



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have had another good week in Year 3 this week settling back after half term. We hope you were able to have a relaxing break.

The children have enjoyed learning about our topic of the Vikings so far. On Monday, we had a Viking day where the children researched the Vikings on the Chromebooks, learnt about Viking longboats and made a model of them and learnt about Viking runes, and made their own rune stone.

In English, we have started a unit writing non-chronological reports about Toothless the dragon from How to Train your Dragon. We have learnt about the features of a non-chronological report such as a heading, sub-heading, paragraphs, pictures, captions and labels. Next week, the children will be using the same structure of writing but writing about a different dragon. In Maths, we have recapped column addition and subtraction and the children have shown great resilience with reminding the different methods. Next week, we are going to be learning about rounding, estimating and using the inverse.

The children all have access to Bug Club which is an online library with banded books in. The children can access their library using the same details as Google Classroom (which are stuck in their reading diaries). When logging in you will also need the school code which is **mt6w**.

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The week of 15<sup>th</sup> November is Anti Bullying Week and as a school, we will be raising awareness of how important this message is. We are inviting children to wear odd socks each day to celebrate uniqueness of each member of our community. On Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> November, the School Council will be sharing the key message of 'One Kind Word' to the children via our virtual assemblies. On Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> November, it is Children in Need Day. There will be activities in school and we are inviting children to come in dressed in Yellow or as Pudsey. There will be a prize for each class for the best costume! This will be our fundraising drive for this term so we are asking children to bring in a contribution to support this amazing cause. We hope you will join us in supporting these very worthy causes. Thank you so much for your ongoing support.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year.

We hope you have a wonderful half term!

Many thanks,

The Year 3 Team