

## Weekly Learning Reflections



Another busy week in Victory class has flown by and the children have been continuing to work hard and persevere with the learning, even when finding things challenging. The curriculum learning has continued at pace and all manner of learning has been fitted in.

The children have continued to explore the scene in Diagon Alley in Harry Potter and are working hard to develop their description. This week they mapped out their thoughts and have begun writing their own descriptive piece to show the magic Harry experiences on his first visit.

Attention has turned towards multiplication and division in Maths this week, with the children continuing to practise their tables and learning strategies to multiply more than two numbers together. We have then focused on formal methods, consolidating grid method before introducing expanded column method. A new method is always tricky but with some perseverance the children will no doubt soon become confident of using it accurately.

On Monday the children took on the role of Anglo-Saxon builders, creating their own wattle and daub to seal the walls they had made. This was a very messy task but it helped the children see how difficult it was to build things in ancient times. We have also explored further into the world of myths and the value they hold in religion as well as investigating the different properties of liquids and gases.

★ ★ ★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★ ★

**Pupil Star of the Week - ★ Charlie ★**

Charlie was chosen as Star of the Week with the children asked to focus on evaluation and those that have worked hard to reflect and improve. They recognised that Charlie has shown a newfound desire to go back and improve work to make it better and this has helped him in his learning. Great work Charlie, well done!

**Teacher Star of the Week - ★ Darcie ★**

This week I have chosen Darcie as my Star of the Week. Darcie has worked incredibly hard this week. She has challenged herself, persevered when struggling with work and not given up. It has been excellent to see and Darcie has benefitted greatly from the extra challenge she has set herself. You have been a star this week Darcie, continue to keep up the amazing work!

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I hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Mr Castell