



Year 5 Homework letter

Friday 18th November 2022

We have had a lovely week in Wellbeing this week. We discussed what self-esteem is and how we can build our own self-esteem. We then created masks of confidence!

English

We have continued with our book 'The Lost Thing' by Shaun Tan. This is a humorous story about a boy who discovers a bizarre-looking creature whilst out collecting bottle-tops at the beach. Having guessed that it is lost, he tries to find out who owns it or where it belongs, but the problem is met with indifference by everyone else, who barely notice its presence. This week, we created our own lost things and wrote descriptions about them using noun phrases.

Maths

This week in Maths we have focused on multiplication, prime numbers, squared numbers and cubed numbers. A squared number is a number multiplied by itself. A cubed number is a number multiplied by itself twice.






Cube numbers

When you multiply a number by itself then by itself again

$3 \times 3 \times 3$

$3 \times 3 = 9$  $9 \times 3 = 27$

Cube of an even number is always even

4		2^2 or $2 \times 2 = 4$
9		3^2 or $3 \times 3 = 9$
16		4^2 or $4 \times 4 = 16$
25		5^2 or $5 \times 5 = 25$
36		6^2 or $6 \times 6 = 36$

Science

This week, in Science we dissected lillies and have pressed them. We used magnifying glasses to look at each part of the flower in detail. We have pressed them so we can laminate them and show you at parents evenings.

Homework -

For Maths this week, please log onto Times Table Rock Stars and complete 20 minutes of practise. We are doing multiplication and division next week as well.

Complete the timestable and squared number worksheets in their books.

There is a set of spellings in homework books to be completed.

A reading comprehension has been stuck into the children's' books.

Do continue to read this term.

Dates

Inset day - Friday 25th November.

Parent and Carer Evenings- 28th - 30th November

Wellbeing P.E Morning—Wednesday 7th December Full outdoor P.E kit required.

Christmas Service—Thursday 15th December at Christ Church.

Last day of Autumn term - Friday 16th December.

Christmas Break - 19th December 2022 - 2nd January 2023

Coats

As the temperature is getting colder, please ensure your child has a warm and waterproof coat in school to wear during lunch and break times.

I hope you all have a restful weekend.

Miss Mitchell, Mrs Ross and Mr Peluso Year 5 Team