

Good News!

Year 6 In year 6 this week we have been writing diary entries as if we were in World War I. We have been reading about Walter Tull, he was the first professional black footballer. He also made history for being the first black lieutenant.

In maths this week we have been simplifying fractions by finding common factors.

We cut up cereal boxes to make periscopes. We had to adjust the mirrors until they were at 45 degrees, this made a reflection on another mirror so we could see. We could see above and in front.

We have been looking at light which contains the visible spectrum; red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet. Harrison and Molly

Year 5

This week is Anti-Bullying Week in school. We have made posters on how to speak out and how to stop it.

I have enjoyed learning about Nelson Mandela and how he changed lives for the better. Rosie

I liked reading fables this week, especially about the boy who cried wolf. Phoebe

Year 3 We have loved our new book in SFA - we have been reading The Lighthouse Keeper's Catastrophe. This is a disaster story where Mr Grinling accidentally locks his cat in the lighthouse and there is a big storm coming. The spare key is in the teapot but Mr Grinling loses that too when a seagull gets involved. In the end, Mr Grinling slides down a zip wire to save the cat and put the light on in the lighthouse. Phew!

In Geography we have been looking at maps of our local area and using a compass to work out which direction landmarks are in. Newmarket Town Football Club is north of our classroom and Tattersalls is north - west.

Maths has been good; we have been using all our skills to work out two step problems. We have used drawings, number lines and columns to solve them. Frankie and Greg

Year 1 I liked sorting the 3 D shapes and making an animal picture, I made a horse. In PE I pretended to be an astronaut, it was fun! Henry

I liked learning about 3D shapes, I made a cat picture. Aidan

Year 4 This week in SFA we have been looking at television programmes and who they were aimed at and what style they were. Some were formal and the presenters wore smart clothes, but most of the ones aimed at children were informal and the presenters even wore trainers! We wrote our own autocue which was great fun as we had to choose our style of tv programme.

In maths we have been learning about perimeters and discovering we can add the sides together to find out the answer. Matthew and Jimmy

Year 2 The best part of this week has been working with Mrs Turner reading a book about 'One Tiny Turtle' - the bit I liked most was when the baby turtle hatched and it had a soft shell because when they are babies they have soft shells, but when they grow bigger, they have hard shells. Scarlett

I have enjoyed maths this week looking at money. I have been learning about pounds and pence. I have also liked writing a friendly fish. Toby

Reception

This week we have been thinking about how to make groups of 4 and 5. We have been finishing off our topic, Seasons of Plenty.

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Miss Bramley's Memorable Moment

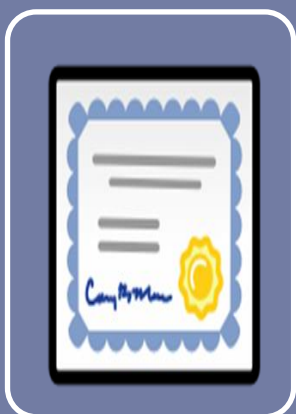
We have had another lovely week at Ditton Lodge, filled with purposeful learning and a real desire to do well with our class work.



This week is Anti-Bullying Week and the children have taken part in various activities and thought about what they can do as individuals to prevent bullying.

Our Ditton Lodge High 5 values were on show again this week when we had an unexpected invacuation drill during Wednesday lunchtime! The alarm went off just as Year 5 and 6 were packing up their lunches and everyone else was on the playground. But the children were amazing. They demonstrated our values of 'Listen' and 'Respect' so clearly, by doing exactly what the adults asked of them and staying calm and unruffled. It made us feel full of pride at the way the children, yet again, have taken so much in their stride. Well done Ditton Lodge!

Who received a Good News Certificate this week



Lyla W	Lottie H
Edie W	James M
Sebastian S	Ella R
Edie W	Joshua B
Lyla W	Emily E
Elsie B	
Paula L	
Amelie C-P	
Millie M	



RIBIT Certificates

10th - Xavier D



Friendly Fish

Silva J

Rosie B

Ellie A

Jack S

Lyla W

Rudi S

Ella J

Dexter P

April A

Lila P

Anouk G



This Week's House Points Winner is :

Palace House 1310

Tattersalls House 1205

Severals House 1390

Hyperion House 1215