# Amethyst Class Newsletter

## Our learning this week....

# **Which Pathway Will You Take?**

#### **Maths**

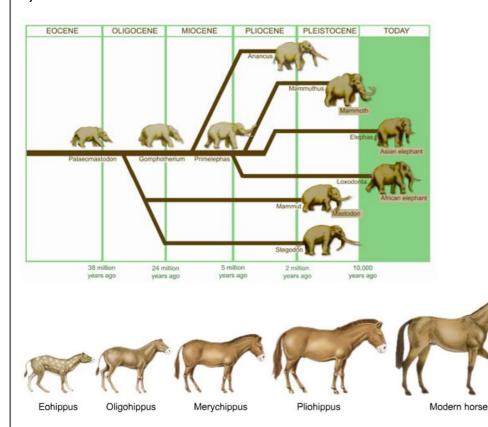
Revision of topics that the children have identified as weak areas: We have focused on solving multi-step word problems, long division and Venn diagrams.

## **English**

The children have written a persuasive letter from Hrothgar to Beowulf. The letter was begging the well known hero to come and rid them of the terrible beast Grendel.

### **Science- Evolutionary Pathways**

The children have chosen an animal to research. They have been finding out how they are adapted to suit their environment. There have been some interesting discoveries about the evolutionary paths of the different species. The first ancestors of a horse were actually only 40cm tall and the first elephants were also very tiny-the size of a pig! We have all been fascinated by the research so far.



#### **Next Week...**

Top Tips for SATs week...

- Have a good night's sleep – early to bed.
- Eat breakfastmany children in the past have had something extra special e.g bacon roll or Pain au Chocolat during SATs week!
- Bring a water bottle to school everyday
- Arrive on time
  as there is
  nothing worse
  than turning up
  flustered and in
  a rush.
- SMILE as you have all worked so hard and have ALL made amazing progress this year.