

# Amethyst Class

## Newsletter



### Our learning this week...

#### Year of the Arts

##### English

We have focused on SPAG this week and in particular looked at using, creating and recognising synonyms and antonyms (ask your child to explain they all now know!).

##### Maths

Our calculation unit has moved on to multiplication. Focusing on written methods for long multiplication and multiplying with decimals. All seem secure with this method but there are a small handful of children who found this harder because they have slow times table recall, it really brings home the importance of having those facts to hand.

##### Possible T.V Viewing

On Sunday night there is the showing of Peter Jackson's WW1 film "War in Colour" at 9.30pm on BBC. This might be worth recording to maybe watch clips with your child as there is some good footage of the trenches. You would probably want to watch first to check which parts are appropriate.

##### Pop Up Poppy Shop!

All of the children have taken a turn in running the poppy stall in the playground at breaktimes. It has proved popular with the rest of the school and lots of money has been raised for the Royal British Legion.



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