



# Spa Fab Friday

*Remote Learning and  
Bubbles in School*

FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY



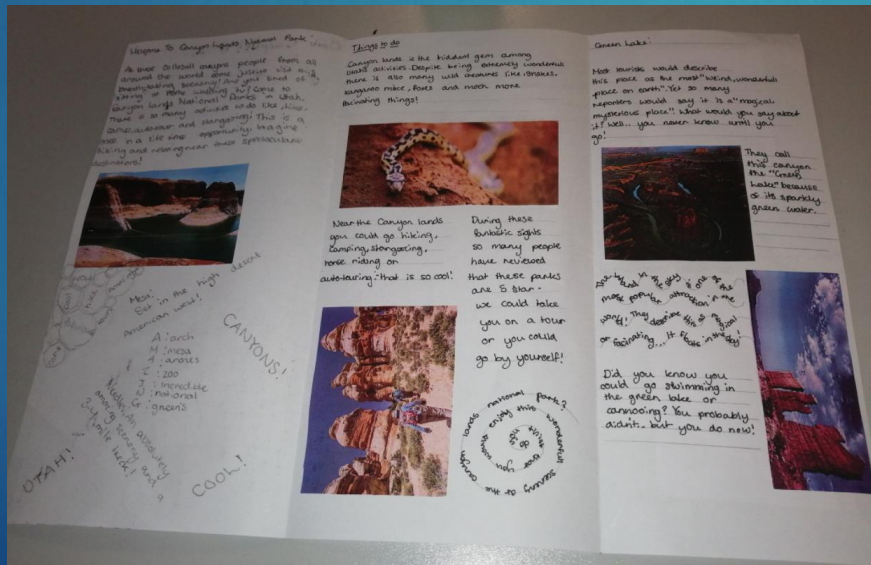
# Well done everybody!

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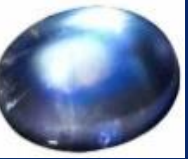
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# Year 3 Star Learner in Moonstone class....



**Frankie**

**Perseverance & Responsibility**


### The Amazon Rainforest.

Introduction  
The Amazon Rainforest is the biggest and oldest rain forest in the world and is found in Brazil. It is one of the earth's last refuges and is locally referred to as Amazonia and the "lungs of the planet".


Climate  
It is a very hot and wet climate because it always rains and also is sunny. This can make it a very humid and steamy place. The weather is the same all year unlike the UK where there is snow and ice in winter.

Animals  
The rainforest is a community place for creatures and animals to live in. In the rainforest lives animals and creatures like Toucans, spiders, monkeys, sloths, Red Tree-Frogs, Aigles, Parrots, Hummingbirds, snakes and many more. Two of the snakes are Black mamba and Python live in the shrub and canopy area. There is more than 300 types of reptiles including a Banded Tree Anole lizard who blends in and camouflage with the rainforest foliage.

Did you know?  
• It is the world's largest river called Amazon.  
• Estimated age of the rainforest is about 55 million years old.  
• The rainforest gets dust for its soil from the Sahara desert.  
• It is thought to have 2.5 million species that live in the canopy.




Female Banded Tree Anole Lizard



Female Banded Tree Anole Lizard


Layers of the rainforest  
There is 4 layers:

- 1 Emergent
- 2 Canopy
- 3 Understory
- 4 Forest floor



Vegetation  
The plants grow really well in the rainforest because of the hot sunny and rainy weather. They grow in 4 layers called (from top to bottom) Emergent, Canopy, Understory and forest floor. Emergents are the tallest layer with tree tops measuring over 200 feet. The canopy is the part that gets most of the sun which helps it to grow 3000 fruits. Understory is the layer underneath the thick leaves. The forest floor has shrubs and water swamps.

Plants and vegetation adaptation.



Leaves are shaped so water can run off them and not break.

Frankie's responsibility for his home learning has been so impressive! He has shown great perseverance with all his tasks and the quality of his work has been truly outstanding. He has worked so hard over the last few weeks. You are a super star Frankie! Well done!

# Year 3 Star Learner in Diamond class...



**Bella**

**Creativity &  
Responsibility**

WALT: use time adverbials

Sam's evening

It was 8pm and Sam could not relax. He could not go to bed until he had all his things ready for school the next day. He had to find his PE kit before stuffing it into a bag so that the next morning, after he had eaten breakfast, he could set off quickly. When he was ready for bed, he brushed his teeth while he thought about the next day.

What do you see

There are 5 equal groups of 3 ✓  
 $3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 15$  ✓  
 $5 \times 3 = 15$  ✓  
 $3 \times 5 = 15$  ✓

0000 3x4=12  
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Amir has 3 pots of pencils. There are 5 pencils in each pot.

Amir has 5 pots of pencils. There are 3 pencils in each pot.

Bella has not only shown great responsibility in her learning, completing all of her work to a high standard, she has also shown creativity! Bella always presents her work in different ways, really thinking about how to make it look the best that it can be. Amazing work, Bella - keep it up :)



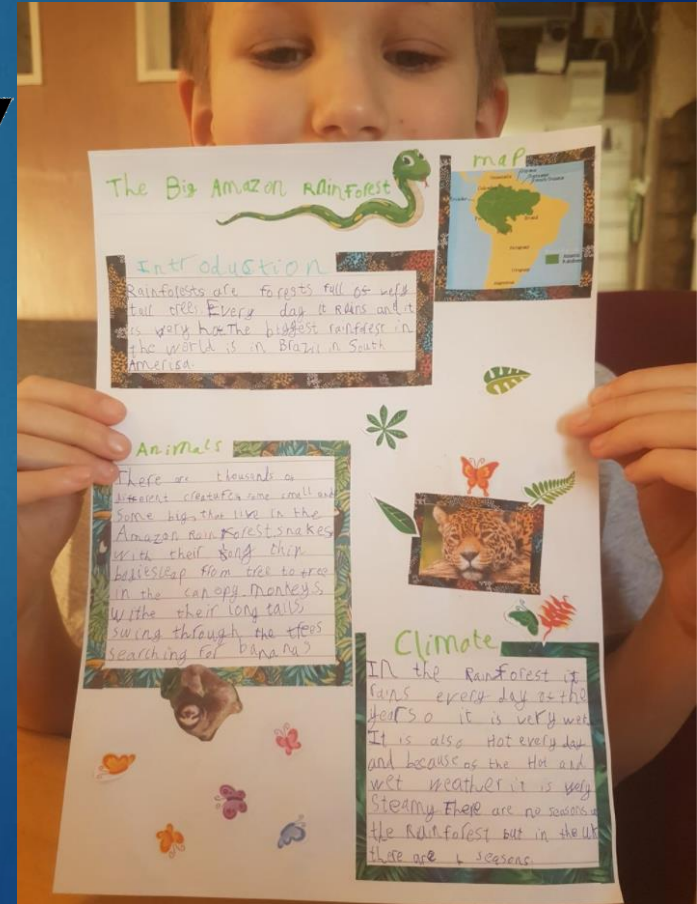
# Year 3 Star Learner in Ruby class...

**Hope**  
Teamwork

Hope has been trying really hard in the Ruby Class Bubble and has demonstrated terrific teamwork working with others!

**Riley**  
Creativity

Riley has produced excellent work all through the week. I have been particularly impressed with his writing and how much improvement there has been in his presentation. Riley has been earning house points too for his good work.



# Year 3 Stars of the week

**Ruby**



**Hope & Riley**

**Teamwork &  
Creativity**

**Y3 School  
Bubble**

**Henry**

**Respect**

**Moonstone**

**Frankie**

**Perseverance &  
Responsibility**

**Diamond**

**Bella**



**Creativity &  
Responsibility**



# Year 4 Star Learner in Malachite class...



**Mia**  
**Responsibility**

1. 3 squares and 1 remainder  
1. 10 can make 3 squares.  
2. 5 groups of 3. 16 by stick remains 17:3 remainder 1  
3. 16 by 3  
3. 3, 2, 17:5 remainder 2, 3  
4. 15, 10, 3, 0 23:4=6 remainder 1  
b) 23:5=4 remainder 3  
c) 23, 20, 17, 14, 11, 8, 5, 2 23:3=7 remainder 2  
5. No  
because the remainder is bigger than 4  
6. a) 29:4=4 remainder 5  
b) 29:7=4 remainder 1  
c) 29:2=14 remainder 1  
7. a) 75 is in the 5 times table  
b) 1  
8. a) 87:4=21 remainder 3 b) 77:3=25 remainder 2  
c) 74:5=14 remainder 4  
9) 51

Math.

1. a) with my mum.  
b)  $884 \div 4 = 221$

2. a)  $525 \div 5 = 105$ . b)  $636 \div 6 = 106$ . c)  $840 \div 8 = 105$ . d)  $903 \div 3 = 301$

3.  $800 \div 4 = 200$ .  $40 \div 4 = 10$ .  $4 \div 4 = 1$ . The answer is 211

4.  $848 \div 4 = 212$

5. Yes. a)  $585 \div 5 = 117$  b)  $672 \div 6 = 112$  c)  $648 \div 4 = 162$  d)  $847 \div 7 = 121$

6.  $100 \div 4 = 25$   $60 \div 4 = 15$   $8 \div 4 = 2$ . The answer is 42.  $9 \div 4 = 2.25$  The answer is 42.25.  
The same thing is they both start with 160 but end in 9&8 and there both  $\div 4$ .

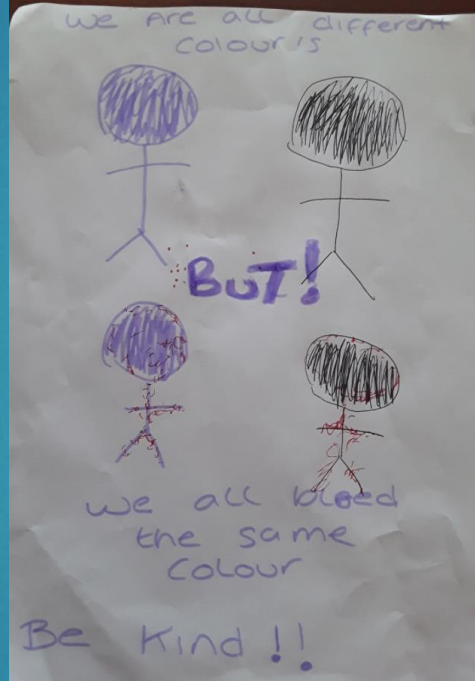
7. a)  $258 \div 6 = 42$  b)  $623 \div 5 = 124.6$  c)  $864 \div 4 = 216$  d)  $824 \div 3 = 274.67$

8. a)  $839 \div 4 = 209.75$  b)  $839 \div 6 = 139.83$  c)  $839 \div 8 = 104.875$ .

Mia deserves this award, due to her consistently hard work - but specifically in Maths. Weeks before the latest lockdown, Mia was disappointed with her arithmetic test score. Since then, she has worked hard on her maths and these photos show this (this is Malachite's first time working on this area of division!) Well done, Mia!

# Year 4 Star Learner in Pearl class...

**Tianna**  
**Creativity**



Always online trying her best and creating really creative pieces of work I can tell she's put 110% into.

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January

Researching landmarks

Choose two landmarks in Europe and use the internet to research them. Record 10 facts about each.

**Tower of Pisa**

1. It took two centuries to build.
2. The tower leans because of ill-conceived design plans.
3. At one point the towers lean switched directions.
4. The leaning tower of Pisa is just one of several leaning towers in Pisa.
5. The tower was military base during world war 2.
6. American troops decided not to destroy the tower.
7. A rock dome in the Antarctica is named after the tower.
8. The height is 55.86 meters.
9. Its made if marble and stone.
10. It was completed in 1372

**Big Ben**

1. The largest bell weighing 13.5 ton.
2. The height is 96 meters.
3. There are 334 steps.
4. It was completed in 1859.
5. The replacement bell cracked in 1859.
6. 23 light bulbs illuminate each clock
7. The build light span is 7 years
8. The clock tower endured a German bomb in 1941
9. The large bell itself strikes to the musical note of F



# Year 4 Stars of the week



**Malachite**

**Mia**

**Responsibility**



**Pearl**

**Tianna**

**Creativity**

**Y4 School  
Bubble**

**Henley**

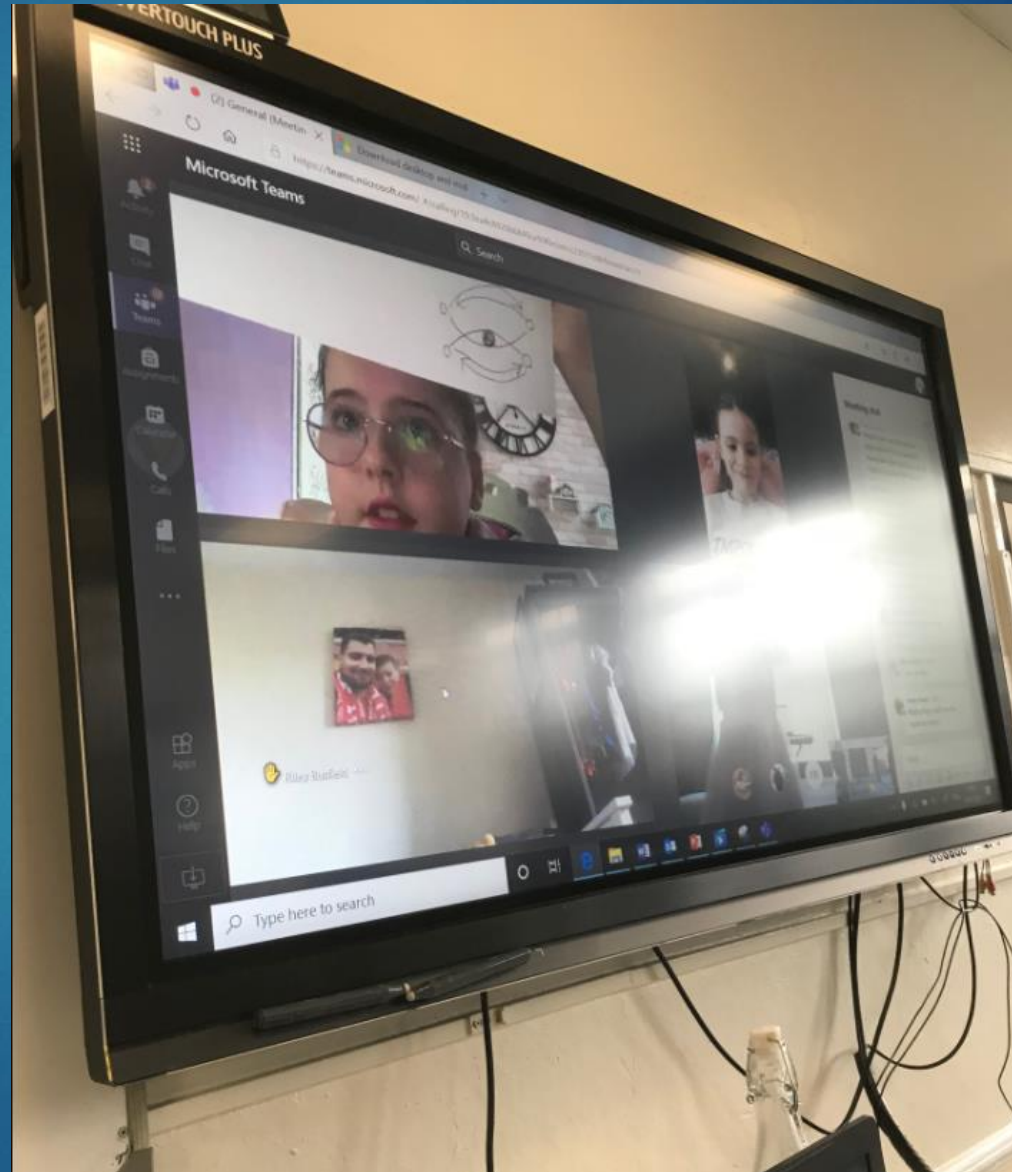
**Responsibility**

# Year 5 Star Learner in Sapphire class...



**Molly**

**Responsibility  
& Teamwork**



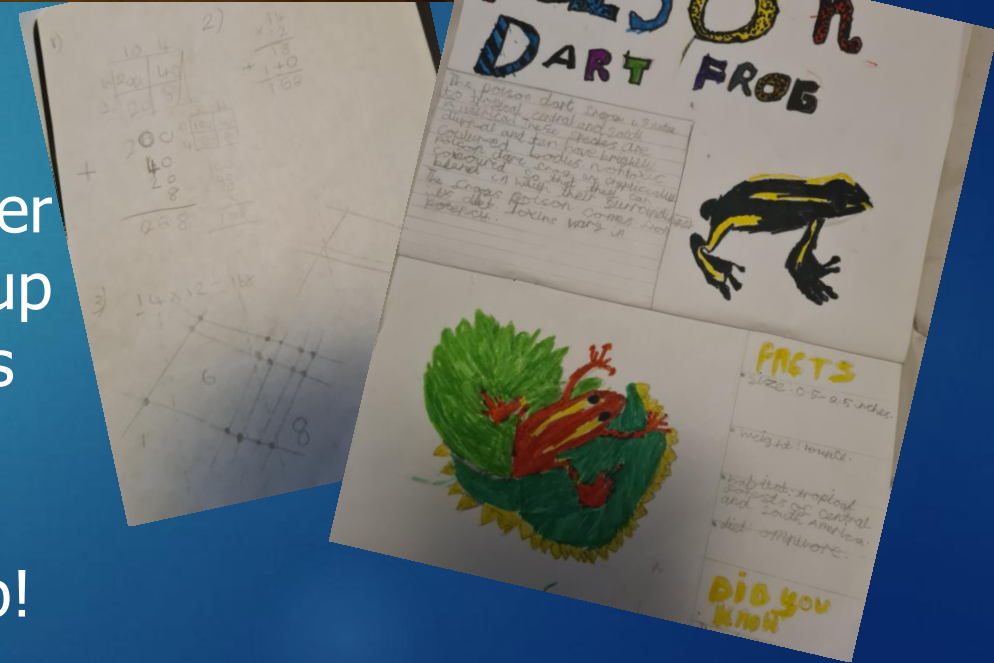
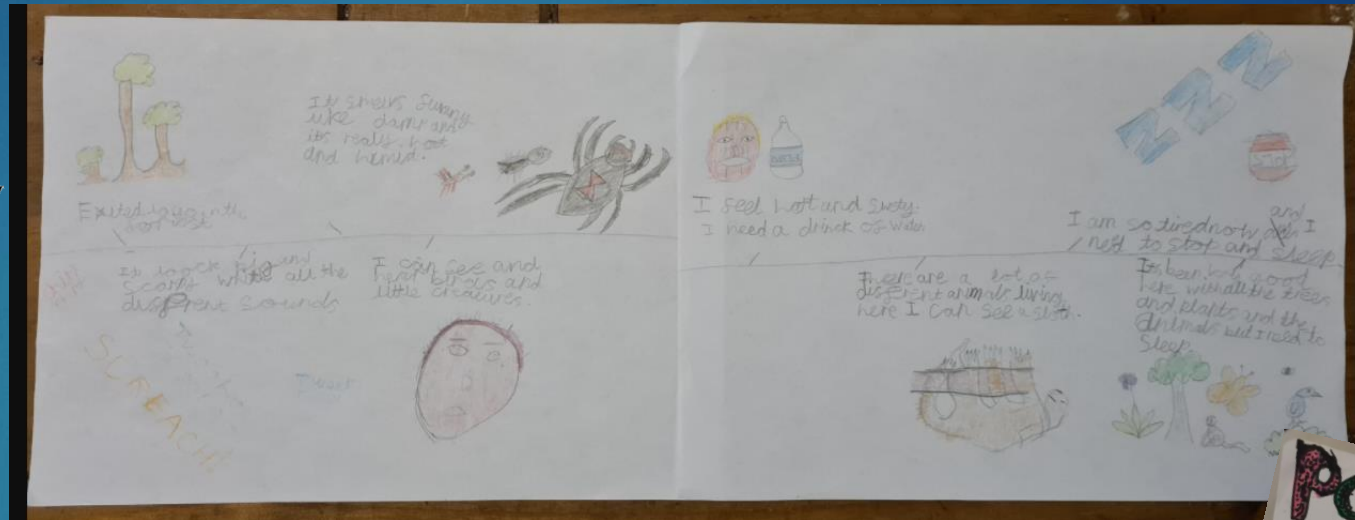
Molly has shown amazing leadership in our live aspire challenge and responsibility and self-discipline to complete all work.



# Year 5 Star Learner in Amethyst class...

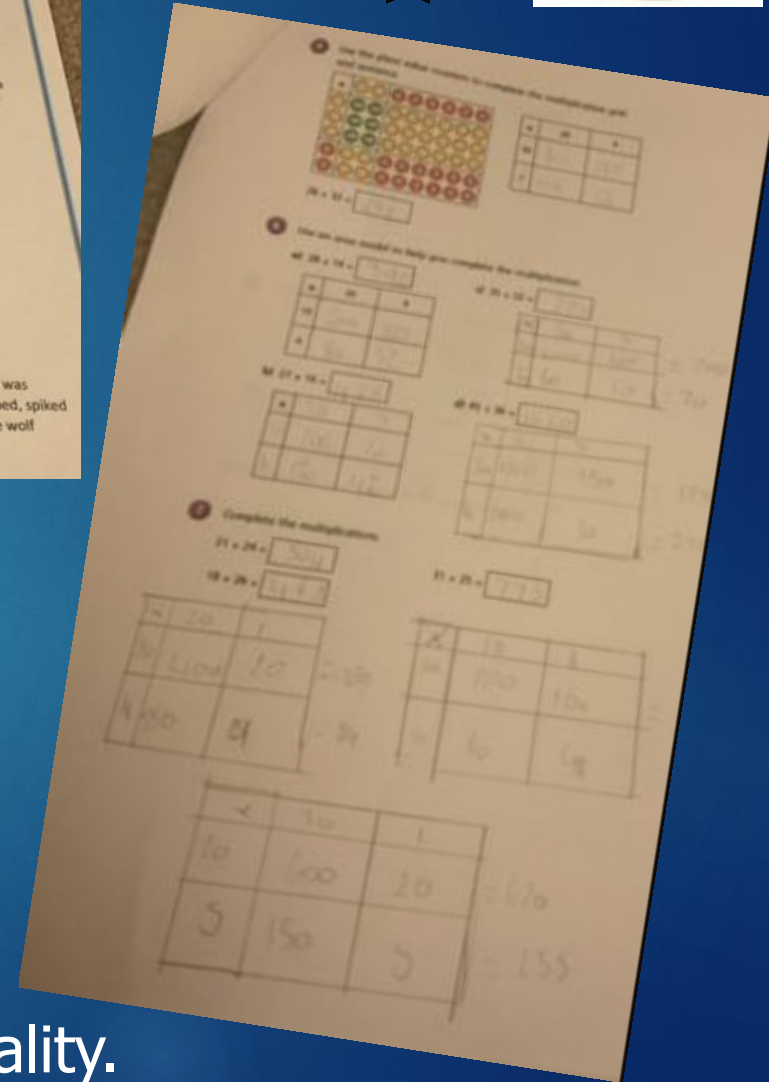
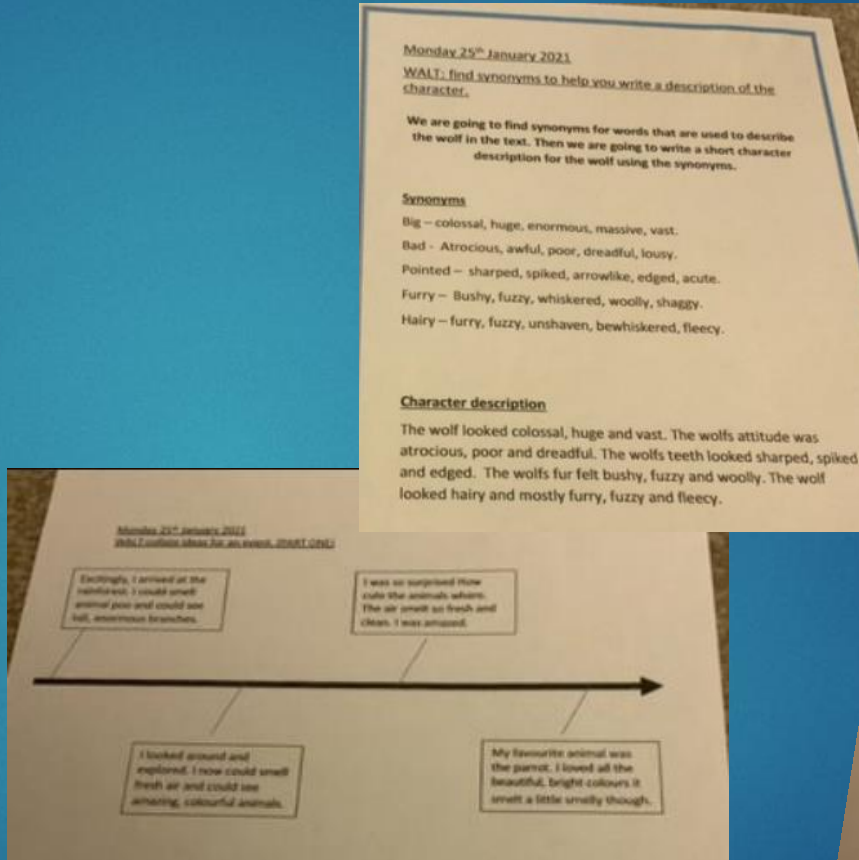


He has been an absolute champion learner this week. He has worked hard to catch up on any missed tasks from previous weeks as well complete every task in the assignments this week. Keep up the fantastic, positive working attitude, Jacob!



# Year 5 Star Learner in Jade class...

**Lilly-Faith**  
Responsibility



Lilly has taken full responsibility for her own learning at home, making sure all work is submitted on time and to that of an high quality.





# Year 5 Stars of the week

**Sapphire**



**Molly**

**Responsibility &  
Teamwork**

**Y5 School  
Bubble**

**Tyler, Kinga &  
Cohen**

**Responsibility**



**Jade**

**Lilly-Faith**

**Responsibility**



**Amethyst**

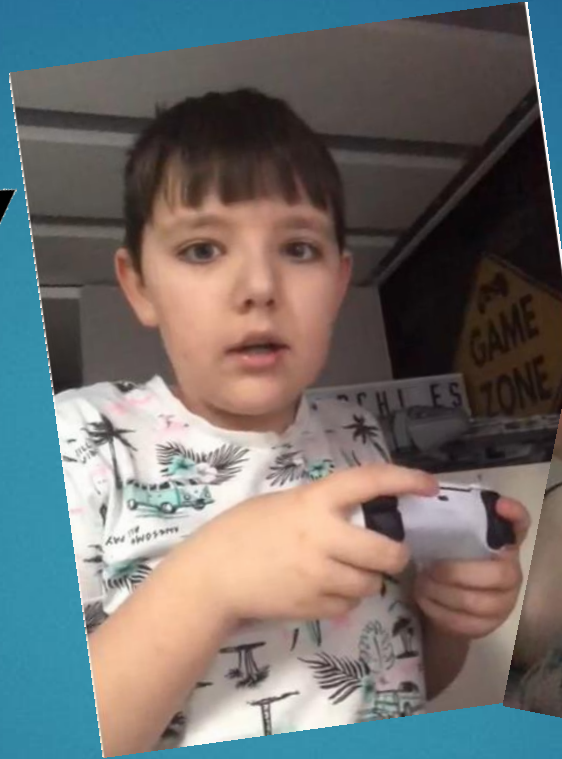
**Jacob**

**Responsibility**

# Year 6 Star Learner in Peridot class...



**Archie**  
Responsibility



Archie has really blown me away with his commitment to his online learning this week. Archie had a bit of a reluctant start to home-learning but he has taken so much ownership of his own learning this week. I hope this file of Archie completing his RHE work this week works :)



# Year 6 Star Learner in Emerald class...



**Danielle**  
**Responsibility**

Which 2 statements are true

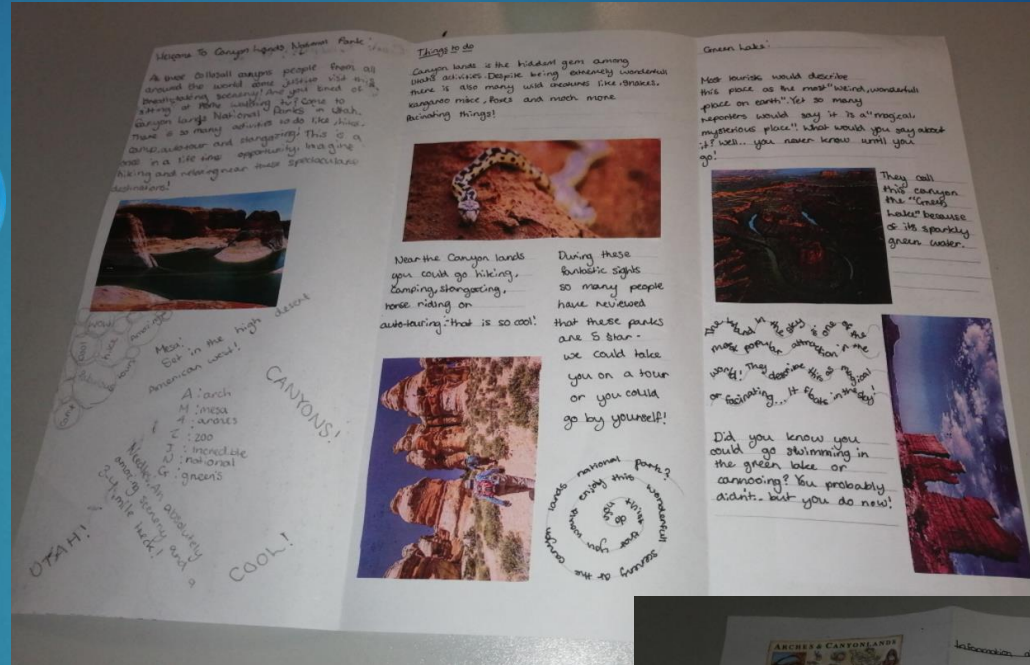
- 1 He realised he was on his own
- 2 Would need to rely on others to survive
- 3 Need to rely on himself to survive
- 4 Recue ship was sent to collect him

Danielle has demonstrated a huge responsibility for learning, independently working and constantly improving her work!

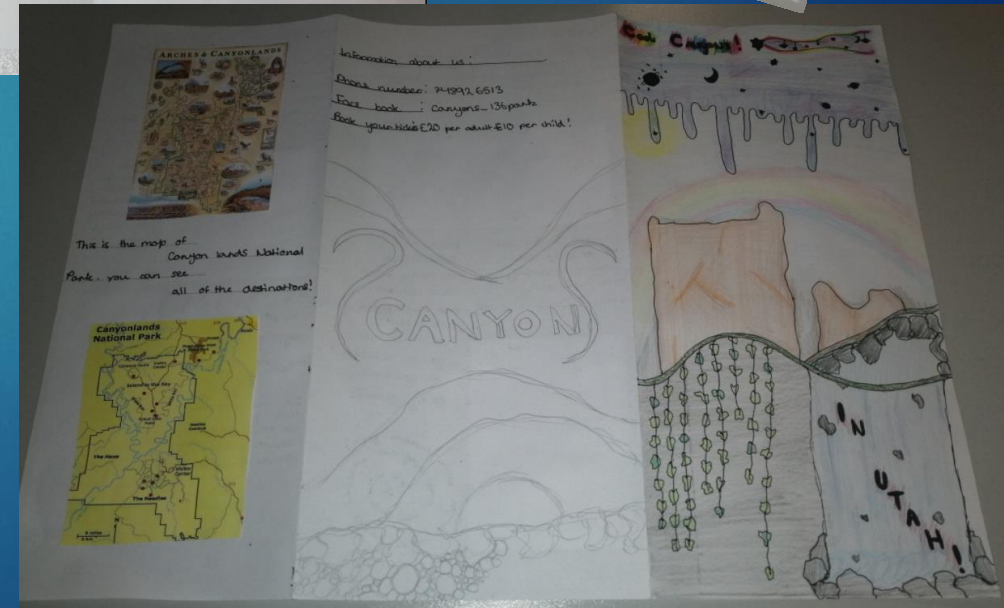
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# Star Learner in the Y6 School Bubble is....



For producing an outstanding leaflet about Canyonlands National Park . Full of persuasive and emotive language plus teamwork and helping others - Mrs Davison







# Year 6 Stars of the week



**Peridot**  
**Archie**

**Responsibility**



**Emerald**  
**Danielle**

**Responsibility**



**Y6 School**  
**Bubble**

**Madison**

**Creativity & Teamwork**

# Well done to all our star learners!

Look out for your certificate  
on your class Teams Page!





# Our special 'attendance' awards!

- ▶ Year 3 - Summer Sanderson
- ▶ Year 4 - Leo Wilkinson
- ▶ Year 5 - Jack Whyte
- ▶ Year 6 – Kenzi-Lee Davison



*Better never stops!*

# Class 'attendance' awards!



*Better never stops!*



Please join us for our first  
**Online Coffee Morning**  
on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> of February at 10.30,

please email

[Emma.Wragg@askernspa.doncaster.sch.uk](mailto:Emma.Wragg@askernspa.doncaster.sch.uk)

and we will send you an invite via Teams.

We look forward to seeing you!

\*Biscuits not provided!



**Join Us For a Coffee!**



Here at Spa Academy, we are always keen to build good relationships with our current and future parents. Every Wednesday morning, Mrs Wragg (Assistant Head and SENDCo), Mrs Hepworth (Family Support Worker) and Mrs Williams (Learning Mentor and Attendance) will be available for a chat between 10.30am and 11.30am via Teams.

This will be a fab opportunity to meet up and chat with other parents for a COVID safe coffee and chocolate biscuit. Sadly, you will have to supply your own coffee and biscuit until we can continue these coffee mornings in school. Then we will supply it all!

Maybe you are worried about transition from Y2 to Y3, come and talk to us, we will share with you everything we have in place to help your child (and you) settle in quickly.

Maybe you are worried about the gap in your child's education, come and talk to us and we will share with you how we will support your child to reach their full potential.

Maybe you just want to chat with another adult whilst you take an hour to yourself and enjoy a cuppa. Come and join us, we will keep you company.

If you would like to join us from Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> of February at 10.30, please email me at [Emma.Wragg@askernspa.doncaster.sch.uk](mailto:Emma.Wragg@askernspa.doncaster.sch.uk) and I will send you an invite via Teams. We look forward to seeing you!



# Active FUSION



## February Half Term @ Spa Academy



# Spa LIVE PE lesson

Mr Gelsthorpe will be doing another  
LIVE PE session this week on

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February at  
9.45am!



Spa PE & Challenges

Links to his live PE sessions and weekly ASPIRE challenges  
are on Teams!

Send us your pictures or post on twitter  
**@SpaAcadAskern**



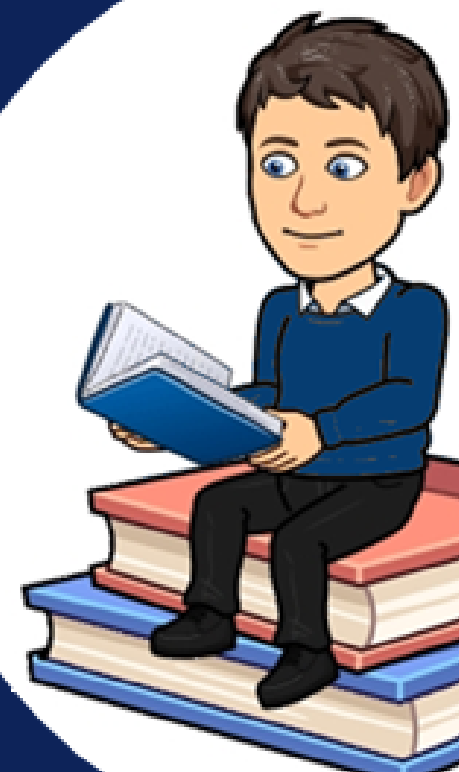
# LEGER LIBRARY BUS



## EVERY WEDNESDAY!

**Spa Academy Askern**, as part of the Leger Education Trust, invite pupils and parents to collect a school reading / story book from our Leger Library Bus that will travel around Askern.

Route, times and safety information will be text to families. Come and collect your reading/story book for the coming week when we stop nearest to your house!







See you all next week!

*Stay Home, Stay Safe!*



FROM ALL THE STAFF AT SPA ACADEMY