

LEAVES NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the Leaves weekly newsletter where you can catch up with our pathway.

This year there are five classes in the leaves pathway with children from year two to year six.

We will continue to work through three areas of maths, number, measure and using and applying while English in each class will be based on a different story. This half term our PSHE learning is based all around "Independence" and finding our feet in our new classes.

Our thematic units are based around learning to answer one of the following;

What lights up the night in October?
'Diwali'

How do you make a kite?
'Kite festival India'

What mask would you wear to the Rio Carnival?
'Rio Carnival'

Stars Of The Week

Sapphire - Sami for being able to recognise and name all 3D shapes.

Emerald - Everyone in Emerald Class for fantastic PE with John.

Ruby - Elis for being super independent and completing all work tasks. Also for amazing listening and being a great friend.

Opal - Solan and Musab for their amazing english work

Amber - Dillon for making good choices and communicating when he was frustrated and Afaan for making good choices all week.

Sapphire class have had another busy week this week, recognising and naming 3D shapes. They enjoyed the guided reading session where we found out all about a bear who came to babysit! They had another fun session at FUN and are enjoying their gymnastic sessions in PE with John. They have been able to talk about how to brush their teeth and why it is important to eat healthy food and drink healthy drinks and look after their teeth.

Opal class have had another busy week. We have been enjoying dramatic retellings of our story for this half term - The Wizard of Oz! We are also starting to learn all about Judaism in RE and have linked this to our cookery - making yummy treats! Our morning walks are getting muddier and crisper so our wellies are definitely coming in handy as we run around and kick all the leaves.

Amber Class has had another very busy week! We have had lots of fun learning about Rio Carnival. The children used musical instruments to create their own samba music. In PSHE, we have been learning about different emotions and how we can make ourselves feel better. On Friday, we learnt about Remembrance Day. The children created a poppy and watched a short video all about Remembrance Day.

In Emerald Class we enjoyed exploring different version of Goldilocks and Three Bears in preparation for our English story Goldilocks and the three dinosaurs. During PE we have been working hard with John to explore gymnastics. John was very impressed with our skills and talents. Alongside this in Religious Education we have begun to explore the religion of Judaism, we have enjoyed learning about the special celebrations that Jewish people celebrate.

This week in Ruby we have been identifying their own clothes and shoe size to help them when on our shopping trips. Each morning Ruby class have listened to a good morning song in a different language to learn to say hello or good morning in different languages! Bien! In English, the children have created their own versions of The Gingerbread Man and have done some super delicious, mouth watering tasting sessions

