



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 27th January 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

What another great week of learning we have had in Year 2! The children have continued to look at the values of resilience and perseverance in assemblies and in class. We are so impressed with how they are showing these values around school.

This week in English, the children have been revisiting non-chronological reports, focussing on grouping related information into paragraphs. They have had a go at writing a non-chronological report all about Wales. Next week, we will continue to focus on non-chronological reports and the children will write their own about England.

In Maths this week, the children have been looking at finding fractions of a shape and a number. We have looked at one half, one quarter and one third. Next week, the children will look at unit fractions, non-unit fractions and the equivalence of 1 half and 2 quarters.

School Trip Helpers

On Thursday 16th March 2023, we will be taking the children on a school trip to Marwell Zoo as part of our Science topic 'animals including humans'. Just a reminder that this will be an extended school day, with the coach leaving Marwell at 2.30pm, and arriving back at school by about 4pm (traffic permitting). This is so that we have as much time at Marwell as possible.

If you are available on this day, and would like to volunteer as a parent helper, it would be greatly appreciated - we cannot run these trips without your help! Marwell is a large site, so we need to ensure we have enough adults to supervise the children. 😊 Parent helpers will need to have a valid DBS through the school. If you do not have a DBS, or are unsure whether yours is valid, and would like to help, please contact the school office and they will be happy to help.

Resources

As a year group, we use glue sticks multiple times a day and we have run very low on these. We would really appreciate any donations of these items! 😊

Golden Leaves

Congratulations to all of our golden leaf recipients this week! Well done for all of your hard work - we are so proud of you!

Larks

Max - For showing confidence in your learning and becoming an independent learner! Well done!

Faith - For showing increased independence in Maths this week - well done!

Cali - For your fantastic writing this week, focusing on grouping related facts - well done!

Doves

Zoe - For showing great determination and perseverance during her English writing this week - Well Done!

Amelie - For showing compassion and kindness towards her friends this week - as well as being an enthusiastic learner - Well Done!

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions throughout the year. Our email addresses are below.



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