



THE HARMONY TRUST Westwood Academy



Miss Wimperis says ... A sunny end to a fantastic week of learning! Year 5's thoroughly enjoyed their trip to Manchester Central for the New Scientist live event. We have lots of budding scientists to watch out for in the future!

Miss Wimperis' news

Healthy Start Scheme



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You could get help to buy:

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You can also get free Healthy Start vitamins.

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Year 5's science trip

On Monday, Year 5 attended the very first New Scientist live event in Manchester. They had a fantastic time learning about nano-technology, coding electric devices to light up and experiencing under the sea using VR.



During this trip, children had the opportunity to pilot a virtual drone to find archaeological features and attended a talk by Alina Ivan about how our brain and senses can trick us!



Word of the week

Success means to achieve something that you set out to do.



Attendance Champions!

Well done Year 5!

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Stars of the week



Year group	Stars of the week	Reason for the award
Nursery and Rising 3's	Sara Zihad	Fantastic learning in phonics and being able to confidently recognise words that rhyme For super effort when learning about comparing sizes and being able to name small, medium and big.
Reception	Riad Nahida	For writing a brilliant sentence about the Troll from our story. For being an amazing artistic when painting just like Kandinsky.
Year 1	Harees Adyan	For writing a super fact file about pigs For producing fantastic homework
Year 2	Abdul Hamza U	For independent, fantastic fractions work. For always using his manners and being so polite.
Year 3	All of year 3	For fantastic effort in swimming in all groups this week
Year 4	Shumaiya Tayyib	For settling into your 4 and bring a confident communicator For super contribution in class and always trying his best in lessons
Year 5	Salimah Nathan	For showing a positive learning attitude in EVERY lesson and being a kind and caring member of the class. For settling well into Year 5 and making a positive start to life at Westwood!
Year 6	Noe Sahara	For working hard and producing an excellent piece of English work For working hard in both English and reading booster

What has each class been learning about this week?

EYFS- This week we have been reading the story 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff'. We have been writing about the Troll and describing what he looks like. In Maths, Nursery have been comparing sizes and Reception have been exploring shapes.

Year 1- This week we have been writing a fact file about pigs and wolves. In Maths we have been measuring length and height using a ruler.

Year 2- This week, Year 2 have been writing a splendid story opener describing a smelly, noisy farm and the animals that live there. In Maths, we have been finding a half, a quarter and a third! In Geography, we have been learning about different farms and their purpose.

Year 3- This week in year 3, we have been exploring perimeter in maths and have learnt how to measure and calculate perimeter of shapes. In English, we have been news reporters and researchers in preparation for our news report next week.

Year 4- this week, year 4 have been working on finding decimals. We have used the language; decimal, tenth and place value. In English; we have been learning more facts about Roman Soldiers! We have looked at direct and reported speech. We have created fact files too!

Year 5- This week in English, we have been looking at the features of play scripts and used them to perform in class. In Maths, we have been solving problems involving decimals up to three decimal places.

Year 6- In English Year 6 are planning to write a travel brochure next week and so this week we have been researching what things we could include in our travel brochure. In Maths we have been revising important topics in preparation for SATs. In topic we observed the differences between the UK and Argentina through google maps. Ask us about what the differences are and why!