



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

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Hello everyone. Here's what we've been up to the past few weeks:

- In English we have finished our unit of a 'Portal' story and have written their stories with a focus of alliteration, expanded noun phrases, similes, metaphors and personification - great work Year 3! We had an enjoyable time last Friday in Miss Fisher's class, where we shared our Portal stories with the Year 1s/2s. They read their suspense stories to us, and we loved sharing our English work with one another. This week, we have started instruction writing. On Monday we made jam sandwiches and thought about the different steps involved. This led us into thinking about using time connectives to order instructions chronologically. Next week, we will write our own instructions.*
- In Maths we have come to the end of our unit of Money. We have focused this week on telling the time. We learnt how to: read Roman numerals to 12, tell the time to 5 minutes, tell the time to the minute, read time on a digital clock and use a.m and p.m. This week's homework will be on Purple mash and will consolidate our learning on time. We continue to have daily arithmetic sessions which will focus on multiplication, division, addition, and subtraction.*
- In Science, we have continued our unit on 'Electrical Circuits and Conductors'. We learnt the meanings of 'conductive' and 'non-conductive'. We then predicted which materials would be conductive or non-conductive and tested our predictions through building and testing simple circuits.*
- Our overarching project for the Summer term is Ancient Civilisations. This week, we learnt about the Ancient Sumer hierarchy and the different roles in ancient Civilisation and compared this to our lives today. We explored the Standard of the Ur painting to answer some thought-provoking questions such as 'Why were workers such as farmers, fishermen and musicians seen as lower class, even though they were important?'*
- In Art, in our topic of 'Islamic Art', we made a Relief sculpture which we learnt is any work where the image is raised from a surface. We made clay sculptures, using star cutters as a symbol of Islam, which we then added to a clay slab. We used sculpting tools to make impressions, patterns and shapes onto our sculpture.*

Homework

This week, the children have been set two activities (2Do) on Purple Mash which is Maths activity to consolidate this week learning on Time.

Reading

It is great to see reading diaries filling up. Remember to sign the reads either in the reading section at the front of your child's diary or within the week.

Spelling

I have given out a list of spelling words for this week for children to learn, taken from the statutory spelling list. If you could have a look at these over the next week so children are confident in spelling them.

Key dates for your diaries are available on the Headteacher Newsletter and the weekly newsletter at a glance: Weekly Newsletters 2023/2024 | St. Peter's C of E Academy

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Thank you. Have a great weekend 😊

Miss Waghorn.