



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 31st January, 2020

In maths this week the Year 5 children have shown incredible perseverance as we have introduced the formal method for multiplying a 2 digit number by a 2 digit number. Next week will be continuing with multiplication and moving on to division so any times table practise that the children can do will really support them in this area of the curriculum.

In English the children have been developing their understanding of paragraphing through their natural disaster explanation texts. They have been grouping information together and considering the order of their paragraphs to make their text as clear as possible for their reader.

In geography, the children have been identifying continents, countries, cities and other places on a map of the world using an atlas to help. Next, they will look at the location of some of the natural disasters that we have been looking at, concluding why these occur in particular areas and countries.

We have been very impressed with the homework that the children have brought in so far. Please could you remind them that all homework from this half term's passport should be in school by Monday 10th February ready for us to share in class.

We only have a limited amount of resources for the children's DT cushion project. Please could you support the children's project by sending in spare material, thread or stuffing that you no longer need.

Kind regards,

The Year 5 Team