



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 25th February 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

In English, the children have written diary entries using the text Stone Age Boy. Next week, we are going to tweak this to writing about a child in the Iron Age. Our skill focus is fronted adverbials which are adverbial phrases which go at the beginning of a sentence (e.g. The next day, Happily, Along the river).

In Maths, the children have been interpreting and creating pictograms and bar charts. Next week, we are going to interpret and create tables. We will also spend some lessons working on reasoning and problem solving questions.

For the next two weeks, we are learning to add the suffix -ly. Here are some examples: nicely, politely, finally, gently, horribly, simply, carefully, suddenly.

Dates for your diary:

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

On Thursday, it is world book day and we are doing lots to celebrate this. On Thursday the children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character. It would be great if they could bring in the book for us to share as a class during the day. We will be doing some book themed activities during the day as well as a book themed drama workshop and a visit from an author across the week. The children have also been told about a story writing competition. All the information for this is on Google Classroom. Finally, we are having a book fair and you will have received some information about this via Parent Mail.

We have enough helpers for our trip to Butser Ancient Farm but we have had no parents come forward to come with us for the swimming lessons. If we don't have any volunteers, we have to take staff from other classes and this obviously has an impact on the children's learning in those classes. Please could you let us know if you are able to help, even if it is only one or two weeks.

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

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Many thanks,

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