DROP SPOT

Dropmore Infant School Weekly Newsletter 12th November 2021 Autumn Term, Week 9

CELEBRATIONS

Mathematician of the Week

Sophie – Year 2 For fantastic work learning column addition.



For a fantastic recount of our trip to the Science Museum.

AWARD

- Alfred, for helping me pick up the papers I dropped. From Bailey
- Niall, for making kind comments about a friend's picture. From Mrs Bailey
- Reception Class, for helping each other get ready for PE.
 From Miss Douglas and Mrs Emmett



- **Hari,** for super handwriting this week.
- **Niall,** for using his sounds to label his rocket picture all by himself.



ASSEMBLY CERTIFICATE

Reception: Hari, for trying very hard in his art work. **Year 1: Nihal,** for his clear explanations in Maths **Year 2: Aston-James,** for excellent effort in his listening.



It was wonderful to be able to do our parent consultations face-to-face again this term. I hope that you enjoyed looking through your child's books and that you found the time with the class teacher informative. It has been a busy week as usual. Reception have been enjoying their new topic on Space this week. They have learnt many facts about the planets and went on an exciting space walk on Friday! For maths they have been practising their subitising skills and we have been really impressed by how much effort they have been putting into this. Year 1 has been learning to recognise and name 3D shapes, as maths objects but also in everyday objects. They have been able to comment on what is the same and what is different between them. In English they have been learning to ask and answer questions using a non-fiction text on farm machines to gather information. They made a simple glossary by ordering words alphabetically and matching the definition. In PSHE they are focusing on "celebrating differences", and will be making a class display of gingerbread men. Each week they add a piece of clothing on a theme. Year 2 has been learning about column addition this week. They have also been practising using their phonics to read some very unusual words. KS1 have enjoyed creating their own moving space pictures, using a mechanism from their trials last week. They have practised paint splatting techniques and used many of the art skills learnt throughout this term. We can't wait for you to see them all on display at our nativity. The PTA have counted the wine bottle contributions / house point totals for this week: Badgers =13, Hedgehogs = 11, Foxes = 17, Squirrels = 13. Don't forget your chocolate contributions next week!! Have a lovely weekend!

THE WEEK AHEAD For a full list of dates, <u>click here</u>

- Road Safety Week & Anti-Bullying Week
- Tuesday 16th: Pudsey Bear visit
- Friday 19th: Children in Need (Mufti)

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THE WEEK IN PICTURES



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Using 3D shapes



Remembrance Poppy

