



Westleigh Methodist Primary School – Year 3 Summer Highlights



With God, all things are possible – Matthew 19:26

Love Teamwork Thankfulness Generosity Peace Forgiveness Equality Justice

What a fantastic Summer term we have had together learning and growing realising ‘With God, all things are possible’.

English

In English, we have enjoyed reading our class books: Fossil and Goal! The children have produced fantastic pieces of writing including in depth newspaper reports and their own narratives. The children were also given the opportunity to enter a writing competition and created some fantastic, imaginative monster stories.



Mathematics

In Maths, we have developed our knowledge of fractions. We built upon our preexisting knowledge to add and subtract fractions. We used written methods to find fractions of amounts. We also created our own bar charts, using information from the children in the class to find out everyone’s favourite sport and to plot the data as a bar chart.

RE

In RE, we have been learning about religious buildings and how they compare and contrast. The children identified features of churches and mosques and discussed the similarities and differences. As part of our whole school spirituality day, the children enjoyed taking part in a

range of activities organised by the Ethos Committee. We created artwork based on religious paintings. We had a fantastic discussion in class about courageous activism, we identified famous courageous advocates and spoke about how Jesus acted as a courageous advocate.



Science

In Science, our topic has been 'Rocks, soils and fossils'. The children learned about the different categories of rocks and can now confidently explain how each type is formed. The children examined different rocks in class and created their own classification system. They also produced some great cartoon strips explaining the process of fossilisation.



History

In History, we have been learning about Ancient Egypt. The children really enjoyed uncovering lots of fantastic facts about life in Ancient Egypt. They created posters explaining the importance of the River Nile. They wrote their names in hieroglyphics and studied secondary sources to discover the hierarchy of Ancient Egyptian people. As a class, we created wonderful work that we displayed in our History showcase, with some children bringing in amazing work from home. We also got to develop our knowledge of mummification during our trip to Liverpool World Museum.



PE

In PE, we have continued to enjoy our swimming lessons. The children have continued to grow in confidence in the pool. One lesson was spent learning all about water safety and we practised what to do when someone falls into a body of water.