

LIFE IN CLASS 5

AUTUMN TERM

2019

LITERACY

We have been inspired by the work of J.K Rowling and the adventures that Harry, Hermione and Ron have at the wonderful school Hogwarts. We have been introduced to some wonderful and interesting characters who have inspired our descriptions when writing. Our theme has been non chronological reports and we have planned, researched and created brochures for Hogwarts.

We love reading from the book during our guided reading sessions and love talking about the meanings behind some of the words and reasons that the author used them.



We continue to use our own sorting hat each week to change our table teams and we love the table of the week trophy!

NUMERACY

| TIMES TABLE CHART | | | | |
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| 1 X 1 = 1 | 2 X 1 = 2 | 3 X 1 = 3 | 4 X 1 = 4 | 5 X 1 = 5 |
| 1 X 2 = 2 | 2 X 2 = 4 | 3 X 2 = 6 | 4 X 2 = 8 | 5 X 2 = 10 |
| 1 X 3 = 3 | 2 X 3 = 6 | 3 X 3 = 9 | 4 X 3 = 12 | 5 X 3 = 15 |
| 1 X 4 = 4 | 2 X 4 = 8 | 3 X 4 = 12 | 4 X 4 = 16 | 5 X 4 = 20 |
| 1 X 5 = 5 | 2 X 5 = 10 | 3 X 5 = 15 | 4 X 5 = 20 | 5 X 5 = 25 |
| 1 X 6 = 6 | 2 X 6 = 12 | 3 X 6 = 18 | 4 X 6 = 24 | 5 X 6 = 30 |
| 1 X 7 = 7 | 2 X 7 = 14 | 3 X 7 = 21 | 4 X 7 = 28 | 5 X 7 = 35 |
| 1 X 8 = 8 | 2 X 8 = 16 | 3 X 8 = 24 | 4 X 8 = 32 | 5 X 8 = 40 |
| 1 X 9 = 9 | 2 X 9 = 18 | 3 X 9 = 27 | 4 X 9 = 36 | 5 X 9 = 45 |
| 1 X 10 = 10 | 2 X 10 = 20 | 3 X 10 = 30 | 4 X 10 = 40 | 5 X 10 = 50 |
| 6 X 1 = 6 | 7 X 1 = 7 | 8 X 1 = 8 | 9 X 1 = 9 | 10 X 1 = 10 |
| 6 X 2 = 12 | 7 X 2 = 14 | 8 X 2 = 16 | 9 X 2 = 18 | 10 X 2 = 20 |
| 6 X 3 = 18 | 7 X 3 = 21 | 8 X 3 = 24 | 9 X 3 = 27 | 10 X 3 = 30 |
| 6 X 4 = 24 | 7 X 4 = 28 | 8 X 4 = 32 | 9 X 4 = 36 | 10 X 4 = 40 |
| 6 X 5 = 30 | 7 X 5 = 35 | 8 X 5 = 40 | 9 X 5 = 45 | 10 X 5 = 50 |
| 6 X 6 = 36 | 7 X 6 = 42 | 8 X 6 = 48 | 9 X 6 = 54 | 10 X 6 = 60 |
| 6 X 7 = 42 | 7 X 7 = 49 | 8 X 7 = 56 | 9 X 7 = 63 | 10 X 7 = 70 |
| 6 X 8 = 48 | 7 X 8 = 56 | 8 X 8 = 64 | 9 X 8 = 72 | 10 X 8 = 80 |
| 6 X 9 = 54 | 7 X 9 = 63 | 8 X 9 = 72 | 9 X 9 = 81 | 10 X 9 = 90 |
| 6 X 10 = 60 | 7 X 10 = 70 | 8 X 10 = 80 | 9 X 10 = 90 | 10 X 10 = 100 |

We are becoming great mathematicians and have been using our new skills to solve problems. During this term we have looked in depth at place value and have used our knowledge to round numbers, looked at negative numbers, ordered them and sorted them in different ways. All of this work helped us with our understanding of addition and subtraction especially when exchanging.

It is also important that we continue to practise our times tables and our weekly test and new programme TT Rockstars will help us when we sit the test at the end of the year.

ART & D.T







This term we have focused on our drawing skills and the use of black and white images. We have used different media and enjoyed using pens to shade with.

We have also been very lucky to have Mr and Mrs Morris come into the class to help us with D.T work. We really enjoyed sewing and then the woodwork sessions were great!



SCIENCE

This term we have looked more closely at animals and the different categories that they can be sorted into.

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| Mammals |  giraffe |  magpie |  green frog |
| Amphibians |  brown snake |  rabbit |  ink saving Eco |
| Reptiles | | | |
| Fish | | | |

HISTORY

Our Egyptian topic was great this term and we really have enjoyed learning how this civilisation lived. We were particularly interested in the Gods and Goddesses and how they planned for their deaths. Mummification was pretty gruesome!

We were interested in how they helped with farming today too.



GEOGRAPHY



We have been learning about the rainforest in Geography and can tell you all about the different layers and the types of animals you would find there.

We were really interested in deforestation and carried out a survey asking people what they thought about the loss of trees and habitats in these areas. We found out from the people we asked that they thought this was a big problem and that it should be stopped.

During this topic we went to Sunderland Winter Gardens and took part in different activities throughout the day.



P.E

This term we have continued with our swimming lessons at Seaview training pool. We have all made great progress as some of us were nervous about learning to swim.



We have had a busy term and especially enjoyed the school Christmas party!

