

Maple Class Newsletter

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What a great week we have had in Maple!

In Maths this week, we have been working on some specific arithmetic skills to increase our confidence and fluency. We have been really focusing on our presentation and following the small steps to increase our accuracy and independence. Our times tables knowledge has been really important to help us with this, as we continue to practise the times tables that we find the most challenging. Practise makes perfect!

On Tuesday, we had our second forest school session with Dominika in the meadow. This week we learnt how to light fires, make dandelion tea and create felt artwork. Lots of resilience and determination was on display with the tricky skill of fire lighting which everyone should be really proud of.

Our PE lessons have continued to focus on our netball skills, where this week we looked at footwork rules and pivoting to change direction. There was some great teamwork on display. On Thursday, some of the girls in Maple also took part in a football match where they children represented the school brilliantly!

As a class, we have been working really hard on our handwriting over the last few weeks and super improvements have been made! Everyone has made great progress with their letter formation, joining and fluency. Our books are looking brilliant!

Have a lovely weekend!

Katy and Maple Class



This week's awards

Teacher awards:
Amber & Arlo



Star of the week: Ishmael

Presentation: Bea



Next week's learning



Maths: Multiplication & division problems

English: Writing: Discussion texts, Guided Reading: The Invention of Hugo Cabret, Spelling: Adverbs of place

Science: Lifecycle of insects

Topic: Medieval crime & punishment

RE: Freedom and Justice

Reminders



PE days: Mon & Tues

Tuesday: Forest School