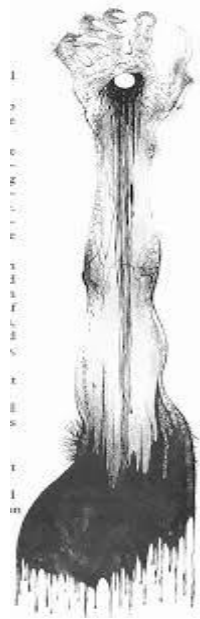




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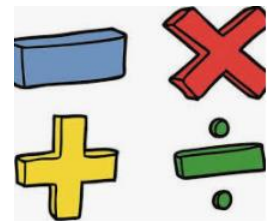


This week we wrote up our Newspaper reports which we have enjoyed reading. We then began our new topic, which is the same story by a different author - Kevin Crossley-Holland. An amazing version of the story, he uses fantastic vocabulary with a very punchy style. We want to encourage the children to write an exciting description of the fight over the next two weeks.

Next week we will be writing the introduction and demonstrate our understanding of prepositional phrases and commas.

Maths

This week we continue assessing, through teaching, the topics set over the lockdown. This is allowing us to embed learning, identify and correct any misconceptions and provide opportunities for deeper understanding through problem solving and reasoning. This week we have looked at multiplication by 2-digit numbers and division using formal written methods also calculating missing angles on a line and around a point. All challenging topics but some great focus was seen in many of the children.



Next week we are continuing work on co-ordinates, 2D and 3D shapes including nets!

How can you help at home?

- Film buffs? Perhaps you fancy a film night. There are many version of Beowulf, some of which are quite graphic. This link is for an animated version https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AJ_N3XH3ntI
- We have started to saw wood to make our Anglo-Saxon houses. They are great at using saws safely - perhaps you could start a DT home project! How about a bird box or key rack?
- Today your child received a book as part of World Book Day, please take time to share and talk about their choices

Congratulations!

This week our Stars of the Week are:

5B: Angel and Keano

5P: Iris and Zach

5S: Scarlett and Aydin



We would also like to say congratulations to everyone for embracing Red Nose Day - lots of red along with lots of smiles! Thank you.

Non Negotiables: Please try to encourage these every day

'Everybody, every day' - being able to read and understand is a fundamental skill so we expect children to read daily to an adult.

Use Spelling Shed to learn spellings ready for Monday testing

Times Table practise on TTRockstars or Hit the Button or Purple Mash.

Tic-Tac-Toe homework is due in on 26th March - please encourage and support your child to complete a minimum of 3 tasks.