



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 10th February 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

We cannot believe it is half term already! The children have had a wonderful start to their spring term and deserve their well-earned break!

This week in English, the children have been writing their own non-chronological reports about a made up country. They have been focussing on grouping related information into paragraphs and writing in more detail. We have enjoyed reading about milkshake waterfalls, patron saint minions, tower blocks made from chocolate and delicious bowls of slime stew! After half term, the children will be exploring the book 'Augustus and his Smile', with a focus on adverbs.

In Maths this week, the children have been looking at addition and subtraction, including exchanging. We have been so impressed with the children's use of dienes and how they have shown their workings. After half term, we will be revisiting time and will begin to introduce quarter to and quarter past.

### Resources

As a year group, we use whiteboard pens and 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

Carrazedo, Ezra	Silver	For a fantastic non-chronological report all about your made up country - well done!
Bassett-Cross, Bea	Silver	For some super maths this week - adding and taking away using dienes and exchanging! Well done!
Richardson, Danny	Silver	For some amazing sculptures made out of clay - well done!

### Doves

Sturt, Austin	Silver	For showing great knowledge and curiosity when discussing a balanced diet in Science - Well Done!
Tidey, Ellie	Silver	For showing great resilience and improving her English this week - Well Done!
Barden-Laird, Chloe	Silver	For being a curious learner when looking at the similarities and differences between Cape Town and Guildford - Well Done!

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

Miss Nutbeen – Larks – [snutbeen@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:snutbeen@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk)

Mr Bowers - Doves - [bbowers@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:bbowers@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk)

The Year 2 Team (Miss Nutbeen, Mr Bowers, Mrs Picknell, Mrs Beynon, Mrs MacAskill, Miss Aspinall)