

## Highlights of the Week

### English/History

Having researched what life was like in the city states of Sparta and Athens in Ancient Greece, we started the week with a debate and then the pupils wrote persuasive texts explaining they we feel one would be the better place to live compared to the other. Since then, we have been doing some grammar revision and today we looked at Verbs in preparation for the homework.

### Maths

Decimals have proven to be easy! We had done sufficient work in previous months that none of it has really come as a surprise and so everyone is already pretty confident with place value to 3 decimal places, addition, subtraction and rounding. This will also hopefully be proven when they recap their understanding in the homework.

### Science

We made electrical circuits and they worked! The class created their own investigation questions and then experimented to see what would happen with different numbers of batteries and components. I think it's fair to say they enjoyed this!

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## RE

We are studying Hinduism in our Religious Education lessons this half term and this week we looked at 2 stories - Rama and Sita and Holika and Prahlad. The pupils acted them out and then discussed key elements and lessons that could be taken from the stories. Again, the pupils worked really well together and really enjoyed learning something different!



## Information for Parents

### Dates for the diary

10<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> February - Parent's Evenings

13<sup>th</sup> February - Rose Theatre Trip

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> - break for Half Term

9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> March - Bikeability Level 2 - more information will follow

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March - End of Term 1:30pm

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