YEAR 5 LEARNING LETTER 3/11/23

We have planned and written a descriptive piece from the point of view of one of the characters in Unspoken. We have tried to write about thoughts and feelings as well as events. We have tried to 'show and not tell' what the character is feeling.

We have finally finished our electric vehicles. We added the body and made some evaluations of the process of making and the product.

We tried to consider who would use Roman roads and decide who would have thought that they were a positive or negative change. We had lots ideas – it depended whether you were a Roman or a Celt.

English

HISTORY

ART/DT

This Week

Maths

Computing

SCIENCE

We practised the skill of constructing tables and included information about how different parties can influence searches.

We have reviewed multiples, factors and common factors. We have also started to explore some special sets of numbers – prime numbers, square numbers and cube numbers. It has reminded us how important it is to know times tables.

We had a mammoth session learning all about materials and their properties. We looked at definitions, we tested materials and we used a Carroll diagram to sort materials by their properties.

Looking Forward

Ambassadors

Summer and Grayson –

For writing an atmospheric, description from a character's point of view using 'show, don't tell'.

Next week,

We will be doing a lot of writing – descriptive, persuasive and instructional. In maths we will be multiplying and dividing by 10,100 and 1000 and then starting to learn about fractions. In history we will be thinking about the legacy of the Romans and in computing we will be starting to focus on video.