



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

What another fantastic week we have had in Year 3! The children have been working extremely hard - we are very proud of them.

In English this week, the children have been inventing their own story based on The Owl who was afraid of the dark, with a continued focus on possessive apostrophes. Next week, the children will have a go at doing some creative writing, based on some picture prompts. We will recap three skills that we have previously learnt.

In Maths, we have continued learning about fractions. The children have done really well with this so far. Next week, we will continue our work on fractions.

Learning For Life

In Learning for Life this week, we have been discussing how to keep our bodies healthy. Part of this discussion was around drugs (both legal medicines etc and illegal drugs). The children showed curiosity and maturity when discussing this in class. The children have learnt that some drugs can make us feel better when we are poorly, however we should only take what we have been prescribed under the supervision of a trusted adult. The children have also talked about illegal or unhealthy drugs (e.g. cigarettes) and what they would do if they found something unknown (call the police!).

Usborne Sponsored Read

To celebrate and encourage a lifelong love of reading at home and school, we are running a sponsored read between **29th March and 15th April 2024** in collaboration with Usborne. All the money raised by the children will go towards brand new books for our school and there will be a prize for the class who accumulate the most amount of minutes read-more information to follow! In addition to the sponsorship money, Usborne will also donate up to 60% of the total raised in EXTRA FREE BOOKS! The children will be sent home before the Easter holidays with a sponsorship form and reading log. Sponsorship money will be due by **Friday 26th April 2024** and can either be paid online or cash can be dropped into the office. For those donating online, you have the choice to collect all sponsorship and pay in one amount, or share the link with family and friends so they can donate directly. Please find the link below:

<https://wonderful.org/fundraisers/Ng00R>

Please do encourage your child to take part and we look forward to seeing how they get on!

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!

Sparrows

Brodie - For giving great answers in maths and explaining his reasoning using mathematical vocabulary.
Ezra - For working super hard in maths, finishing all of his work and helping other children with theirs.

Magpies

Piper - For working hard to ensure she is including all the taught skills in her English writing.
Tilly - For showing courage and perseverance at swimming and making excellent progress.

Starlings

Mia - For such great focus in English this week and producing some excellent writing - well done!
Amber - For such a fantastic improvement with your handwriting - well done!



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