



## Home Learning



**Homework:** Will be given out every Friday and needs to be handed in on a Friday. Home learning must be completed to earn Golden Time.

**Topic-** Research and create a poster about WW2.

**Spellings-** considerable, considerably, adorable, adorably, visible, visibly, incredible, incredibly, sensible, sensibly.

**Times Tables-** Play ten games in the studio on Times Table Rockstars.

**Reading-** Please read at least four times a week and discuss your reading.

**Attendance:** Wow our attendance last week was 99.2%! Well done!

Dear Families,

I hope you had a lovely Christmas break. The children have returned to school smiling, full of enthusiasm and ready to learn!

We have been busy in English this week exploring different types of persuasive texts, including adverts, letters, and posters. Children worked together to try to identify the devices that made each of them persuasive and compared two examples. We are beginning to think more about the purpose of the text and who it is aimed at.

During our guided reading lessons, we have begun reading our new class novel 'Friend or Foe' which links with our topic this half term - WW2. A focus this week has been on understanding why the author has started new paragraphs as well as orally rehearsing our response to question about the text.

The children have used fruit and vegetables to learn more about the size of the planets in our Solar System and the order of them from the Sun. The children have a mnemonic to help them to remember the order. See if they can tell you!

In PE, our new focus has been Badminton, and this week we have been practising our racket skills. Children showed some real potential and we are looking forward to our next lesson.

Mrs Julian

### Star of the Week

My star this week is Enya who has been working enthusiastically all week and has been pro-active throughout all of the subjects. She has arrived every day with a smile on her face.

### Presentation Award

Presentation award this week is awarded to Bella. Her work in topic this week contain beautiful handwriting throughout the three pieces and her presentation was amazing!