



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 15th September 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

It has been another wonderful week in Year 6, the children are settling brilliantly into their new routines and continue to impress us with their enthusiasm!

Curriculum

This week, as you will have seen in last week's update, the children have sat some standardised tests as a baseline assessment. We must say, they have been absolutely amazing, showing resilience and determination, even when they faced challenges. As well as these, we have started our learning on Ancient Greece. The children have studied a new text in English-Midas and the Golden Wish, and have imitated this story with a focus on sentence structure. They have also used teamwork skills to place key events from the Ancient Greek time period in chronological order. In Science, our topic this half term is Living Things and their Habitats-our first lesson in the sequence focused on Conditions for Life.

Cardboard and Newspaper

Thank you to everyone who has kindly given us any unwanted cardboard and newspapers! We now have plenty of cardboard, but we're still in need of newspaper! Any more would be greatly appreciated.

New to Year 6 Parent Meeting

Just a reminder, next Tuesday 19th September, we will be holding our New to Year 6 Parent Meeting. This will be in Wrens classroom at 3:30. We'll be providing information on all aspects of life in Year 6, as well as answering any queries or questions.

Atom Learning Homework and Reading

As of next Monday, the children will be receiving weekly homework. They will receive 3 pieces of homework per week, on Atom Learning. These will cover Maths, Reading and EGPS (English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling). They will have till the following Monday to complete these. As well as this, we'd be expecting the children to read 4 times per week-signed in their reading diary by an adult.

This week, we'd like to congratulate the following children who received Golden Leaves:

Wrens

James-Dean-For an amazing attitude to learning over the past week.

Harry-For following class instructions beautifully every day.

Jays

Ava-For great independent work this week, demonstrating resilience.

Yin-For a great start at Worplesdon Primary School, showing perseverance.

Kestrels

Abraham-For amazing contributions in History and completing your work to the best of your ability.

Olivia-For trying your absolute best this week in all your lessons and having a positive attitude towards your learning.



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Finally, if you ever have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to catch us on the playground at the end of the day. However, we know that lots of Year 6 children walk out to meet an adult, so alternatively you can email us (no matter how small a question or problem may be!) on the addresses below:

Miss Bennett (Wrens class): hbennett@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk

Mrs Reed (Jays class): kreed@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk

Miss Sands (Kestrels class): gsands@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk

Have a great weekend,

Miss Bennett, Mrs Reed and Miss Sands