

Chestnut Class Newsletter – 8th November



KNAYTON
C of E ACADEMY

STAR OF THE WEEK

Rosie

Alex

Our Learning this week

In English this week we have been collecting facts about Howard Carter's discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb. We also sequence the events that led to the discovery and what he found inside the chambers. Over the next 2 weeks we are building up our skills to apply to a newspaper report about the discovery.

In maths this week Year 3 have been building their conceptual understanding of multiplication. We created concept maps which detailed: repeated addition, word problems and various other multiplication representations. Year 4's have started to develop their fluency with multiplying 1 by 2 digits using the column method. Next week we will continue to build up our fluency with long multiplication methods.

After a fantastic launch on Monday Chestnut class have been exploring more about the ancient Egyptian times. It has been wonderful to see all the work children have done at home, they are all so excited to learn more!

In science this week Year 3's have been learning about which nutrients we get from different foods and why we need them. Year 4's have been busy practising for their remembrance service next Monday.

School Dates

November

Monday 11th- Year 4
Remembrance Service 3pm

Thursday 21st- Year 6 London
trip

Friday 29th - Report to Parents
December

Tuesday 3rd - Whole school flu
immunisation w/c

Monday 9th - Last week of After
School Clubs

Thursday 12th - The Den
Pantomime 3.30-6pm

Monday 16th - School Nativity
Performance 6pm

Tuesday 17th - School Nativity
Performance 2pm & 6pm

Friday 20th - Christmas Service
at Leake Church 1pm Friday

Homework

We have re-introduced Times Table Rockstars in school. This is an online times tables game for your child to play on. This will help them to develop their understanding of times tables, along with practicing their speed. Your child has been provided with their login details.

The school name you need to enter is Knayton CE Primary School. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

Writing homework: What objects did Howard Carter find in Tutankhamun's burial chamber? What did these artefacts teach us about this time in history?

Reminders

Please could your child only bring a small rucksack or school bag to school along with a draw string PE bag.

If your child was in Mr Butterworth's class last year, your child received a letter from a child in his new class last half term. These were sent home, however if possible please could they be brought back in so they can write back? Alternatively they can write their reply at home and bring that in so I can send them off.