

Yet another busy week in the Lion's class

This week was Anti Bullying Week. Through an interesting class discussion about 'what bullying is', reflecting on friendship and how important it is for everyone, the children have produced some informative leaflets that give advice to children who might be being bullied and explain how you can support a victim of bullying.

In **English**, the children have planned a modern version of King Midas ready to write next week.

Next week, the children will:

- Begin to write their stories and practise using the grammar that was used in the King Midas story.
- Use extended noun phrases that have been modified by a preposition.
- Become more efficient at checking their writing against success criteria.
- Edit writing to improve the grammar and spelling.

In **Maths** this week, the children have been Multiplying and dividing by 1 and 0 and multiplying and dividing by 6. We have definitely seen an improvement and a growing confidence in the 6x table with those children that have been practising.

Next week, the children will:

- \times and \div by 9 and 7.
- multiply 2 digit numbers by 1 digit using the distributive law

<http://www.math-play.com/times-table-game-7/times-table-game-7.html>

<http://www.math-play.com/times-table-game-9/times-table-game-9.html>

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uTHAO6S65Xc>

I have added the above links for extra practise.

(The YouTube clip is for those children who are visual learners and maybe struggle with learning their tables. Unfortunately, it is only a taster of the 9s but I think it is worth a watch – it's only 15 minutes long)

For our Topic: This week, the children have made their Greek pots ready for painting next week.

Homework: Homework files are looked every week and the assessment of learning is done through the spelling and time table test on Monday and Friday. If you would like the homework to be marked it would need to be back by Wednesday at the latest. Any homework files returned after Wednesday will not be marked.

Have a great weekend,

The Year 4 Team.