

Oak Class (14th December – 18th December 2020)

Unity, Courage and Peace

PE

The children have taken part in Intra-school PE this week. On Monday (for Netball) and Thursday (for Hockey) the children were split into their three houses: Horse, Dragon and Ox. They then played lots of matches against a different house team with house points on offer for the winning team. This intra-school competition was repeated in Beech and Sycamore to make a combined score.

The final result, involving all the classes, was announced in today's whole school assembly.

Attention Children!

Homework – There is no homework over Christmas; the first homework due will be on Monday 11th January. The children are more than welcome to practise their times tables, spellings and read – house points will be on offer for those that do.

Congratulations children on a fantastic term in Oak. You have all been extremely resilient. I hope you all have a great Christmas holiday!

English and Maths

The children have worked hard throughout the term during English and Maths. This week, the children have been writing their newspaper reports into their portfolio book. They have been written very well. In Maths, the children have been solving reflection, rotation and translation question on a co-ordinate grid. On Wednesday, inspired by a video from FCC, the children created a probability game. Below are a few online resources which you can use to support learning over Christmas and beyond:

Reading: <http://www.freereadingtest.com/>

Maths:

https://app.mymaths.co.uk/myportal/library/11?login_modal=true

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/>



Christmas Week

The children have enjoyed a range of activities to celebrate Christmas week in school. At the start of the week, Oak watched the Acorns nativity. They were amazing and I know the children enjoyed watching them. On Tuesday, we had our Christmas lunch in our class. Although this was different to normal, the children liked seeing their friends and siblings on Google Classroom across school as well as having their food with the usual crackers and music. Yesterday, the children watched the school pantomime which I know felt slightly strange. And thank you to those of you who attended our Christmas service last night.

Next term

Next term, we will be learning about lots of new and exciting things. The topic web for next term is already on the website. Here are a few things that we will be doing:

- English – Journey to Jo'Burg/Wonder
- Science – Forces
- History – Benin
- Geography – North America
- Art – Sculpture/3D model
- DT – Food
- Computing – Digital Imagery/Emails
- PE in Term 3 – Yoga and Dodgeball

