



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 11th June 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

We hope you have had a restful and warm half term. We have loved welcoming the children back to school and they have settled back in beautifully.

A huge thank you for all of your efforts on World Book Day. The children all looked fantastic and we had a lovely day basing all of our learning around books and reading.

In English this week we have been exploring a new text which is a biography of the Olympic athlete Wilma Rudolph. We have based this on the book from the 'Little People, Big Dreams' series and the children are really enjoying it. This week they have been retelling the text and next week they will be tweaking what Wilma's dream was. We cannot wait to see what they come up with.

In Maths we have continued to learn about time. We have been converting between analogue and digital clocks and we have also been looking at methods to work out durations. Next week we will be moving onto statistics where we will explore pictograms, bar graphs and line graphs.

As always it would also be really helpful if you could continue to practise the times tables up to 12x12. In school we use TTRockstars and a game called Daily 10. Here is the link: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10>. Our aim is to get the children answering all of these times tables within 6 seconds.

Just a reminder that we have uploaded a homework passport onto Google Classroom. Once a piece of work has been completed they can be uploaded on Google Classroom. Have a go and do as much as you can.

As a reminder, we have decided to create a time capsule to capture what life was like at Worplesdon during the pandemic. We would love it if every child was able to create something to go into the time capsule. They may want to write a poem, write a description of what school or Christmas was like, draw a picture of something that happened, photos of the children in their masks, an artefact like a test kit box or newspaper cuttings. Please bring these into ideally by half term.

Finally, the children will now be having two PE lessons as part of PPA so they only need to come to school in PE kit on Wednesdays.

Thank you all for your ongoing support,

The Year 4 Team.