



Year 5 Homework Letter – Friday 10th November

English

In English this week, we have continued with the book 'The Lost Thing'. The children have been creating their own 'Lost Thing' out of paper and pipe cleaners and they have recapped using noun phrases to describe it. They have also learnt about modal verbs such as could, may and might to express the language of possibility. The children have been introduced to the subjunctive mood and used this to write formal letters. The subjunctive mood is used in formal writing to express wishes or suggestions and it uses the infinitive verb form. For example: 'I suggest he take him to the park'.

Maths

In Maths, the children learnt what square and cube numbers are as well revising multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1,000. The children have developed their knowledge by using place value charts to help them see how digits move to the left or right. For example:

TH	H	T	O
3	2	0	0

Homework

Spelling: The children should complete the 10 spellings for week 2 set on Purple Mash.

Maths: Everyone must practise their times tables on Times Tables Rock Stars.

Reading: The children must also read for at least 15 minutes per day and comment in their green reading log.

Operation Christmas Child

As part of our 'Love Project' for the Autumn term we are asking families to support Operation Christmas Child. Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, a Christian international relief organisation. Through Operation Christmas Child, Samaritan's Purse aims to provide children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster or famine with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies. We are asking for children to bring in a couple of items suitable for boys or girls between the ages of 5 and 9 to fill three shoe boxes in each class. All items need to be brought into school by Wednesday 15th November. Gift suggestions could include: hygiene items, school supplies and toys. Thank you in advance for your support.

Dates for your Diary

13.11.23 to 17.11.23 - Anti Bullying week

17.11.23 - PTFA Year 5 Cake Sale (3.15 - 3.45pm)

20.11.23 - School photos

24.11.23 - PTFA Non-uniform Day (please bring in sweets to school)

27.11.23 to 29.11.23 - Parent and Carer Evenings - 3:30 - 6pm

30.11.23 - St. Andrew's Day

Anti-Bullying week

Anti-Bullying week will run from the Monday 13th November to Friday the 17th November. Throughout this week, all children in the school will be taking part and discussing the importance of Anti-Bullying. On Monday, we ask that all children come in to school wearing odd socks to support this theme.

Have a lovely weekend! Mr Sparrow, Mrs Benjamin and Mr Peluso