

# Good News!

## Year 6

Year 6 have been working hard on multiplication and division this week. We have been working on the formal methods of multiplication and division of 4 digit numbers with remainders. We have also been busy designing and creating a plan for our playground structures. The children have come up with some fantastic ideas for apparatus and equipment that they would like to include in their playground structures.

## Year 5

Year 5 have had another fabulous week. They have been demonstrating all of the Ditton Lodge High 5s this week as they carry out their assessments.

They have also shown huge enthusiasm for our music topic, we all had great fun taking part in the traditional African drumming, singing, and dancing. Well done everyone. (If you get a chance, have a look at some of the videos on Google classroom, we're sure you'll enjoy them).

## Year 3

This week we were really impressed with the use of vocabulary in Art, we have aimed high and learnt what impasto paint is and the techniques of tonking and sgraffito. We have been enjoying our science lessons and learning about rocks and are looking forward to finding out more about fossils.

## Year 1

This week, year 1 have amazed us with their determination in maths. They have been looking at the part-whole model and using cubes to show the different parts that make up the whole. Even when they found it tricky they showed their High Five of 'Never Give up.' We are very proud of them.

## Year 4

Year 4 have worked hard reading about which personal information to share online. We enjoyed finding awesome alliteration, the most impressive examples of superlatives and some superb slogans and similes, like the superstars they are!

We have been looking at archeological evidence about Anglo Saxon homes, with charcoal stumps marking out the corners of houses that had burned down. Well done Year 4!

## Year 2

Year 2 have aimed high and achieved this week in English. They have produced some wonderful expanded noun phrases and added further detail to their character descriptions using adverbs. We have also been impressed with their resilience in maths, even when they've found it challenging. Well done for never giving up!

## Reception

Week ending Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021

This week we have been looking at the numbers 4 and 5. The children made some pictures of 5 sweets in jar. We also practiced writing the number 5. Well done Reception keep aiming high and achieving.

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## Mrs Moore's Memorable Moment

This week, we have been practicing our oracy and giving eye contact when we speak to people. Our Class Ambassadors impressed me when they spoke to Mr Darren Woodward, Director of Primary Education for Unity Schools' Partnership, who came for a visit to the school this week. The children have been practicing talking about what they are learning and explaining how it fits into the 'big picture' of our learning.



I have been blown away by our sporting endeavours over the last few weeks. Last week, we competed in Forest Heath Partnership Cross Country Competition where several of our pupils made it to the final. This week, we took part in the Under 11s boys Football competition, where the teams wowed Mrs Paskell and myself with their sportsmanship and skills. We are looking forward to the girls competition in a few weeks' time. Well done Ditton Lodge for showing your Ditton Lodge High Five in all you do.



This Week's House Points Winner is :

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| Palace House      | 1895 |
| Tattersalls House | 1900 |
| Severals House    | 2010 |
| Hyperion House    | 2100 |