



## Shark Class Newsletter

Issue 6

### Messages

We have had a fantastic couple of weeks and we have been working so hard. We have had Altru Drama in doing a performance all about Anti Bullying and then we completed a workshop to explore this even further with the cast. We have also celebrated Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children charity- thanks so much for your donations!

Thanks so much to those families who have sent gifts in for Mission Christmas! We are STILL accepting gifts and would appreciate any more gifts next week.

### Guided Reading

- ❖ We have continued to enjoy our Guided Reading sessions based around the poetry anthology Poems from a Green and Blue Planet. The children have performed one of the poems in groups which was a great treat!

### English

- ❖ We have started our new book called Shackleton's Journey by William Grill. This is based on the true historical event of Shackleton and his crew when they went on their treacherous voyage to Antarctica! The children have loved being introduced to the crew and exploring the equipment they had to take on board.

### Maths

- ❖ We have been working on division these past few weeks and grappling away at many methods to support us with dividing, including with remainders.

### Science

- ❖ We have continued to study Rock Cycles, particularly how Igneous, Metamorphic and Sedimentary rocks are formed. Children also explored the job of a geologist and what they do.

### History

- ❖ We have loved learning all about Pre-Historic Britain and what life was like during the Stone Age. We have looked out how early humans developed during the eras of the Stone Age and when and how they began to settle and farm.

More details on the rest of our school's curriculum can be found on the school website.

### News

**P.E. Days** – Wednesday and Thursday

**Snacks** – Please ensure children are bringing healthy snacks to school for break and lunch times

**Times Tables** – Children must still be practising their times tables on TT Rockstars and working on their identified areas of their times tables grid.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @MrMPhillips01 and @WhistonWillis1 on Twitter.



**Thank you for your continued support,**

**Mr Phillips**