

Friday 13th October, 2023.



Rufford Class

What have we been learning about this week?

This week, we have been writing our letters from the perspective of a soldier. We completed our first Gold Write and these were great as we were able to apply everything we have learnt so far this topic.

In Maths, we have been adding and subtracting one from a given number and we then moved on to adding three one-digit numbers together. Please make sure you know the numbers to 100 forwards and backwards!

In History, we have been studying the features of a war memorial and we looked at pictures of the memorials in Worksop and London. We learnt how the Royal Family visit these memorials on Remembrance Sunday and discussed the things we might find there. We then created our own poppies using different craft materials - you can see pictures of these on our class page!

In Science, we have been creating food chains and thinking about how these are affected by changes in the animal population.

In Music, we have been looking at musical notes and learning how to read simple music.

We have celebrated Mental Health Day this week and it was great to see all of the children in bright colours. We completed lots of work related to mental health and this can also be found on the website.

Finally, we have learnt more about Black History Month and studied the life of Floella Benjamin.

Spellings

can't	one
why	must
school	want

Homework Task

For your homework this week, please complete the attached reading comprehension sheet. We will be moving on to reading lessons next half term, where we will focus on answering VIPERS questions and understanding what has been read.

Please email your completed homework to rufford@st-lukes.notts.sch.uk or bring it in to school by Wednesday.

If you have any issues or worries relating to this homework, please let me know.

Reading Books

Thank you to those who have been returning reading books on a Monday and documenting three reads. Please continue with this, but let me know if you are having any problems fitting reading in at home.

Reading books will be changed every Monday. Diaries will be stamped and a sticker will be placed on each bookmark if three reads have taken place that week. These bookmarks are displayed in class and a prize is received if reading is completed on time each half term!

The spelling test is on Wednesday 18th October. Remember to practise!