Y1/2WC Curriculum Review



Autumn 2023







Maths

We have focused on really understanding numbers to 10 making sure that we can count those amounts accurately. Some of us have even been working with numbers to 20. Throughout the half term we have been working on our understanding of greater than and less than. We have found it quite tricky to remember what these words mean but we will keep practising!



We started this term with reviewing the phonemes and digraphs that we already knew but we quite quickly moved onto new phonemes and graphemes. It is quite tricky because some graphemes have more than one phoneme and some phonemes have more than one grapheme. We are getting much better at finding our digraphs within words and we are now practising sound talking words in our heads so that we can read them fluently.











This term we have looked carefully at why it is important to follow rules and how we can respect each other. We have thought about how it makes us feel when people are unkind to us and why it is important to use our manners.

<u>History - Toys from the Past</u>

In History our topic has been toys from the past. We started by looking at our own favourite toys and what they can do. Then we looked at some old toys. We noticed that toys from the past didn't have lights, sounds and batteries but our toys do. We also noticed that we play with some of the same toys but ours are made from plastic not wood or metal.







<u>Design Technology - Moving Pictures</u>

Over the term, we have investigated moving pictures. First of all, we learned all about leavers, sliders and pivots and read books with various moving pictures. We enjoyed looking at how the pictures changed as we moved the leavers and sliders and turned the pivots. Once we had practised making the different mechanisms, we designed our own moving picture and decided which mechanism we would like to use. We are very proud of what we have created.







