



Year 6 Homework Letter

20-01-23



Maths

In Maths, this week we used our knowledge of ratio to scale recipes. Learning how to use recipe ratios teaches math for the real world. Adjusting the number of servings of a recipe is called scaling, and broadly speaking, it involves multiplying (to increase) or dividing (to decrease) the quantities of the individual ingredients in the recipe. So if you're making club sandwiches for 12 people, and your recipe makes 2 sandwiches, you'd simply multiply every ingredient times 6: the slices of bread, the mayonnaise, the turkey, and so on.

Loveworks:

Loveworks as one of our half termly 'love projects.' LoveWorks helps those in need of food and can also offer support with paying utility bills. To support LoveWorks, we are running our 'Tin A Week' project again. As the name suggests, we are asking for children to bring in one item a week for the next five weeks. The items needed are listed below in priority order:

UHT semi skimmed milk, shampoo, toilet rolls, tins of meat casserole, tinned corn beef, ham etc, long life fruit juice, tinned fruit, porridge oats, soup, tuna, pasta sauce, jam, rice, tinned potatoes/smash, tinned vegetables, tinned tomatoes, breakfast cereals, tinned custard/rice pudding, deodorant/anti perspirant.

To find out more about Love Works please follow the link <http://www.loveworks.org.uk/>
Thank you in advance for your support.

Homework

This week, our homework is spellings, a sheet of Maths to revise our learning about scaling ratio, a short reading comprehension and a grammar revision worksheet.

Have a great weekend!
Mrs Cox and Mr Peluso

English

In English, the children have really begun to establish their use of descriptive language by describing the main characters in 'The Princess' Blanket'. The children have started to plan their own new blanket and describing its natural features using adjectival phrases, adverbials and similes.

In our Guided Reading sessions, we have read up to chapter 5 of our classroom reading book 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' written by Onjali Q Rauf. This is the story about how one ordinary nine-year-old child and three classmates are full of empathy for Ahmet, a boy that comes to their school as a refugee from Syria (he is the boy at the back of the class). Told with humour and heart, 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' offers a child's perspective on the refugee crisis, highlighting the importance of friendship and kindness in a world that doesn't always make sense.



In grammar, we have been practising our knowledge in grammar by revising exam questions from previous exam papers.

Dates for your diary:

8.2.23: Year 6 Class Collective Worship -9.00 am
9.2.23: PTFA School Disco
W/C 20.2.23 : Book Week
Monday 13.2.23 - Friday 17.2.23: Half Term
24.2.23: Bags 2 School
28.2.23: KS2 SATS Parents and Carers Meeting—
3.15 - 4.15
1.3.23: St. David's Day - yellow shirt
17.3.23: St Patrick's Day
24.3.23: PTFA Easter Colour Run
27.3.23 - 29.3.23: Parents and Carers Evenings.
21.4.23: Year 6 Cake Sale
24.4.23: St. George's day - red shirt (23rd April)

