



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 19th May 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

What a busy week we've had in Year 2! We would like to say a huge well done to all of the children as they have now sat their KS1 SATs assessments (Special Missions). We are so proud of them! They had such fun celebrating with an ice lolly on the field on Friday!

In English this week, we have been writing non-chronological reports about Mary Seacole, with a focus on contractions. The children have used their knowledge of Mary Seacole from our History lessons. Next week, the children will choose to write a non-chronological report on either Nelson Mandela or Grace Darling.

In Maths this week, we have been learning about measuring height and length in centimetres and metres. Next week, we will continue to look at height and length.

Resources

We are running very low on whiteboard pens in Year 2. We would really appreciate any donations of these, as we use them every day for our learning.

Year 3

As many of you will be aware, the children will be mixed into three classes for Year 3. This will include children coming to us from Wood Street and other schools. The children have had some lessons about what good friendships look like and have thought about 5 good friends they have in Year 2. Although we will do lots of transition work with the children later in the summer term, we have not told them that the children they have chosen are for Year 3 classes. We have asked the children to write down 5 names on two occasions following friendship lessons, to ensure that we have a good understanding of who is important to them. We understand that this mix may cause some children to worry, so we ensure they are all with at least one friend they have chosen (although we do try to aim for 2 or more if possible). We are very excited about the mix up, as it provides children such great opportunities to make new friendships. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us using the emails below or catching us on the door.

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

Ella - For showing resilience and bravery in Art this week - well done!

Olivia - For using Bertie Power when showing joy for other children's success - well done!

Doves

Leila - For showing empathy and showing teamwork when helping her friend create a playground rules poster - Well Done!

Bella - For using the correct school behaviours and creating a playground rules poster for the KS1 playground after an incident - 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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