



Curriculum Newsletter

End of Autumn 1 2023



Our Big Question was: What is a community?

I think it's safe to say we have had an extremely busy first half term! We have really focused on getting to know each other, exploring our interests and discussing the communities we belong to. It has been fantastic to see the boys bonding and finding common ground. A huge connection has been video games; all pupils have been able to share their favourites and we have been delighted to see them carefully debating the pros and cons of different games and programmes!

A big highlight for us this term was 'The Wymering News' report. Pupils planned their roles, scripted lines, picked locations and filmed their very own news and weather report over the course of two days. It was great to see the class working together and choosing the roles they felt the most comfortable with. We all really enjoyed the premiere - here are some screenshots from the final version!



Photos of our learning this half term



A reminder... Things to bring into school:

- **A water bottle.** If your child prefers to drink squash during the day, please send in a new bottle of undiluted squash and we can keep this in school for them.
- **A change of clothes.** We often take part in messy or wet activities, so a spare set of clothes is essential! This doesn't have to be school uniform. We can keep this in school until needed.
- **A breaktime snack.** Some of our pupils get hungry before lunchtime so please do feel free to send a breaktime snack for them to have in the morning.



Upcoming Events

- *The last day of school before half term is Friday 20th October. School finishes at normal time.*
- *Parents Evening is Thursday 2nd November 4.30 - 6.30pm. Jade will be in touch very soon to make an appointment if she hasn't already done so!*

"A particular highlight for me this half term was the kindness activity. The class all successfully volunteered a kind comment about another pupil or a member of staff" - Jade

"You have been working so well in maths boys - very proud of you all!" - Kimberly

Contacting us

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