



Phoenix Fortnightly Newsletter

5th October 2020

Wow, where did September go? It is hard to believe we have been back at school for three full weeks now!

The children have really been engaging with our new way of teaching writing. The vocabulary and sentence structure has been amazing and I really can't wait to see what the children will plan and write for their own myths.

There have been a few children coming to school on Monday without a water bottle. Please ensure that your child brings theirs in washed and full so that they have access to water throughout the day.

On PE days, children must remember to come to school in their school shoes and bring their trainers to change in to.

Maths

We will be continuing our focus on calculation this week - moving on to formal methods of multiplication.

The children are enjoying completing their Flashback 4 activities which enable them to go over prior learning daily.

English

The children have been really engaged in our new approach to writing. They really love sentence stacking and having the chance to get each sentence right. Their use of language for effect is improving daily and they are developing their understanding of choosing precise synonyms.

This week we will be finishing off our sentence stacking with the final plot points before moving on to planning, drafting and writing their own myth.

We will also read another chapter of our class novel.

History

Our history this week will focus on Black History and we will be looking at modern role models during this session.

Science

We will be continuing to look at how the blood transports water and nutrients around our body. The children will be creating a detailed labelled diagram to explain how this happens.

Homework

This week is an English focus and the children have been asked to think about their own myth and characters to write a description in their English homework book.

Please remember if you have any queries or concerns please send me an email to efoster@killinghall.n-yorks.sch.uk.

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