

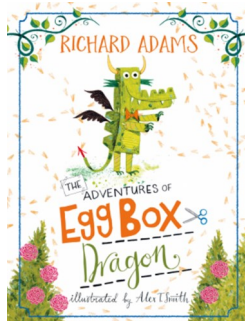


Key Stage 1 News



Friday 23rd April 2021

This week's learning



In English we began reading *The Adventures of the Egg Box Dragon* by Richard Adams. We designed our own dragons, wrote lists of materials we would need and worked in groups to make one. We then wrote instructions on "How to Make an Egg Box Dragon" before writing a narrative predicting an adventure the Egg box dragon may have "Under the Moon". In Maths we have all been revisiting our lockdown learning units, with a particular focus on multiplication this week. In R.E. we discussed who is important to us and why. We read the story of Dogger to help us better understand what makes a person important to us and then we illustrated where we think people can find God. In P.E. we focused on 'passing and receiving' in hockey, tennis or football. In Wider Curriculum lessons we began our unit on Nurturing Nurses by exploring what 'significant means before discussing people who are significant in our lives and people who are significant in the wider world.

Next Week's learning

In Maths next week Year 1s will be exploring making and adding equal groups and making arrays while Year 2s are using arrays to solve problems, recapping doubles and using and applying their 2, 5 and 10 times tables. In English we will use *The Adventures of the Egg Box Dragon* to create a character role on the wall, explore and write Kennings, engage in role play and write letters. In Wider curriculum we will look at the life of Florence Nightingale and consider the influence she had on hospitals and nursing. In R.E. we will be discussing "Who was the Prophet Muhammad, and why is he important to Muslims?" In Science we will be identifying and comparing the suitability of a variety of everyday materials. We will also be learning about the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers in Art and D.T. next week.

Reminders & Requests

Please ensure your child has a coat to wear for playtimes every day to account for all weathers and old clothes for outdoor learning.

Polling Day

There will be no children in school on **Thursday 6th May** as it is Polling Day but teachers will be providing online lessons via TEAMS and the class pages.



More information to follow.

Year 2 Spelling

Year 2 children were all given a Username and Password for the Spelling Shed www.spellingshed.com at the end of last term.

If your child has lost their login details please ask their class teacher to re-issue one for them.

Mrs Jewell will set tasks on Spelling Shed for the children to complete. These should be available by 5 pm Friday for 7 days and are designed to support your child's learning in school.

Key Stage 1 Super Stars

This week's shout out goes to Archie, Ahmad and Daniela for demonstrating the school values of respect and aspiration with outstanding improvement in their written presentation,

Well done you!

Dates for the Diary & Reminders

P.E. is every **Tuesday**.

Parent Consultations **4th & 5th May 2021**

Polling Day **6th May 2021**



4th 92.91%



3rd 93.36%



2nd 96.99%



1st 98.13%