensure they are considering their volume and tone when reading to others. Within the foundation subjects we have continued learning about life in the Stone Age by creating cave painting inspired artwork. In Science we have learnt about our skeletons and how they protect and support our bodies.

### **Anti-Bullying Week**

This week we have held daily sessions with a focus on how we can tackle bullying at Worplesdon, the children have taken part in some really valuable discussions and came up with great ideas that they can implement straight away both in the class and on the playground. It was also great to see all the children wearing odd socks to celebrate individuality!

### **Home learning**

It has been lovely seeing the children start to bring in pieces of their homework already. If you have any problems with this, our door are always open. **As always we would like to see the children complete 4 signed reads every week.**

Thank you for your ongoing support, as always if you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to speak to your class teacher.

Kindest regards

The Year 3 team.