



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

12/02/21

Dear Parents / Carers,

### Thank you

A huge thank you to you all for all the support this half term, we are so impressed with the resilience and determination and good humour demonstrated by the children. Seeing them on the live lessons, guided reading sessions and the well being meets is wonderful and we are so proud of them. We hope they have a brilliant half term and take time to recharge their batteries.

### Uniform

For the children that are in school, we are asking children to come into school wearing school uniform except on their P.E day which at the moment will be on Monday. This will begin after half term.

### Celebration Gallery

We have created a section on the Google Classroom where we celebrate the amazing work that children are handing in and uploading. We will continue to celebrate the children's work after half term, so please let us know of any pieces of work you are super proud of!

### Curriculum

English – This week has been our final week of learning to use direct speech in writing. The children have shown such determination and perseverance whilst getting to grips with this tricky concept. Continuing to think about the plot of our original text Gorilla, the children have invented a new story this week, including a new character and setting. These stories have been wonderful and shown amazing imagination, well done everyone!

Maths – This week's maths has been a final day of operations work involving money. The children have been calculating amounts of change when spending certain amounts such as £1, £5 and £10. Our final day involved creating a shop and putting all their learning into real life.

Foundation – In Science, the children have been learning about seed dispersal and creating a diagram to illustrate how it works. In History, the children have been researching Viking raids and about weapons and armoury. In Computing, the children are continuing to deepen their coding skills.

### Online resources

The children all have access to Times Table Rockstar's, Spelling Shed, Bug Club (Active Learn) and Purple Mash. Whilst we use some of these in our lessons, they all have fantastic games and resources on to support the children's learning.

We hope you have a restful half term break and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February on the Google Classroom.

Best wishes,

Mrs Woodruff, Miss Bennett, Miss Brake, Miss Flashman