



## YEAR 6 NEWS



We have had a lovely return to school following the half term break and it's great to see the children so engaged in their learning. We've been busy with reading, writing and maths as well as science: a welcomed return of the subject. There's lots to achieve before the Christmas holidays and we are really looking forward to the journey ahead.

This week in Year Six, we have been learning about the impact of using different sentence structures to persuade our readers. Our particular favourite are called 'Imagine 3' sentences, which help the reader to visualise the situation in their mind.

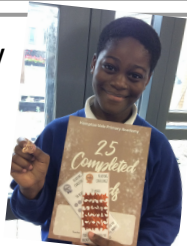
Within maths, we have been focussing on speed and accuracy when carrying out arithmetic calculations. As it is 'Maths Week England' we have been enjoying participating in additional Times Table Rock Stars challenging to improve our skills!

During our Forest School lessons, we have enjoyed learning about fire safety, including participating in our own campfire sessions.

A great effort by everyone around school supporting Children in Need: an extremely worthwhile cause. There were some great outfits, Joe Wicks workouts and lots of fun had by all.



Well done to Jayden from Moscow class for completing his bronze reading challenge award and earning 25 stars on his bookmark! Fantastic reading!



During our Pause for Thought sessions this week, we have been reflecting upon the importance of Armistice Day, considering the importance of the poppy symbol and the impact that members of the armed forces have had on our country throughout history. This built towards our whole school Remembrance celebration that was held on Wednesday, where we held our two minute silence. We were so proud of the maturity our children showed.



Thank you to everyone who joined our Virtual Parents' Evenings via Zoom this week. In an ever changing world, it is still great to have the opportunity to talk about the successes of all the children in school.

If you are yet to have contact with your class teacher, please phone the school office and we can arrange a telephone conversation to discuss your child's return to school and progress so far.

