

# Opal Class News



1<sup>st</sup> March 2024

## How has our week been?

*This week, the children have been looking at fractions, adding and subtracting them. This was then further challenged by adding and subtracting through mixed fractions which extended into adding and subtracting fractions where the children needed to find the common denominator. This was a big challenge but they showed great perseverance. In English, we have written our explanation texts and the children are editing and checking their learning against the WAGOLL. In our project, the children have completed their history and are now moving onto RE and DT.*



## Key dates coming up:

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March – Miss Clark will not be working as she is on an all day course in Birmingham, The children have already been informed.

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day (dress up as your favourite character with £1 donation request)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March – “Biggest Football” Session – please wear PE kit today instead of Tuesday.

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March – Comic Relief (Dress in Red with £1 donation – if you bring a nose, write your

Coming up next week Learning focused	Way to support at home (home learning)
We are finishing fractions next week and we will be revisiting multiplication and division methods.	Children can revisit these methods on Mathletics. Practising their times tables on TTRS would also be very useful.
In English, we shall be having world book day. The children shall be dressing up and they can bring in their favourite book to share.	Organise a costume and talk about their favourite book at home to help prepare for sharing on World Book Day.
Develop comprehension skills in reading Each Wednesday morning, we listen to all children read.	Read and ensure that reading records are in every day.
In RE, we shall be learning about Islam. The children can reflect on what they remember from previous study.	Discuss knowledge of the Islam faith.