

Yr3 Learning Letter - Friday 10th February 2017

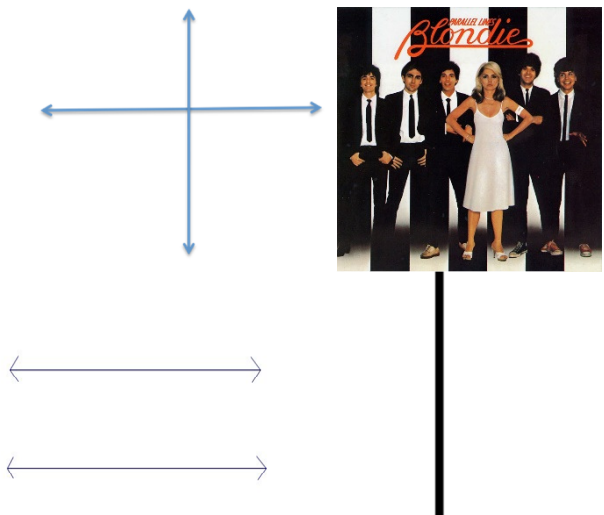
Martha & Lisa's class

English

A lot of beautiful writing has been done this week, as the children completed their 'Visit Forest Hill' booklets. Bringing together all of the report writing they have been working on over the past few weeks, the booklets are organised and informative. Everyone is looking forward to showing theirs off at Parents' Evening!

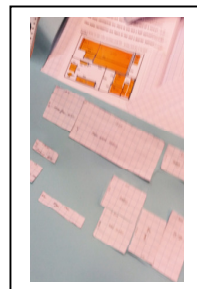
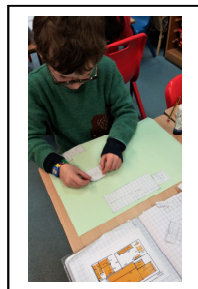
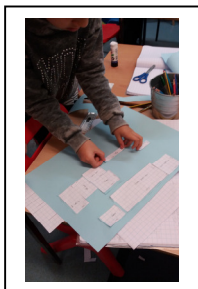
Maths

The children have learnt lots of new vocabulary in maths this week, as they learnt to identify parallel, perpendicular, horizontal and vertical lines. We found out that pairs of parallel and perpendicular lines are everywhere once you start looking for them! Maybe you could look for some at home too.



Can you name the type of line?

Also the children returned to their scale map making. It was a tricky task, and the children needed to be super resilient and use all of their collaborative, number and problem solving skills. You will be able to view their scale maps during parent evening week.



Foundation

We had a busy investigative science afternoon on Monday when we found out lots more about magnets and magnetism. This included making compasses out of paperclips (which actually worked!); finding out about the North and South poles of a magnet; investigating magnetic and non-magnetic metals; and testing the strength of different magnets. The children collaborated in teams and then explained their findings to the rest of the class.

Quite a lot of our computing session this week was spent finding out how important it is to spell email addresses right! Despite getting quite frustrated with some of the unsuccessful attempts to send emails, a valuable lesson was learnt and we are all looking forward to carrying on this topic at the beginning of next half term.

PE

Today was our last dance lesson. The children have so loved the piece of music and being able to interpret it so freely. We really do have some budding Darcy Bussells and Carlos Acostas in our class!



English

Roald Dahl reading comprehension attached!

Maths

The perimeter is 20cm. How many rectangles can you draw?

Extra Challenge: Can you convert different measurements from mm, to cm to m?

Now try these:

<u>Double numbers</u>	<u>Half Numbers</u>
Double 1 is _____	Half 2 is _____
Double 2 is _____	Half 4 is _____
Double 3 is _____	Half 6 is _____
Double 4 is _____	Half 8 is _____
Double 5 is _____	Half 10 is _____
Double 6 is _____	Half 12 is _____
Double 7 is _____	Half 14 is _____
Double 8 is _____	Half 16 is _____
Double 9 is _____	Half 18 is _____
Double 10 is _____	Half 20 is _____
Double 11 is _____	Half 22 is _____
Double 12 is _____	Half 24 is _____

Now calculate the double and half of all the odd numbers from 1 - 25!

Can you think of a cunning plan to help you half the odd numbers quickly?