

Badgers Learning Update

Week Ending 27.10.23

This week in Badgers we have made our rainbow tarts. We loved learning about how to prepare our fruit and vegetables and use the equipment and cutting techniques safely. Thank you for your support in sending in the children's chosen fruit and vegetables. Also, thank you for attending our Diwali assembly. We hope that you enjoyed it and learnt something about this special Hindu festival.



Have a lovely half term break!

English

This week in English, we have been learning about letter writing. We have written a letter in role as Floella, writing back from England to her Auntie back in Trinidad.

Can you write a letter to someone in your family that you don't see very often? Tell them about what you have been up to in school and what you have been doing with your family.

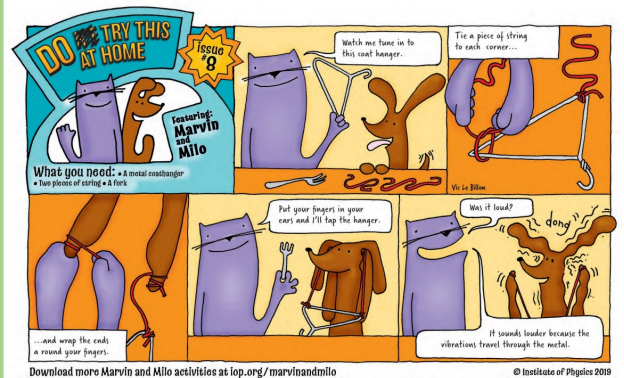
Remember to include all of the key features we have been learning about. Why don't you post your letter and see if you get a reply back? It's so exciting to receive a letter from a friend or family member in the post.

KEY FEATURES

- *Sender's address
- *date
- *appropriate greeting
- *chatty language
- *Sender's name
- *Written in first person
- *complimentary close
- *introduction
- *conclusion

Science

The Institute of Physics have some fun activities for children to try at home, to help engage them in scientific investigations. Have a go at this activity. What have you found



Maths

This week we have been continuing to learn the formal written method of column subtraction. We have been using this to subtract two 3-digit numbers. It has been particularly tricky when we have to rename tens to ones, or hundreds to tens. Please continue to practise this written method using the sheet provided.

Please use the video provided for extra teaching, if you are feeling a little stuck!



Reading Records

Children should be reading regularly at home, and in Year 3, we want them to develop more independence.



We have talked about the new reading diaries, and how they look slightly different. Children have been encouraged to start to complete these themselves. However, they might want a bit of help for the first few weeks, so please do have a look. It is important that the children complete the book review section once they have read a

Spelling

Each week in spellings, children will be given a set of spellings linked to the spelling rule they are learning about, and some spellings from the Year 3 and 4 spelling list.

We will test these spellings every Friday.

Please find attached the spellings we have advised for the next two Fridays. Keep practising and try and write your spellings in sentences so that you understand what each word means.

Weekly reminders

Wednesday – PE afternoon (come to school in PE kit)

Thursday – whole class music lesson. Please remember to bring in your Ukulele.

Monday 6th November – INSET Day – school closed to children.