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St Mary's C of E Primary School

Fox Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 16th June 2023

Dear Families,

Hope you had a lovely half term. I can't believe it's the children's last term in year 3 already!

Now the weather is getting warmer, we have been talking about keeping cool in the playground. We have talked about drinking lots of cold water, finding a shady place to play, less running around and wearing our summer uniform.

Thank you to everyone who has bought wet wipes and delicious ice lollies to help the children to cool down after breaktime, lunchtimes and PE.

Our Learning

Maths

Our topic is shapes. We have been learning about angles. We used a right-angle finder to look for right angles in the environment. We also learned about acute, obtuse angles, vertical, horizontal parallel and perpendicular lines.

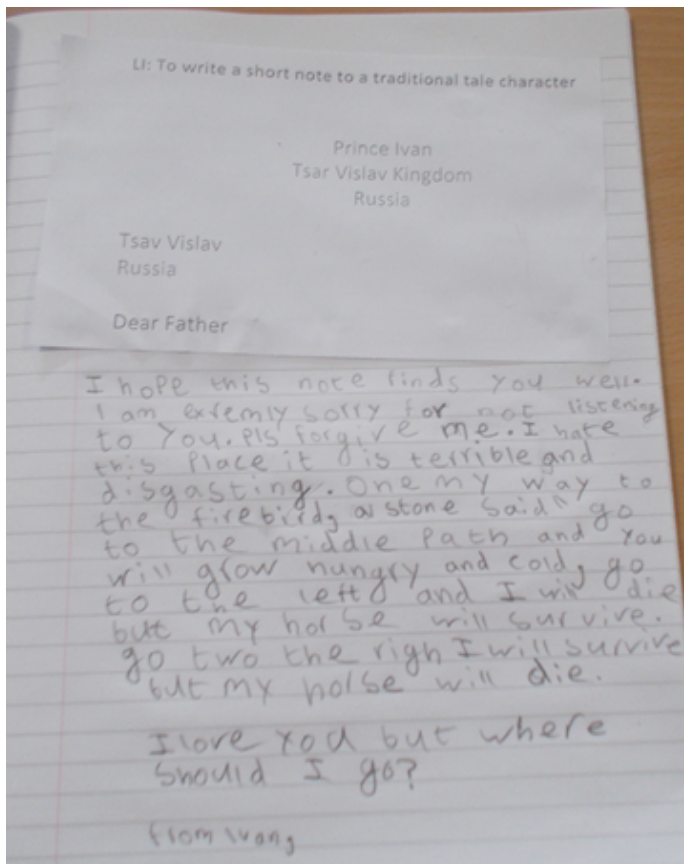


English

Our text this term is a traditional tale '**The Firebird**'. It is a tale about Prince Ivan who goes on a dangerous quest to find the dazzling firebird, which steals golden apples from his father's orchard.

We have now read chapters 1 and 2 and wrote about Prince Ivan's personality (Role on the Wall), a description of the firebird, a

'conscience alley' drama and wrote a note from Prince Ivan to his father Tsar Vislav asking for his advice.



Science

We have started our new topic 'The Nappy Challenge'. We pulled apart the nappies to make observations as to what materials were used to make them.

Art and Geography



We drew and painted pictures of the Firebird from our class story, using lots of reds, oranges and yellows to create the fire effect.

Our topic is coasts. We were learning about physical features found at seaside locations. This week the children discussed their own experiences of visiting the seaside and we drew pictures of what a seaside location looks like.

PSHE

We are looking at 'Changing Me'. The children discussed the changes that happen in humans as we grow up.

Reminders

PE - Tuesdays and Thursdays

19th June - Class Photos

30th June - Key stage 2 Sports Day

8th July - Summer Fair

10th July - Class trip to Walton Firs

21st July - End of term

Please come and speak to us or email if you have any questions or queries. We can be contacted by email on fox@stmarys.rbksch.org

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