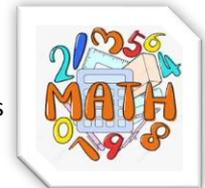




What have Year 5 been up to this week?



This week in English, the children analyzed how modal verbs and adverbs were used in a range of instruction manuals. They then planned their own instruction texts before writing their own sets of instructions, applying a range of Year 5 writing techniques to make their work clear, detailed, and effective.



This week in Maths, we have explored decimal numbers by writing them in words, comparing them and ordering them in ascending and descending order. Finally, we looked at how to convert decimals into fractions by looking at whether the number ends in the tenths, hundredths or thousandths.

This week in Science, the children compared and grouped different materials, exploring their properties and how solids, liquids, and gases behave. They investigated solutes, solvents, and solutions, testing which substances dissolve and observing the effects of mixing and filtering. The children also explored reversible and irreversible changes, making predictions, carrying out experiments, and recording their observations and conclusions. Throughout the week, they used scientific vocabulary such as solute, solvent, solution, particles, and energy to explain their findings and deepen their understanding of how materials can change.

In PSHE, we discussed and research our dream jobs and what skills we need to be successful.



5A's Star of the Week



Ahyan has been a superstar! He has been so focused on his learning this week and contributes his ideas in class regularly. Additionally, he is a kind and helpful friend to others. Keep it up and well done, Ahyan!

5B's Star of the Week



My star of the week this week is Kurtis. He has been contributing brilliant ideas in our science lessons and shown great interest in them. He even researched extra information at home! Well done for showing great enthusiasm Kurtis!



5A's coin total – 92 coins
5B's coin total – 81 coins

Reminders...

- Reading books are updated and changed every Wednesday.
- This half term PE is on Wednesday. Please ensure your child has their full and labelled PE kit in school.
- 'My SAT's Companion' homework is set on a Thursday, and it must be completed by the following Wednesday.
- Spellings are given to the children on a Friday, and they are tested on them the following Friday.
- Please find the Bikeability link below:
<https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/lag-bye-beg>

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend.
From Mrs Deen and Miss Williams
Year 5 Teachers