

Year 5 News

Friday 1st April 2022

We have discovered a few artists in year five this week, particularly when using watercolour paints. The children were able to hone their colour mixing skills to show lighter and darker shades of different colours. Things did get a bit messy! We have used these skills to create some Mayan masks and they are fantastic!

Some members of the year five choir also popped up to the upper site on Friday morning to sing to the toddler group in the hall – dojos all around for their effort!!

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths

Multiplication, division, comparison, change, scaling, fractions, rectilinear, known side, unknown side, longer, shorter, heavier, lighter.

English

Relative clause, parenthesis, expanded noun phrases, description, character, setting, fronted adverbials.

HOME LEARNING

Reading – children should aim to read at home for 20-30 minutes every day. This is on top of any reading that they do at school. This can be either reading to an adult or reading independently for pleasure. You can quiz at home by going to this website: <https://ukhosted88.renlearn.co.uk/2236370>

Maths – following discussions about times tables on parent's evenings, please choose some to focus on for this week's homework. Practise them daily!

Times tables – please spend 10 minutes a day practising on TT rockstars: <https://play.ttrockstars.com>

Spellings to learn this week – Sincere sincerely

Class email addresses:

5B@brixington.devon.sch.uk and 5H@brixington.devon.sch.uk

Please make sure homework is completed by Thursday morning. There will be an opportunity on Thursday lunch time to complete activities at school if they have not been done at home.

Notices:

It was fantastic to finally put faces to names and have a parent's evening...
FACE TO FACE!

We really enjoyed having the opportunity to share how fantastic our Year 5 children are and hope you enjoyed coming in to catch up about their learning too.

We hope you enjoyed your glimpse into our currently literacy unit of Macbeth from seeing our crime scene too!

Reading Records

Please make sure you have your reading record with you every day at school and record your reading every day at home.

Any reading you do can be logged in the record, even just five minutes! Date, title and how many pages read.