

Year 3 Padua Update 13.5.22

RE

In RE this week, the children have been learning about the story of the Sermon on the Mount from Matthew's Gospel. This is when Jesus called all people to a new way of living in his teachings called 'The Beatitudes'. The children created their own pictures to match each Beatitude and wrote what each one meant in their own words. Next week, we will be learning about Holy Week, when the Church remembers the suffering, death and Resurrection of Jesus.

Vocabulary- Beatitudes, Sermon on the Mount, Gospel, persecuted, merciful, mourn, righteousness, meek, peacemaker, blessed, pure in heart.

English

In English, the children will create their own list poem including the theme of the story and list all the tasks that would be tricky to do without the use of your index finger. They also answered comprehension questions on the story and had to justify their answers. Next week, we will be creating a wanted poster for one of the characters in the story and write a character description on the most important characters in the story.

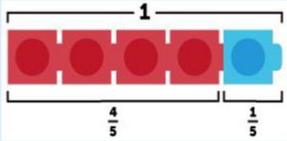
Vocabulary- recount, list poem rhythm, rhyme, memorable

Maths

In Maths, the children have continued to learn about fractions. The children have looked at unit and non-unit fractions and the importance of the numerator and denominator. They have also been finding fractions of amounts using the bar model. They have begun to solve fractions word problems, which we will continue next week. Please see below for example of the work we have been completing.

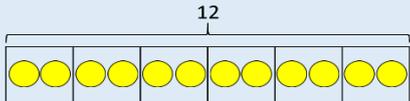
Numbers	Words	Fraction of a shape (shaded)
$\frac{9}{10}$	Nine tenths	
$\frac{3}{6}$	Three sixths	
$\frac{2}{5}$	Two fifths	

In a class of 30 pupils, $\frac{4}{5}$ are going to the disco. How many are going to the disco?



How can we calculate how many children are going to the disco?

Eva has 12 toy cars. $\frac{1}{6}$ of the cars are silver. How many silver cars are there?





Vocabulary- numerator, denominator, unit fraction, equal, share, divide, half, quarter, third

Science

This week the children were learning about what plants need to grow and how different plants adapt to their environment. Next week they will continue their observation of plant growth and learn about why plants are so important to us.

Vocabulary- Plant, adapt, survive, photosynthesis, growth, function, stem, leaves, soil, nutrients, life cycle

Homework

This week's homework is an English task. Please see Teams for further information and complete the homework in your child's English homework book, there is no need to print off the sheet.

Messages

- **Walk to School Week**

Next week is Walk to School Week. See the following website for more details

<https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/products-and-services/projects/walk-to-school-week>

- Please ensure that children make their meal choices using the School Grid in advance. There are children coming into school not having made a meal choice.
- Please ensure ALL equipment is in school, please refer to the handout provided at the beginning of Year 3 to see what your child needs.
- Please ensure that your child has a pair of light grey jogging bottoms for outdoor games in their PE kit. Please label these with your child's name.
- Your child can bring in some 'spares' clothing which can be worn at lunchtime when playing sports outside, so that their uniform doesn't get dirty, e.g. a pair of tracksuit bottoms and a jumper. These can be sent into school in a labelled plastic bag.
- A reminder that **no earrings** should be worn in school and long hair needs to be tied up.
- Reading books and your child's homework diary should be in their bag every day.

Thank you,

Have a great weekend,

Corinne

Five Ways to Wellbeing



TAKE NOTICE

With next week being Walk to School Week, take some time to have a family walk this weekend too. Take notice and talk about the places you walk in.