



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

The children have all worked incredibly hard this half term and we are proud of the progress that each one of them has made!

In English, the children have enjoyed writing stories with the same structure as *The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark*. We have written about *The Crocodile Who Was Afraid of Water*, *The Sparrow Who Was Afraid of Flying*, *The Reindeer Who Was Afraid of Snow*, *The Dog Who Was Afraid of Humans* and *The Monkey Who Was Afraid of Climbing* to name a few! After half term, we will begin a three-week unit writing diary entries using *Stone Age Boy*.

In Maths, the children have been adding and subtracting money. They have also enjoyed working in 'shops' to purchase items and give the correct change. Please continue to practise using money at home with your children. After half term, we begin a two week unit on Statistics where we will be exploring pictograms, bar charts and tables.

After half term, we will continue to learn about adding the suffix -ous. We will also learn about words which end in 'ous'. Here are some examples for you to practise at home: dangerous, poisonous, mountainous, famous, hazardous, venomous, various, enormous, tremendous, jealous.

Dates for your diary:

- World book day (dress up) – Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March
- Parents Evenings – Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March
- School trip to Butser Ancient Farm – Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March
- Swimming starts the first week after half term (Starlings & Sparrows on Tuesdays and Magpies on Fridays).

Thank you to those parents who have offered to come on our school trip to Butser Ancient Farm. We do still need some additional adults to be able to go on this trip so if you are able to help please let your child's class teacher know. We also need parent helpers to come with us to swimming each week to ensure our adult to child ratio is accurate. If you are able to help, even if you can do some weeks and not others, please let us know!

Have a lovely half term!

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

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Many thanks,

The Year 3 Team



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