



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 31st January 2020

We would like to start our weekly news by saying how proud we are of the children this week. We had some very special visitors in school on Tuesday and Wednesday and the children were a credit to us all.

As mathematicians we have used tens frames and number lines to show subtraction to 10 and to 20. Using these models the children completed number sentences with missing numbers as an extra challenge.

As writers we retold the story “Katie in London”. We have been learning about adverbs and how they add detail to each sentence we write. The children have enjoyed using adverbs to describe what is happening. This week’s phonic sessions have recapped the split diagraphs and the children have had lots of fun spotting them wherever possible!

We would like all children to read and change their books **at least twice per week**. Reading books now only need to be read twice through until orange band and then once for the other coloured bands that follow.

We are aware some people are having problems logging into Bug Club and we have referred this to our ICT and leadership team to investigate. So sorry about this.

As scientists we have compared and explored the structure of animals. The children looked at 3 animals to find the odd one out and gave a reason.

As athletes we threw bean bags aiming for distance and accuracy.

In computing we have used commands to program different coloured bubbles using blocks of coding from the program 2code.

As designers we have explored how wheels work and have designed a jeep. If you have any tissue paper, tin foil or coloured paper that you don’t need please could you bring it in to decorate the jeeps and maybe ask your children if they would like anything else to add to their design.

It is lovely to see the children bringing in so many different homework tasks. We are looking forward to sharing these from February 4th onwards. Thank you for all your support with this.

Many thanks

The year 1 team.



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