



Templar Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 14th January 2022

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Remote Learning



Check your Google classroom for this week's home learning.

Star of the week!



Star of the week:

Oscar

For a week of positive behaviour and for persevering in Maths learning this week. Keep it up 😊

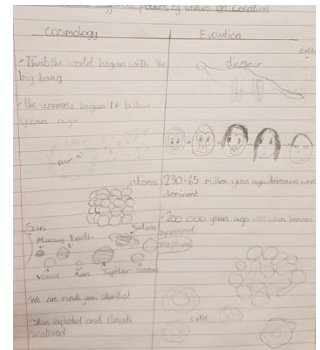
Dear Parents,

Hello everybody!

I hope that you all had a great week! This week in Templar, we have been busy working on our multiplication skills in Maths. We have been using counters and base 10 to visualise our numbers before moving on to solving some multi-step problems using written methods. Soon, we will be moving on to using short division to work out some division problems. Our knowledge of times tables has been helping us so please make sure that you continue to practise times tables at home, such as going on TT rockstars for as little as 10 minutes every session and at least four times a week where possible.

Our *Writing to Persuade* block of work in English has started off well as the children have been immersed in various persuasive texts and vocabulary. We explored persuasive language and how it makes the reader feel. We also looked at formal writing and how, as writers, we have a choice of consciously choosing specific vocabulary that creates intended meaning. Our daily *Word of the day* activities have been beautifully helping us to enhance our vocabulary as we continue to learn and use new words in our writing.

We have had another marvellous session in P.E as we continue with our *Dance* topic. This week's session involved thinking carefully about our movements and making sure that they were in sync with the beat of the music. We worked in groups and also gave each other ideas on how to improve our movements. We look forward to more lessons so we can show our school values of creativity and perseverance in different ways. A few images from this week: we looked at lifecycles in Science, celebrated differences in RHE and discussed various theories about the origins of the world in RE.



Kind regards

Mrs Babbage

A note from Mrs Secker

End of week 2 of the spring term and we are so pleased to be back to whole school worship in the hall as well as mixing for our family groups to delve deeper into some 'big questions'!

This term our value is **LOVE**. In worship on Monday we explored what selfless love is. The children articulated the wonderful ways we can show selfless love at school. Supporting a friend who has fallen over in the playground, lending a listening ear to another child that is feeling worried or sad and offering to play with someone who looks lonely.

We are also going to be thinking about practical ways that we can show love to our environment and make a difference from our little school. In family groups children have been set a challenge to come up with their own environmental project. I'm excited to hear their ideas in next weeks worship.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 20TH January - American Day! This is a special lunch which includes Burgers, Quorn hot dogs and Pancakes! Please order by next Wednesday 19th.