

What have we been learning about this week?

Nursery

We have spent this week getting to know each other and we have introduced the children into their key groups. We are learning our daily routines and classroom rules. We've all had a lovely first full week.

Reception

We have had a wonderful time getting to know each other and making new friends. We have settled really well into our new classes and are learning our new daily routines. We have been considering who is in our family and have created beautiful artwork linked to this.

Year 1

In English we have written the beginning of 'Snow White'.

In Maths we have practised counting accurately and representing numbers 1-20.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was launching our topic 'Once Upon a Time'.

Year 2

In English we have been identifying noun phrases to describe 'The Gruffalo'.

In Maths we have been identifying number position on a blank number line.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was launching our topic 'I'm an explorer.....Get me out of here'.

Year 3

In English we have been making predictions about our new class text 'Stone Age Boy'.

In Maths we have investigated different ways to represent three-digit numbers.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was launching our topic 'From Stone Age to Iron Age - through the keyhole'.

Year 4

In English we have started reading our new text 'George's Marvellous Medicine' and made predictions.

In Maths we have been reading negative numbers on a number line and solving negative number problems.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was launching our topic 'The Ancient Egyptians' with an archaeological find.

Year 5

In English we have looked at the features of persuasive writing in preparation for writing an advertising leaflet.

In Maths we have looked at place value for 5 digit numbers using prior knowledge and reasoning.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was starting to look at architecture through the ages with an initial focus on Ancient Greece.

Year 6

In Miss Fisher's and Miss Moore's English Groups we have started to explore the text 'Journey to Jo'Burg', making justified predictions.

In Mrs Harrison's English Group we have started our text 'Holes' and been thinking narrative hooks and active and passive reading.

In Maths we have developed our understanding of place value with numbers up to 10,000,000.

This week, our spotlight on the wider curriculum was looking at how the Industrial Revolution influenced The Potteries new age.