

YEAR 5 LEARNING LETTER 9/2/24

We have now finished *The Tempest*. This week we analysed characters and thought about the themes within the story. We have read and performed the play and it is great to see so many children reading Shakespeare's stories.



Having planned our set design this week we made our model. It was great to see the imagination and technical skills.

Having learned about the Cambrian Mountains, we have compared the climate of the mountains with ours in Addlestone. We asked questions about the differences and used climate maps to find the answers. We had to remember the water cycle



GEOGRAPHY

English



ART



This Week

Maths



SCIENCE



Computing



With Ben's help we tried to program the Micro:bit to control traffic lights. There was a lot of abstractions and decomposition needed to break the problem down. We also recognised SAFER INTERNET DAY by considering the positive (and negative) impact of technology. We also looked to the future. What do we want technology to be like?



At the end of our studies about animals we focused on learning about a naturalist who has helped science and/or people to understand the fascinating life of animals

Looking Forward



We finished our short topic on fractions. We ended with finding fractions of amounts and finding the whole if you know a fraction. This was quite challenging.

Ambassadors

Owen

For producing an informative and attractive poster about the life-cycle and habitat of a tiger.

Next Term –

We will be starting lots of new topics: a new text in English – a traditional story, decimals and percentages in maths, a new history topic as well as some different sports in P.E.

Wishing everyone a happy half term!