Weekly Learning Reflections

Week Beginning: 6.5.24

Dear Parents and guardians,

Drive, sharpened concentration and getting out of hairy moments fast, were all the skills the children needed in phase two to assemble their sling shot cars.

Using their chassis made a fortnight ago, the children measured and cut dowel rods to fit the sub-frame for their vehicle.

The children had to problem solve, as the made their racers, such as how to minimise friction between the moving parts.

It was great to witness the children help each other, and they clearly had a 'wheelie' good time as they all wanted the afternoon to continue.

Maths

Using their understanding of angles, the children were tasked with exploring 2-d shapes to sort and classify polygons.

The children worked hard to learn mathematical language, and use it with precision and understanding.

Finally with the shapes cut out, they were folded and viewed from various orientations to find the lines of symmetry, and work out if there is a relationship between the number of lines of symmetry and number of sides

Tennis

Over this half term, the children have been working hard to improve their control of a tennis racquet and ball.

They have also been improving their proficiency at forearm and backarm passes. I am really proud of the children working hard and coaching each other

English

Using detailed description, the children have been working well to paint a 'word-picture' for the setting of their Viking adventure. They added intrigue, and suspense to their Norse tale by using empty words, and using a narrator's voice through a range of sentences.

Children's Star of the Week

Dexter, Ted, Kasper and Frankie received the glory as stars of the week in the boy's section, and Pippa, Eloise, Celia and Matilda were voted as stars in the girl's category.

Teacher Star of the Week

Finally, this week I have awarded the whole class as stars of the week as they have worked super well.

I am really proud of them for taking part in paired reading at the end of each day, working as a

coach or a reader.

I hope you have a super weekend with your child, and loved ones. Kind regards, Amarjit

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