



We have just completed our first maths unit based on place value. We have covered investigating large numbers up to a million, whilst also exploring rounding. Some children found rounding large numbers to 1000, 10,000 & 100,000 more challenging. The link below will take you into the White Rose home learning videos (weeks 1-3 rounding) which you can share with your child at home:

<https://whiteroseeducation.com/parent-pupil-resources/maths/home-learning?year=year-5-new>

Nrich website has some fun rounding games to try <https://nrich.maths.org/13786>

We are working on our KIRF (key instant recall facts) based around times tables facts up to x12, including the inverse e.g. 144 divided by 12=12. We will be assessing the children's times tables next Monday and allocating them a times table to practise concentrating on the division facts now post MTC. They should still log into Rock Stars to practise at home.



World Mental Health Day is on Saturday 10th October. Next week we will be participating in a whole school Feeling Good homework with a focus on 'belonging.'

Thanks for your support and participation.

Can you help - resources needed?

- Parent reading volunteers (DBS checked) ☺
- Old newspapers
- Paper cups
- Waterproof fabric (old coat)
- wooden chopsticks

Over the next two weeks we will be:

- Going to Wisley on Friday 9th October as a whole year group. Leaving 9:15am prompt!

POLITE REMINDER

Thank you so those who have paid £15 for our trip and completed the permission slip. Although contributions are voluntary, if we do not receive enough funds, we will not be able to run the trip unfortunately.

- Exploring rainforests as an important biome.
- Starting our work on non-chronological reports in English - linking into animal rainforest homework!
- Comparing, grouping and investigating materials based on their scientific properties.
- Working with large numbers; addition and subtraction using the column method.
- Experimenting with mixed media to create land and city scapes in art.
- Learning about the classroom in French.
- PSHE - rewards and consequences relating to rules, rights and responsibilities