

This week we have practised some grammar skills, converting between direct and reported speech as well as identifying types of sentence—command, question or statement. Try it out at home:
Tidy your room! Have you tidied your room? You've tidied your room.

Spelling— The children have been given a list of common SATS spellings from the previous ten years. We will be testing some of these each week at random.

Group Reading will take place as usual next week.
Please read regularly with your child and ask questions about the meaning of what they've read.

Just to let you know...

Comic Relief was amazing today! Thank you for your generosity and support. We'll let you know how much was raised!




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This week we considered how to make choices, weighing up the risks involved, Martin Brunet, a local GP came in to discuss with the children the reasons why people smoke and explained the health consequences of cigarettes.

In maths this week, we have introduced algebra—simply using letters in place of numbers and cracking a code
 $x + 5 = 8$ so $x = 3$

We also consolidated measuring skills, reading scales, converting between units and explaining Imperial measures and their metric equivalent. See if your child knows which is bigger: kg or pound, litre or pint, mile or km...
Why not look at some of the lessons on my maths?
www.mymaths.co.uk/ (with login pewley and password squared)

Dear Parents,
It was lovely to meet with you at parents' evening this week.. Do keep checking here to keep up to date with ways in which you can support your child at home at this important time.
Remember next Wednesday is the Music Festival for those involved in the choir and orchestra/recorders and next Friday is Fluffy!
Enjoy the weekend.
Best wishes,
Clare, Mary, Sarah, Tracey and Helen.

head	Washing	Biggest	Perform	Stopping	Ready	First	Million	Most	Camped
Attention	Before	Fighting	Involved	Emergency	Themselves	Gleaming	Amongst	Journey	Hopeful
Recent	Healthy	Stopped	Building	Destination	Advertise	Castles	Creatures	Interesting	Sunny
Additional	Disease	Festival	Qualified	Generally	Stripes	Century	Different	Exciting	Breeze
Illuminate	Serious	Bodies	Disguised	Prevent	Attempts	Structures	Common	Cities	Beginning
Probably	Material	Approximately	Ensure	Destructive	Injured	Necessary	Frequently	Countryside	Practice
Causing	Process	Encourage	Smoothly	Between	Future	Foundations	Encounter	Materials	Arrived
Directly	Essential	Extremely	Thoroughly	Transported	Surprise	Extremely	Believe	Delivered	Mysterious
Distraction	Available	Original	Planned	Selects	Perfectly	Weight	Crawl	Centre	Widest
Effectively	Survive	Follow	Important	Released	Swimming	Passenger	Trapped	Required	Carefully
Surroundings	Supply	Raising	Knowledge	Extinguishing	Change	Climbing	Actually	Successful	Direction
Expecting	Release	Symbol	Realistic	Carried	Produce	Importantly	Slippery	Known	Moving
Uncomfortable	Surprising	Highly	Participate	Headquarters	Technique	Expensive	Aware	Noisy	Opposite
Difficult	Advantage	Throughout	Tumble	Important	Vanishing	Pierce	Hedges	Engines	Grabbed
Texture	Properties	Wrestling	Challenging	Inspecting	Designed	Difficult	Purpose	Capable	Gradually
Fascinating	Medicine	Transformed	Escaping	Challenging	Known	Preserve	Largest	Including	Almost
Friends	Physical	Judged	Special	Strength	Nastiest	Environment	Spreading	Carriages	Excited
Vary	Varieties	Accuracy	Effortless	Excellent	Individual	Pollution	Particularly	Developed	Creature
Natural	Remember	Audience	Together	Physically	Serious	Generation	Unusual	Special	Disappeared
importantly	design	colourful	rehearsed	families	regardless	complete	anchors	invention	believe

Red show words that have come up more than once over the last few years eg important 4 times!

Blue shows the common types of patterns that are tested eg. Tion, plurals (especially words ending in y), doubling letters when adding ing or ed, dis, ful, dropping e when adding ing, trans, dg,