



Pike Fold Community School - UKS2
Newsletter
Friday 1st March 2019



What we have been up to this week in UKS2

Year 5: In Maths this week we have been working hard to multiply fractions by whole numbers. We have then applied our knowledge into solving problems.

In English this week we have been concentrating on our Writing Journey. We have planned, written and edited an adventure story about being trapped in a computer game!

Year 6: In Maths this week we have been solving problems involving angle rules. We are now in a position where we have covered the majority of Year 6 targets and can start revisiting topics which children found difficult.

In English we have been writing a range of adventure stories. Next week children will be writing diary entries about being stranded on a remote island.

Homework

Year 5 – Maths – MyMaths activities

English – Comprehension book pg 14

Year 6 – Maths – SATs Companion (Letter with log in details sent)

English – Reading comprehension and SPAG activity

Timestables

Knowing all times tables is a national target for the end of year 4 and is crucial if children are going to make excellent progress in our key stage.

We ask that all parents continue to practice and test times tables with their children to ensure fluency.

The website below is just an example of many times tables games that can be found online.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

All pupils should also have a MyMaths login that they can use to access a great variety of games. Pupils should ask class teachers if they are unsure of their login.

Notices

Monday 4th – Thursday 7th – School Book Fair (3.30 – 4pm)

Friday 8th – World Book Day – dress as a character from a book

Hair accessories – Please ensure that all accessories are black, blue or yellow and are a reasonable size.

General Reminders

- Please contact our school office with regards to places at after-school club.
- Thank you to all parents who are parking sensibly before and after school, it helps to keep everyone safe!
- Chair of governors Eddie Roberts can be contacted by email – chair@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk
- Family engagement officer: Mrs J. Gallimore. Tel: 0161 795 4614
- As ever, if you have any questions then you can email the KS2 team at KS2@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk.
- Please remember that children's footwear must be black shoes or trainers.