

Weekly Learning Reflections



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Invincible started the new year with a short but busy week. In English we read the opening of a story called The Nowhere Emporium and thought a bit about how the writer used words to create images. We also looked at how noun phrases help to make those images more precise and detailed. In Maths we returned to the end of our unit on fractions and used our understanding of equivalent fractions to help us add them together. If we want to add a fifth to three tenths, we now know we have to convert the fifth into two tenths first.

In the afternoons we started on Wednesday with a football session on the field. That will be our outdoor PE lesson for this half term with gymnastics indoors on Mondays. In Computing we learned a bit about the Mars rover Curiosity and about how far away Mars is. This will lead into us learning about binary – the method by which the Mars rovers communicate information back to Earth. In Geography we started work on the importance of our oceans by looking at trade routes and in Art today we looked at some examples of retro-futurism – depictions from the 1950s and 60s of how people back then thought our world would look now. That helped us to think about ideas for poster designs promoting holidays in space in the near future.

This week's class voted Star of the (short) Week is Ivey, who was nominated for working hard, being kind and persevering in her work. My star this week is Dexter, who absolutely smashed the work we did on noun phrases this morning, giving the class multiple examples and explaining how they work.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Self.

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