

## Weekly Learning Reflections



### **Week Beginning:**

Happy Friday 😊

Our creativity has shone this week as we have mapped out our origin stories for Razvani the fire fiend. The children initially generated the story line before acting out in small groups. Next, they took photos to create a story board and added detail and vocabulary that will be useful when writing. Today we began our long write to tell their interesting stories. The initial paragraphs written have used our recent learning well as expanded noun phrases for description and time, place and causal conjunctions to extend ideas have allowed the children to add in specific details making their reader paint a picture of what is happening. We will finish these next week.

In maths, we have started our new unit on geometry and have been looking at 2D and 3D shapes. We quickly became familiar of the properties of both 3D and 2D shapes, such as learning about faces, vertices and edges. This helped us to recognise each shape and also construct them using Polydron and other modelling materials. Next week, we shall be learning about sizes of angles and different types of lines so that we can draw shapes confidently and accurately.

Volcanoes have continued to be the theme in our Geography lessons as the children have discovered different types and states of the mighty mountains. Exploration of the terms active, dormant and extinct allowed the children to see volcanoes in different parts of their lives before exploring the features and structures of composite and shield volcanoes. We have finished the week considering the positives and negatives of living near a volcano and the children expressed a wide range of interesting views with maturity and clarity of their understanding.

★ ★ ★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★ ★

Pupil Star of the Week - ★

Unfortunately, we ran out of time today and didn't get round to deciding our class star of the week. We will catch this up on Monday.

Teacher Star of the Week - ★ Makhdoomah ★

Makhdoomah has really impressed me this week when evaluating her work. She has been working hard during her purple pen of progress time to act on feedback improve her work through editing. Makhdoomah you are kind, hard working and a ray of sunshine in class Astute. Keep up the good work!

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Hope that you all have a lovely weekend,

Miss Hunt and Mrs Wigmore 😊