## Kirkby-on-Bain

# **Church of England Primary School**

# 'Learning together for life'

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The term is already flying by! It will be Christmas before we know it and there is still such a lot to fit in before then. Thank you for your replies about alternative end of the day arrangements – a separate letter to update will follow soon.

## Congratulations to...

#### **Our Mathematicians of the week:**

Darcy (Maple) Theo (Chestnut), Evie (Willow) Luke(Oak)



Our Writers of the week:

Lacey (Maple)
Corey (Chestnut)
Libby (Willow)
Josh S (Oak)

### Last week's highlights...

Our **Maple** children created their own characters and settings for our collaborative writing project. They also made poppy pictures and talked about Remembrance. They are quickly becoming experts at ordering numbers and the preparations for their Christmas Nativity have commenced.

Our **Chestnut** children have been finding out all about the Great Fire of London and have started creating a fire station for their role play area. They learnt about rounds in music and learnt and performed London's Burning. They have also been thoroughly enjoying working with Mr Hornsey who is on a student placement with us until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November.

Our **Willow** children have been enjoying 'the best English lessons ever' with Miss Stanney, who is on a student placement with us until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. They have been exploring the text 'Traction Man' and have had great fun recording voiceovers. They have also been honing their addition and subtraction skills.

Our **Oak** children have been working really hard all week and have been showcasing some of their research and new knowledge during their World Expert sessions. They have also been finding out about Greek vases, thinking about designs for their own and starting paper prototypes.

My thanks go to George, this week's 'roving reporter'.

## **Attendance Update:**

Week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> November - our whole school attendance was 96%. This is lower than we would hope but unfortunately the sickness bugs have continued. It is better to be off and recover than to come back too soon and share the germs.

Our year to date attendance is currently 96%. If we all work together, I am sure this will be up again soon! Fingers crossed for this week!

#### Dates for your diary...

**14<sup>th</sup> Nov** Parents' Evening 3:45 – 6:30

17<sup>th</sup> Nov Children in Need Day

21st Nov Willow Class Trip

21st - 27th Nov Scholastic Book Fair

**22nd Nov** Parents' Evening 4:30 – 7:00

Hope, Peace, Friendship, Forgiveness, Respect and Trust