

Highlights of the Week

English

We have started a new unit of work this term based around a film clip instead of a book. The clip is called Francis and it has been brilliant watching how captivated the class are by the story line. From a Literacy point of view, it's use of language and description is brilliant so this week we have looked at figurative language (similes, metaphors and personification in particular) as well as how authors can 'show not tell' a character's emotions.

Maths

Fabulous Fractions have been the focus in Maths with lots of work based on getting equivalent fractions before then adding and subtracting proper fractions, improper fractions and mixed numbers. Times tables knowledge has been essential for this so please keep working on these at home via TTRS, Hit the Button, chanting, testing, rhymes, singing - whatever works for you!

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PSHE

Our PSHE unit has been 'Families and Relationships' and we had the final lesson this week. The lesson focused on loss and we watched a video of the Sad Book by Michael Rosen to see that there are lots of different emotions that can be caused by loss and these are all normal.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AGuBm_911Fo

We also talked about lots of different kinds of loss, how different people react differently, different people view different 'losses' in different ways and different people need different responses and that this is all normal and okay. Mrs Gailor joined us for some of the lesson and the children were reassured that we are all here if ever they want to talk. We then talked about how they can support someone going through different emotions - how sometimes the best thing is to give them space and peace, but also there is a time for talking, a time for joking and a time

Junior Citizen

Thursday morning was spent in a room to the side of Thorpe Park (no one got to go anywhere near any rides!) learning about how to be safe outdoors and how to be a sensible, helpful and safe citizen.

The children's homework is based on this trip.



Information for Parents

- 3rd-5th December Sayers Croft Residential
- 8th December KS2 Christmas Disco
- 15th December Carol Concert - evening
- 17th December - Panto Trip
- 18th December Christmas Jumper and lunch
- 19th December - End of Term 1:30pm

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any worries or concerns.