

Weekly Learning Reflections



Week Beginning:

Happy Friday 😊

I hope that you all had a lovely break over the holidays and enjoyed time with loved ones.

The class have settled back into the routines and expectations of school really well and have had a fab first week (all be it a four day one) back.

In maths, we started our new learning on fractions. The children used lots of different practical resources to explore their ideas – at first focusing on a half, quarter and a third before moving onto non- unit fractions and tenths. Through exploration and challenge, the children used their knowledge so far learned of fractions to connect them to decimals! Fantastic work all round.

In English this week, we have started our letter writing topic. So far, we have deconstructed a letter for its features, explored paragraphs and learned the differences of formal and non-formal language and tone. Next week we will plan our letters in preparation to write them.

Our project work has seen us beginning to look at the structure of our planet and what is beneath our feet. We looked at the different layers, that look a lot like a gobstopper, before having a tectonic plate and mountain lesson that developed our understanding of how 3 of the main types of mountains are formed.

If you haven't yet, please take a look at the post from the office that informs you of all that we are getting up to this half term.

★ ★ ★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★ ★

Pupil Star of the Week - ★ Elliott ★

Elliott is a kind, caring and helpful member of Astute. The children noted that he always has a smile on his face and he has really shown perseverance and determination in school this week ! What a great start to the year!

Teacher Star of the Week - ★ Huw ★

Huw has worked incredibly hard this week right across the curriculum. He has also impressed me when his is explaining his understanding of a maths reasoning task. Well done Huw we are so very proud of you.

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Hope that you all have a lovely weekend,

Miss Hunt and Mrs Wigmore 😊