

THE HARMONY TRUST Westwood Academy





Miss Wimperis says ...It has been a lovely, sunny week at Westwood Academy! As the weather improves we encourage children to apply sun cream before coming to school in the morning and bring a sun hat to school.



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Year group	Stars of the week	Reason for the award
Nursery/Rising 3s	Hamida	For becoming more confident to explore the classroom and choosing to play with different toys over the week.
	Abdullah	For being an expert learner in maths and creating a fantastic repeated pattern.
Reception	Tamjeed Anaya	For amazing effort in maths and being able to independently recall doubles to 10. For being a super star in all her learning, especially when writing about the Very Hungry Caterpillar.
Year 1	Dean Maily	For being independent in his writing this week. For fantastic partitioning of numbers.
Year 2	ALL of Year 2!	For their impeccable behaviour on their trip to the beach!
Year 3	Yusuf Amina	For a fantastic piece of biographical writing. Working hard to ensure that causal conjunctions have been added to her writing.
Year 4	Rasin Wahida	For asking Greg Jenner some fantastic questions about History and wanting to expand his knowledge. For being brave, standing up in front of an audience and being resilient.
Year 5	Nusrat Nadia	For using excellent vocabulary when writing a narrative. For participating amazingly in the multi-skills tournaments.
Year 6	Peter Aisha Z	Peter for writing a range of excellent pieces of writing. Aisha for showing perseverance with her work.

What has each class been learning about this week?

<u>EYFS-</u> This week in English we have been reading 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar'. We have used the book to explore the lifecycle of a butterfly. Nursery have recorded their learning through drawing and Reception worked together to make their own book. In Maths, Nursery have been making repeated patterns and Reception have been learning all about doubling.

<u>Year 1-</u> This week in English, we have been writing a biography about Amelia Earhart. In Maths we have been looking at place value to 100.

<u>Year 2-</u> This week, in English, Year 2 have been writing a story about, 'Grandma's Seaside Bloomers!' It has helped us to learn what life was like in the past. In Maths, we have been learning about movement and turns. We had a brilliant day at the beach this week and enjoyed sketching shells!

<u>Year 3-</u> This week in English, Year 3 have been writing a biography about Roald Dahl. In maths, we have been learning about right, obtuse and acute angles.

<u>Year 4-</u> This week, Year 4 have been writing a newspaper report for a Dragon sighting. In Maths, we have been continue to convert analogue time to digital time. On Thursday, we visited the Library to meet Greg Jenner, a Historian in Horrible Histories. Check out our blog for photos and facts we learnt! <u>Year 5-</u> This week in English, we have been writing a narrative about Brother Eagle, Sister Sky, using figurative language. In Maths, we have been learning how to calculate volume and capacity of a shape. <u>Year 6-</u> This week year 6 have been working extremely hard ensuring that we completed an excellent diary entry based on the book 'The legend of Rock, Paper, Scissors'. We have also been working on our bookmarks which we are selling as part of our business enterprise.

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