



Year 6 Homework Letter

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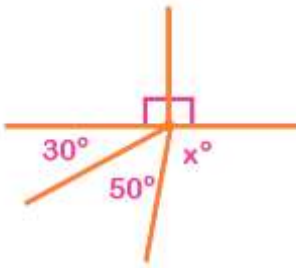


Maths

In Maths this week we have been revising angles. An angle is measured in degrees. There are 360° in a full turn. You can find out the size of an angle using a protractor. These are the types of angles:

- An angle less than 90° is acute.
- An angle between 90° and 180° is obtuse.
- An angle greater than 180° is reflex.
- An angle of exactly 90° is a right-angle.

Angles on one side of a straight line always add to 180° degrees. Angles around a point add up to 360° . These facts can be used to calculate missing angles on a line or around a point. For example: To calculate the value of angle x , you will need to remember that a full turn is 360° . To find the answer, it is necessary to subtract 30° and 50° and 90° (which is represented by the square symbol) twice from 360° , which equals 100° . Therefore the value of x is 100° degrees



Dates for your diary:

17.3.23: St Patrick's Day
 18.3.23: PTFA Village Quiz Night @the Church Hall at Christ Church in Nutfield from 7pm
 24.3.23: PTFA Easter Colour Run
 27.3.23 - 29.3.23: Parents and Carers Evenings.
 31.3.23: Easter Service Christ Church @ 9.30am
 21.4.23: Year 6 Cake Sale
 24.4.23: St. George's day
 5.5.23: PTFA Bags 2 School
 8.5.23: Bank holiday for King's Coronation -School closed.
 9.5.23: KS2 SATS - English grammar, punctuation and spelling (GPS) papers 1 (questions) and 2 (spelling)
 10.5.23: KS2 SATS - English Reading Paper Wednesday
 11.5.23: KS2 SATS - Mathematics Paper 1 (arithmetic) and 2 (reasoning)
 12.5.23: KS2 SATS - Mathematics Paper 3 (reasoning)

Thank you for all your support. Have a nice weekend!

Regards, Mrs Cox and Mr Peluso

English

In English, we finished reading 'The Rabbits' by Shan Tan. This book "tells the story of colonisation and the impact it has on the environment and its inhabitants. We have looked at the positive and negative effects of the human impact on the environment. The children planned a balanced argument. These are the features of a balanced argument:

- 1-Introductions are often used to start.
- 2-Formal language is used.
- 3-Sophisticated connectives help with formal tone.
- 4-Paragraphs used to break up ideas.
- 5-Writers opinions and views supported by facts.
- 6-Aim is to persuade the reader to consider and potentially agree with writer.

In Grammar, we revised active and passive voice. What are active and passive sentences? A sentence is written in active voice when the subject of the sentence is performing the action. A sentence is written in passive voice when the subject of the sentence has something done to it by someone or something. For example: Active voice: The cat was chasing the mouse. Passive voice: The mouse was chased by the cat.

Easter Gardens

Once again, St Peter and St Paul's Church are inviting the children to create an Easter Garden at home. Similar to the Nativity scene at Christmas, an Easter Garden is the recreation of Christ's tomb. An Easter garden has three essential features: a mound with at least one cross to represent Calvary; a stone or stone structure to suggest the empty tomb; and lots of live greenery and flowers. Easter Gardens should be brought into school on Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th March so the Faith Team can judge them on Wednesday 29th March. The winning entry will be announced in Collective Worship on Thursday 30th March. We welcome individual entries or joint entries with siblings or friends! The gardens will be taken over to St Peter and St Paul's Church on Thursday 30th March where they will be on display over the Easter period. If you would like to find out more about how to make an Easter Garden, RE Quest have made a short presentation you could watch:

<https://request.org.uk/resource/restart/2017/02/23/make-an-easter-garden/>

Homework

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

