

East Bridgford, St. Peter's C of E Academy

Teacher: Mrs Archer Dytch	Maths	Date: 2.10.20
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Hello everyone,

This week we have introduced house points and each child now knows their house name and colour. We have talked about the different ways we can earn house points and already the whole class has at least one house point, many have more. Along with our own class rewards for writing, maths, science and Star of the Week, I am confident we will all strive to be the best we can be!

Curriculum

We have come to the end of our maths unit on Place Value and have also touched on negative numbers and Roman Numerals. We cover negative numbers again at a later date. **Home work this will be to complete the Place Value booklet which will consolidate learning.** I would also like the children to see if they can see/find negative and Roman numeral in their everyday life. These can be found on thermometers, lifts, freezers, clocks, watches, royal titles etc.

We have had lots of fun in Literacy, writing volcanologist reports, developing our research and writing skills. We used our reports to generate question that we would ask a survivor of a volcanic eruption. In their pairs the children then chose who was the reporter and who was the victim. They interviewed each other and performed this to the whole class. Next week we shall video some of the reports and watch them back on the whiteboard to replicate a real News report. I think we definitely have the making of a few BBC News journalists in the class - the questioning was very thoughtful and well executed!

In history we learned all about the Eruption of Mount Vesuvius in the city of Pompeii and looked at the causes and effect. This helped us with our reports and we shall continue this activity next week.

In P.E this week, we had a fantastic time playing Handball - everyone joined in and impressed the coaches. They did ask if the children could practise their catching skills at home. They are being taught to hold their hands in a W shape to catch the ball. Mrs. Peach is teaching the children to sign to the popular Abba Mamma Mia song. I can't wait to see the final rendition.

The home work booklet is on our class pages and on the home learning page. This does not need to be returned to school. Please can you mark the paper with your child.

I hope you all have a great weekend.

Kind Regards

Mrs. Archer Dytch

To be returned by:

- Thank you for helping your child with their work.
- Please let me know if for any reason they were not able to complete it.
- If you would like to make any comments on the homework or other aspects of your child's work please do this in their work diary or by letter, phone or personal contact. I will ensure you receive a response.
- Please remember that if you would like to know more or have greater concerns, I am always willing to discuss your child's work progress, attitude, behaviour, or circumstances with you. All I ask is that you make an appointment.
- If you have concerns about your child's well being (e.g. you feel they are being bothered or bullied by another child), please contact me or Mr Tomlinson immediately. Whatever the seriousness of the circumstances we want to ensure that your child remains happy and able to achieve their best.

