

Jade Class News



Friday 4th October



English... This week we have been using conjunctions to make simple sentences longer.

We have been writing basic recounts of our experiences on our trip to Banham Zoo. We had a wonderful time by the way! The children held hissing cockroaches, millipedes and stroked a royal python!

Phonics...

Sounds of the Week – oo, oo, ar, or

Words of the Week – are, her, was, all, they, my, said

Maths... We've been looking at numbers between 10 and 20 and thinking about what their two-digits mean (an amount of ten and a number of ones).

We've shown we can put these numbers in order and we've represented them with both Numicon and dienes.

Music... We've done an African drumming workshop and in keeping with this theme we chose a new 'Song of the Week' – 'Waka Waka' by Shakira! This was the Fifa World Cup 2010 official song! We have also been learning the seven continents song to help us along with our Geography objective this week!

Geography... We zoomed in a little closer on the continent 'Europe' and looked a little closer at its countries. We found the United Kingdom and discussed its different countries and discussed our country England and how Norwich is a city in England. We also looked closely at the continent of Africa and learnt some Zulu words!

Home Learning

Reading – As always, please read together at home every evening.

Maths Home Learning – Maths Home Learning **will be** in book bags.

Using Scissors – We are noticing that lots of children have very poor cutting skills... please practice this at home where possible.

Upcoming dates for your diary...

- **Wednesday 9th October** – Coffee Morning in the School Hall (theme-well-being) ALL WELCOME!
- **Thursday 10th October** – World Mental Health Day
- **Thursday 10th October – 10:30-11:30am** - Early Years Open Morning for anyone with children starting school in September 2020 – PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD!
- **Friday 11th October** – Sponsored Run (more information to follow)
- **Monday 14th October** – Harvest Festival Food Collection Deadline for Foodbank
- **Tuesday 15th October** – Fashion Show (more information to follow)
- **Friday 18th October** – School closes at 3:00pm for October Half Term
- **Monday 28th October** – School reopens for second half of Autumn Term
- **Tuesday 29th October** – Flu Jabs
- **Tuesday 19th November** – Parents Evening
- **Wednesday 20th November** – Parents Evening
- **Wednesday 18th December** – School closes at 3:00pm for Christmas Holiday

NORWICH SCIENCE FESTIVAL 2019

See events on offer for families this year at: <https://norwichsciencefestival.co.uk>

Please don't forget Mr Wilson's Emotional Coaching Workshop and Coffee Morning on **Wednesday 9th October at 9:00am** in the School Hall. We hope lots of you can make it! ☺