## Weekly Learning Reflections



Another week comes to and end and I have been impressed with the children's attitude towards their learning. We are still recapping over expectations of the children after the summer break but they are working hard to improve each and every day.

The children have been focused on writing their non-chronological reports this week having previously found their facts. They have focused on writing in the correct style and creating different sections for appearance, habitat and diet. Some have even included a fun facts section! Ask your child to share something interesting they have learnt.

Our focus continued on number and place value this week with the children exploring adding 1, 10, 100 and 1000 or taking away these amounts. We have used practical resources to understand how to exchange when we don't have the necessary amount and it has been great to see the children using practical resources to help them access the tasks independently.

Our curriculum work continues with the children practising their passing skills in Basketball, learning about Google Docs in Computing and continuing to explore the differences between children in historical times compared to now. We have also set up a science experiment for Monday today where eggs have been placed in water, vinegar and coke. On Monday, we will look at the strength of different toothbrushes to determine which is best for cleaning our own teeth.

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## Pupil Star of the Week - 🚖 Joseph 🚖

Joseph was chosen by the children as their Star of the Week. They chose him due to his kind nature and willingness to listen to others in any situation. He was also recognised for his desire to work hard and his eagerness in lessons. Well done Joseph. Teacher Star of the Week - 🚖 Jack 🚖

This week I have chosen Jack as my Star of the Week. Jack has shown consistent high standards since returning from the summer break and has modelled to the class how to be an active and enthusiastic learner. He always strives to achieve his best and works with focus and determination. Well done Jack!

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I hope you all have a lovely weekend,

**Mr Castell**