

## CURLEWS



### Brampton Ellis Church of England Aided Primary School

#### NOTICE BOARD

##### P.E.

Our outdoor P.E. is now on a Wednesday. Children must come to school in their P.E. kit. Please ensure children wear something that is suitably warm.

Indoor PE is on a Monday. Please ensure children come in their P.E kit on both Monday and Wednesday.

##### HOMEWORK

Children have reading records for any reading done at home. These will be checked daily and children will receive a team point for every time they read as well as entering a draw for a half termly prize each time they read.

The children have a few TTR tournaments to compete in against other year groups and classes. Therefore, I would love it if all children managed to get on TTR over the weekend.

Come on Curlews!

##### Ask your child:

- How can you solve  $2 \times 3 \times 4$ ?
- Can you do multiplication in any order?
- What features of a diary do you recall?
- Can you use the word entire in a sentence?

#### ENGLISH

This week in Literacy, Curlews have been exploring features of a diary, including, past tense, time adverbials and first person. This will support our writing next week based on a diary entry of Maia in our class novel Journey to the River Sea.

#### READING

This week in guided reading, we have read a diary of a school trip to a waterpark and answered literal retrieval and inference and deduction questions about the text. We have also done an assessment on a diary of a school child to assess the children's understanding of this text type.

#### MATHS

In Maths this week, we have looked at different areas of multiplication and division. Including factors of numbers (such as factors of 15 = 1 and 15, and 3 and 5), multiplying 3 numbers (e.g.  $3 \times 4 \times 5$ ) and we will continue to explore methods of multiplication next week.

#### SCIENCE

Our new science topic this term is 'Sound'. This week the children explored what causes sounds and how sounds are made by vibrations. They experimented the sounds of musical instruments and everyday objects, such as a ruler.

**Topic:** This week Curlews have continued to explore our topic 'Brazil'. They have had the opportunity to explore the position of Brazil on a world map, identified the continents and looked closely at countries close to Brazil within South America.

**PE:** Curlews have continued their outdoor P.E. with Mr Allen, continuing their Athletics topic this week.

**Art:** This week, we have continued our own collage on the Amazon rainforest. We focused on creating leaf shapes which will form the background of our collage.

**Music:** This week, the children continued their new Charanga topic Stop!

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