

<u>Year 6 Homework Letter</u> 23-9-22



## <u>Englísh</u>

This week we continued our reading and comprehension based on 'War Horse'. We read chapter one in class. The children individually answered questions based on the text. In English, we started analysing the characters in 'Romeo and Juliet'. In our Grammar lessons, we looked at the use of expanded noun phrases to make our writing more interesting as they help us to build an image in our mind. An expanded noun phrase are used to give further information about the noun in the sentence. This is usually done by adding adjectives to describe the noun in the noun phrase, for example: <u>The fierce, majestic lion with the sharp teeth</u> tore at the hind of his prey.

## <u>Maths</u>

We revised rounding. Rounding numbers means adjusting the digits (up or down) to make rough calculations easier. When rounding a number you will "round up" or "round down". When the number you are rounding is between 0-4, you round down to the next lowest number. When the number is 5-9, you round the number up to the next highest number. For examples: Round the following numbers to the hundreds: 459 ----> 500 398 ----> 400 201 ----> 200 145 ----> 100

## <u>Homework</u>

This week the children have spellings to learn which we have discussed in class. They should practise by looking at the word, then covering it and trying to write it from memory. Finally, they should check to see if they are correct. Maths homework will focus on revising our learning about rounding this week.

We are very much looking forward to being able to hold our Harvest Service at Christ *Church once again. The service will take place* at 9.30am on Friday 7th October and we warmly invite parents to worship with us. *Every year during Harvest, we collect specific* food items. These food items are given to Christ Church in order to support their mission to help those less fortunate in our community. This year Christ Church is collecting for the foodbank 'Open Hands, Reigate. ' Open Hands, *Reigate' is explicitly Christian but supports all* those who need their services and is run by the founders of the Renewed Hope Trust. We are asking year 6 to collect sweet biscuits, savoury biscuits, easy cook rice, rice pudding, children's cereal. The deadline for donations is Wednesday 5th October. Thank you so much in advance for your support.

Thank you for your support. Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Cox and Mr Peluso

## <u>Residential Trip</u>

Our residential trip was very exciting and rightly so. It was an amazing experience – an opportunity to relax and enjoy ourselves with our friends, a chance to see new places, try new things, and to see each other in a different light!

All the children came back with a very positive attitude and a great sense of camaraderie amongst them. They have built stronger relationships; supporting and encouraging each other in the activities. I think this trip has helped the children to feel more confident and more self-aware. They have gained in personal organisation and taking responsibility for themselves. Well done Year 6!



Dates to remember 7.10.21 - Harvest Service at Chris Church - 9.30 a.m. 24.10.22 - 28.10.22 - Half Term - School Closed 25.11.22 - INSET Day, School Closed 30.11.22 - St. Andrew's day (wear a blue T-Shirt/top) 28.11.22 - 30.11.22 - Parents and carers' Evenings from 3.30-5.30

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