**What we have been up to this week in UKS2**

**Year 5:** This week in Mathematics, children have been working with statistics and data. We have been reading timetables and interpreting graphs.

In English we have been focusing on our spelling and grammar skills. On Wednesday all children thoroughly enjoyed our trip to Quarry Bank Mill which links perfectly with our current topic on the Victorians.

Y**ear 6:** This week in Math sessions with Mr Graham, Year 6 have been converting between fractions, decimals and percentages. We have also been pracising our arithmetic skills to help us get as close to 40/40 as possible before Christmas.

In English with Mr Johnson, Year 6 have been creating PowerPoint biographies of Anne Frank. Many of our pupils have done their own independent research to support their learning.

In Computing children have been designing spreadsheets using a variety of formulae to help support our Remembrance Day poppy appeal.

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**Homework**

**Year 5** Maths – Mathletics activities (usernames in journals)

 Spelling Shed.

**Year 6** Maths – Arithmetic test on Mathletics

English – Comprehension activity and spellings on website

**Year 4**

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**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 for children to practise is:

<https://ttrockstars.com/login>

**Notices**

Wednesday 20th – Girls football match @ Co-Op Academy North

**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 .