

Maple Class Newsletter

27/02/26

A brilliant first week back in Maple!

We dove straight back into our Maths, tackling a tricky fractions topic with great enthusiasm and mathematical thinking. We have been learning how to multiply fractions by integers, recapping our knowledge of converting between improper fractions and mixed numbers and how to find equivalent fractions. I have been incredibly impressed with how much we remembered from last term!

Art this week was a chance to create some beautiful silhouettes on a sunset background of blended watercolour paints. The final pieces look wonderful and we can't wait to put them on display for everyone to see.

Tuesday afternoon was another of our dance lessons with "Little Dancers" – everyone did very well to remember the choreography after a week off! The piece is all starting to come together now and we look forward to welcoming friends and family to see our performance in a few weeks' time.

Our writing this week has also been full of passion as we prepared our persuasive speeches for Nikki and Sally, telling them something we would like to change or see happen in our school. The ideas were excellent, ranging from new sports equipment to club ideas... and even some very convincing arguments for a class pet!

Have a lovely weekend!

Katy and Maple Class



This week's awards

Teacher awards:



Max & Oscar

Star of the week: Daisy

Presentation Award: Peony



Next week's learning



Maths: Fractions

English: Writing: Character descriptions, Guided Reading: Information texts, Spelling: "au" sound

Science: Separating materials

Topic: Physical geography of Johannesburg

RE: Important journeys in different religions

Reminders



This term's PE days are

Monday & Tuesday

Next week is **Book Week!**