



Stillness Junior School

“Our “Best At all Times”



Weekly Round Up Page – Week 6

Dear Stillness Families

It is hard to believe that we only have another week left before our half term break!

Just a reminder that next Thursday (21 October 2021) the school photographer will be coming in to take the children's photographs.

Have a great weekend.

**Mrs M Nichol –
Headteacher**

Y3 News

We have had another great week in Y3! The children expanded their knowledge of adjectives, verbs and adverbs by evaluating a set of instructions. Next week, they will continue to learn about instructions by following a recipe to make Stone Age inspired biscuits and they will be creating their very own board game. Maths this week has been focusing on making good estimations as well as using inverse to check our answers. Next week, we will be moving onto multiplication, starting with a recap of the two and five times table. During Spanish, the children wrote a short script using their knowledge of Spanish greetings. In RE, the children read a Buddhist story called “The King’s Elephant” which taught us that the company we keep is very important. In our final Buddhism lesson next week, we will be learning about place of worship in Buddhism.

Mrs Z Ferdouse – Y3 Class Teacher

Y6 News

It has been another busy week in Y6. In line with Black History month, we are continuing to research and learn about black influential figures in history. In English, the children completed a cold write on newspaper reports, a topic that we will be exploring in more detail within our lessons.

In Maths we have now come to the end of our work on division and are now working on factors, multiples and prime numbers.

This week in our World War II topic we looked at propaganda advertising during World War II and the children were able to create their own.

In Science, we looked at how we can create electricity using various resources.

Who knew you could have so much electrifying fun with balloons, cans and coins? Thank you for allowing your children to send in the cans and coins; they definitely came in handy.

This week's P.E lesson was a treat for children and staff alike. We learned an African dance routine that had our feet tapping, our arms rotating and shoulders shimmying. It was certainly a high-energy workout!

The children have worked hard this week and are in need of a well-deserved rest.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs M Chisholm – Year 6 Teacher

Y5 News

Y5 had a fantastic week, starting with making orreries on Monday - it was so lovely seeing the children getting hands on and practicing using some new equipment; well-done Year5 they looked amazing. Also this week, we thought about our signature celebration moves after learning about influential black athletes - you can check some of these out on our school Instagram. On Wednesday, we made our Amal dolls ready for the Arts Festival on Friday 22nd where we will head down to Deptford to see the huge Amal puppet. Looking at the core subjects, in Maths we have been looking at addition and subtraction with exchanging and we will now go onto statistics which will continue after half term. In English, the children have written their own explanation text about how they can become an Ancient Greek athlete; focussing on causal connectives and technical language. It has been a very busy week so well done for all your hard work Y5 and we look forward to seeing you next week for the last few days before half term.

Reminder: On Friday 22nd October Y5 will be attending the Walking Arts Festival to see Amal the refugee puppet. As we need to be in Deptford for 9:30am, we will be leaving school at **8:50am prompt**. Therefore, the gate will open at 8.40am for Y5 for children to come in and close at 8.45pm. **If you are late, the class will not be able to wait for you.** Thank you to all the parent volunteers who have offered their support for the trip.

Miss A Curtis – Y5 Class Teacher

Y4 News

This week in Maths, the children have been using their knowledge of place value to add two 4 digit numbers with exchanges. In English, we have started a new sub-genre- Instructions which comes under the umbrella of Non-Fiction writing. We are on the internalisation stage so we are focusing on the language style, features and additional punctuation that is usually involved. In Topic, the children created an information leaflet on Anglo-Saxon life.

As a reminder, next week Friday, the children will be out on a school trip. Can you please ensure that you provide a healthy packed lunch for the day.

Miss T Senior – Y4 Lead