



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 29th November 2019

Thank you so much for all the wonderful donations for the Christmas Fair this Sunday, your generosity is hugely appreciated. We look forward to seeing you there.

Curriculum

In Maths we have begun to consolidate our learning of Multiplication and Division. We have revisited the 3 and 4 times tables, as well as dividing by 3 and 4. The children continue to be resilient in their learning when faced with lots of tricky problem solving tasks! As always, can we ask that they continue to practise using Times Tables Rockstars at home as this supports the learning in school, these resources are extremely useful and it has been great to see lots of people logging on at home. In English, we have been studying a new text, Leon and the Place Between with a skill focus based around expanded noun phrases. Within the foundation subjects we have moved onto learning about our muscles in Science. In Topic we are looking at Stone Age tools such as the Potter's Wheel as the children will be designing and creating their own clay pots over the coming weeks.

Christmas Carol Service

As mentioned last week, on Thursday 19th December, we will be walking to St Mary's Church to take part in the annual carol concert. This week your child may be selected to play a small performance based part in the service. Some of Magpies will be Angels, Starlings- Shepherds and Sparrows- Wise Men. If your child is selected, we would be grateful if they could bring in a costume to wear on the day. If you have any questions regarding this, please pop in and see your class teacher.

Home learning

We have continued to receive pieces of homework, these are looking fantastic. **As always we would like to see the children complete 4 signed reads every week.**

This week the children have also been introduced to Spelling Shed, a great online spelling tool. The children's username and password for this is the same as Bug Club and Purple Mash. The web address for Spelling Shed is www.spellingshed.com.

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.