Wintringham Primary Academy

Year 3 Class Newsletter

Friday 14th February 2025 – Wilson

English & Maths

In English, we have finished reading "Jack and the Baked Beanstalk" by Colin Stimpson. The children loved this story and the twist on the fairy tale which they already knew. The children have written a narrative, where they included a conversation between Jack and the Giant. They then wrote a newspaper report, reporting on the Giant falling from the sky!

In Maths, the children have come to the end of finding strategies to add and subtract 2 digit and 3 digit numbers. We are now starting to learn how to use the column method for addition.

Foundation Subjects

In P.E., the children have been learning and creating their own dance to the song 'Rather Be' by Jess Glynn. They learnt how to count in a beat of 8, dancing at different levels and what a canon is.

In Geography, the children have been learning about human fieldwork. They carried out their own survey about how people travel to school, collected their data, put their data into a bar chart and concluded their findings.

In Computing, the children have been learning about networks and the internet. The children have explored different types of networks, what is included in these, and how they might differ in different places, such as the home, a hospital and a restaurant.

Reminders

Please ensure that children have the correct P.E. kit and school uniform.

A P.E. kit includes: white t-shirt, blue/black shorts, jogging bottoms, blue/black jumper or hoodie.

Please can we ensure that children are always wearing the correct school uniform, including black school shoes.

Homework:

- 15 minutes of TTRockstars a week.
- 5 reads a week for 10 minutes. Please ensure you write in their diary every time they have read either their phonics book or AR book.

If you have any problems, please let us know.
Miss Hopkins

Science

In Science, we have been exploring 'Forces and Magnets'. The children have carried out a range of experiments within this area. They tested if different surfaces affected friction by making a car travel down a ramp on materials such as grass, carpet and wood. They then measured to see how far the car travelled each time.