

LEAVES NEWSLETTER

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

This half term our thematic units are all about superheroes!

Superheroes give us the opportunity to think about a range of topics within our science curriculum

Every half term we ask a question in each class and year group. This half term our questions are:

What are my body's super senses?

What does a super hero need to stay healthy?

How do superheroes powers work?

In English we are exploring stories from other cultures. This gives us an opportunity to not only continue to build our english skills but also to engage with our multicultural society and link with our PSHE learning.

In Cookery we have linked up with our superheroes topic to think of recipes that include "superfoods".

Stars Of The Week

There was no star of the week assembly this week as we instead took part in the return of a long held Richmond Hill tradition.... Egg Jarping!

Ask your children about Egg jarping on friday afternoon and see if they can explain what we got up to!

Ruby class have enjoyed their last week with Aysha the student teacher and will miss her when she moves on to her next placement.

For RE we got to explore all sorts of different things that might be important to muslims, from prayer beads, to dates, to arabic letter matching.

In PE we have continued to perfect the wiggly woo and in expressive arts we have fully embraced the trend of Encanto and know every word to "We don't talk about Bruno!"

Amber class have continued with our story of "The Hungry Hyena" and have been writing our own stories with alternative endings. We have been adding and learning number bonds to 20 in maths. We have continued our topic on magnets and learning about attracting and repelling.

We have continued our focus on non fiction texts in our comprehension and guided reading sessions this week and we have continued our RE topic of what do Muslims believe in by learning about the 5 pillars of Islam.

Emerald Class have enjoyed learning about our Super Senses and planning and carrying out Science investigations. During Expressive Arts we have been creating artwork in the style of Andy Goldsworthy. We collected our own materials and our artistic skills have really shown through in our artwork. We thought about how special our Mommys are in our lives and all the special things they do for us.

Opal class have been particularly enjoying the weather this week - it's been wonderful to get back out on the field! We have been continuing with our RSE learning and have been practising our use of deodorants now the weather is warm.

We spent lots of this week making paper aeroplanes to explore air resistance and then we got outside to test them all out and see which shape plane would be the best. John couldn't resist joining in and cheated with a supersonic plane design! We wish all the important women in our lives a very happy mothers day on sunday!

