



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

13th March 2020

This week the children have been finishing their own version of the story 'Augustus and his smile' using adjectives, verbs and adverbs. They used their characters from last week and invented three new places their character could go to look for their smile. We have been so impressed by the range of adjectives and verbs they have been able to come up with and we hope they continue to use these in their work in the future!

In Maths we have been revising all four operations (add, subtract, multiply and divide). The children are so much more confident with the different written methods to use for each operation now and can apply their skills to one and two-step word problems. Next week we will be completing some maths arithmetic and problem solving booklets to get them used to the style of question they will see in their end of key stage assessments in May.

In art we have continued creating our rainforest paintings and have begun to add collage to them to create texture. Most of the children have started sewing their felt animal to stick on their finished picture and have enjoyed learning different stitching techniques.

In Geography we have been comparing aerial photos of Guildford with photos of the Amazon rainforest in Brazil. The children could identify physical and human features in both sets of photos and were able to explain why the landmarks were so different.

In Learning for Life, the children have been exploring the importance of being kind, both to themselves and others. We will be discussing bullying over the coming weeks and creating posters and comic strips to represent how they can get help if they feel they are being bullied or if they see someone else being bullied.

Thank you once again for all your donations of glue sticks and black whiteboard pens. It is so appreciated. We would be grateful for any donations of tissues or hand soap (if you can get hold of any!) in the coming weeks to ensure the children are staying as germ-free as possible whilst at school.

Kind regards

Year 2 team