



Grange Primary School News of the Week



ISSUE 6

FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER 2019

Term Dates 19/20

Autumn Term 1

Wednesday 4th
September—
Friday 18th
October 2019

Half Term

Autumn Term 2

29th October –
19th December

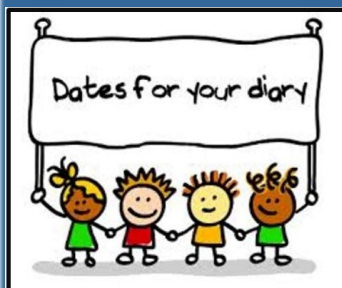
Spring Term 1

6th January—
14th February

Half Term

Spring Term 2

25th February—
3rd April



Dear Grange families,

Reminder: Secondary School Applications

Please let the school office know if you are experiencing any difficulties applying for secondary schools. The closing date is **Thursday, 31st October 2019.**



Summertime officially ends on Sunday, 27th October 2019. The clocks go back and we revert to Greenwich Mean Time again. The mornings get lighter and evenings darker. Don't forget to change your clocks!

Enjoy your well-deserved half term!

See you all on **Tuesday, 29th October 2019 at 08:45am!**

Best wishes from the Grange Team.

Grange Football League

Last week our Year 5/6 Football Team went off to Bacon's College to represent our school in a football match against Rotherhithe Primary school. Our girls team won their first game in the league 9-0 against Rotherhithe Primary school. Ella and Alexis scored an amazing 4 goals each! While Fatima scored one goal and Latifah made two fantastic saves.

We are super proud of the team and we look forward to them taking part in other matches throughout the year!



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Star

In Star Class we are beginning to learn about the autumn, now that the weather is feeling more autumnal! This week Aurora brought an autumn leaf in to school. She had noticed the beautiful orange colour of the leaf.



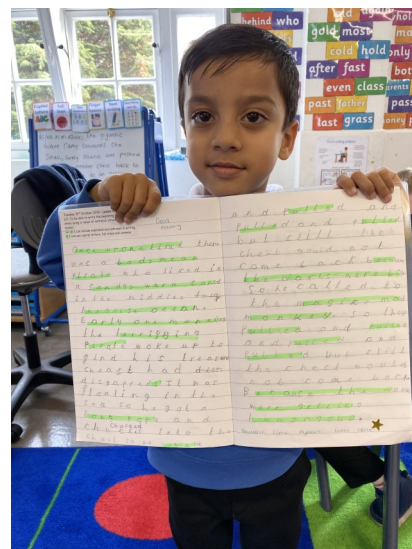
Venus

In Venus Class, our writing has improved as we have spent time practising our handwriting on our whiteboards on a daily basis. We have also been writing out numbers using the correct formation. We have been learning 2D and 3D shapes and patterns in Maths. We have had an amazing week so far.



Mars

This week the children in Mars class wrote their own versions of the story 'The Treasure Island'. The children had a go at adding alliteration and simile sentences to their work.

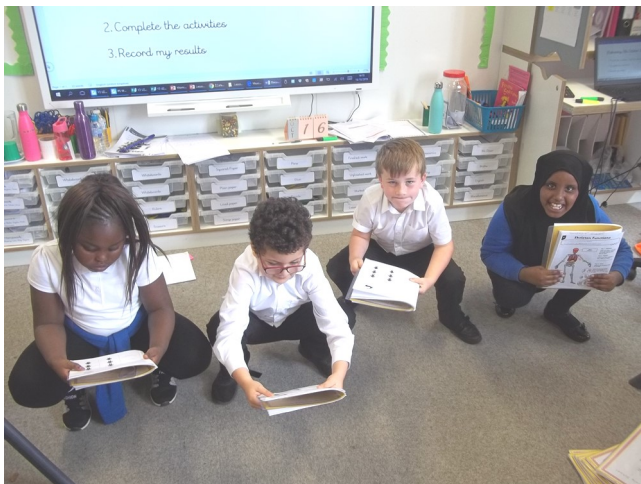


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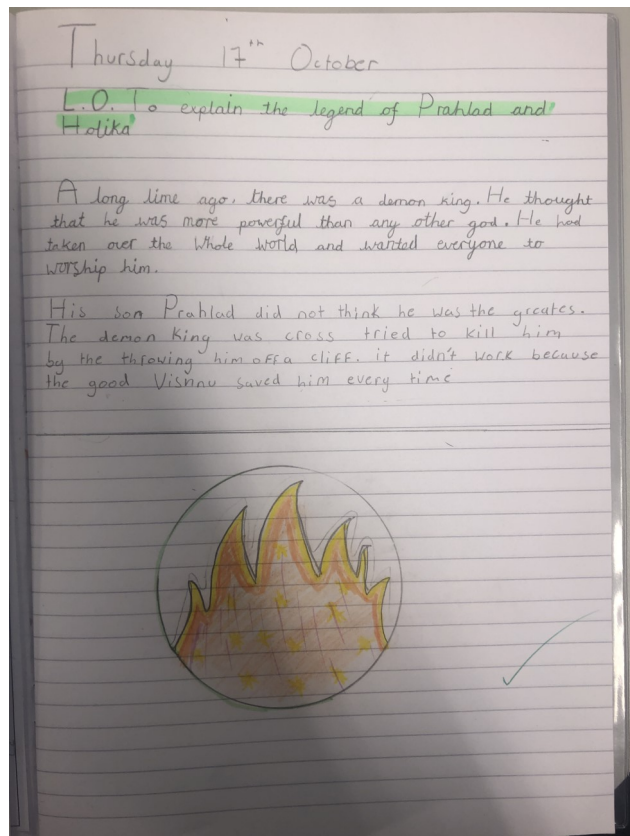
In Science this week, Year 3 were learning about muscles and how they help us move. We planned carried out a scientific enquiry where we got to investigate which muscles we have and which ones we use during different activities. The children developed their predicting skills and then recording their results. In English we have continued to look at the book Princess Smartypants and began to write their own version of the end of the story. This week in maths we have continued to look at 3-digit numbers and rounding these to the nearest ten and hundreds.

Galaxy

Year 4 have enjoyed learning about Hinduism this week. We have researched into different gods and goddesses.

Upcoming Events

Half term!
Children will return to
school on
Tuesday 29th October 2019



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Neptune

This week, Neptune have been learning about Mary Seacole as part of Black History Month. We are entering a competition describing who our modern day Mary Seacole is, someone who shares some of the same qualities and is an inspiration to us.

Aurora

We have been reading and learning about a book called Journey to Jo'Burg, which is written by an author called Beverley Naidoo. The book is about a poor 12 year old girl called Naledi and her 8 year old brother who set off from their village on an adventure to find their mother who works in the city of Johannesburg. Their baby sister is very sick and they need their mother to come home and help as they have no money themselves to take the baby to see a doctor. On their journey they find out all about the injustice of apartheid and how people were treated differently based on the colour of their skin.



ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

School Year 2018-19		%
Attendance	Whole School	96.1%
Key Stage 1 Winner	Mars	98.5%
Key Stage 2 Winner	Sky	99.1%
Punctuality	Whole School	97.6%
Key Stage 1 winner	Mars	100%
Key Stage 2 winner	Aurora	99.6%

London Fire Brigade

Years 2 and 5 attended Fire Safety workshops run by LFB. The children learnt about hazards and what to do if a fire occurs.



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