

Topic fun

We began the week with a flight to Africa. As we flew over this amazing continent we explored the different kinds of landscapes we could see from our aeroplane, using our research skills to find facts about the different countries, animals and cultures. We have spent the week

listening to stories from different parts of Africa and having a go at planning our own.

Writing Corner

We have done lots of story planning this week—why not have a go at writing a story. You could even make a book and draw some pictures to go with your words. We would love to see the finished item!

Don't forget...

A beginning—who is your story about and where does it happen?

A middle—something surprising, unexpected or scary happens.

An ending—how does it all get sorted out?

Maths Corner

More problem solving this week—oh and we've been remembering the names of different shapes and using their properties in our problem solving.

Look round your house—what shapes can you find? Take some photographs; house points for the most unusual!

Problem solving using money....

I have 27p in my hand. What is the smallest number of coins I could be holding?

I need to save up £65 to buy a bike. I save £10 each week. How many weeks do I need to save up for?

Things to remember...

Thank you to everyone who came to one of the curriculum evenings! It was lovely to see you and we hope it was helpful.

You should have had a letter to book a parents evening appointment. If you haven't seen one, frisk your child's book bag and then come and ask! We will get appointments out as soon as we can next week.

I'm bored box.

Africa is an amazing continent with beautiful scenery and extraordinary wildlife. Use the computer or magazines to find lots of pictures, find some paper and glue and make an African collage.



Nuts and bolts.

This week we have been practising spelling words with *ing* endings.

Coming going playing
helping walking jumping

We have been practising these joins in our handwriting.