

Pearl Class Newsletter

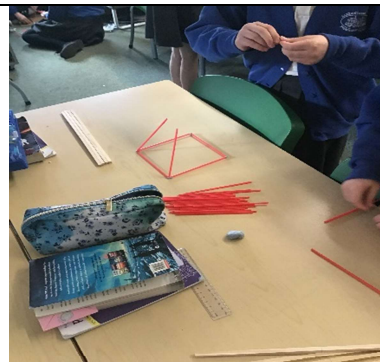
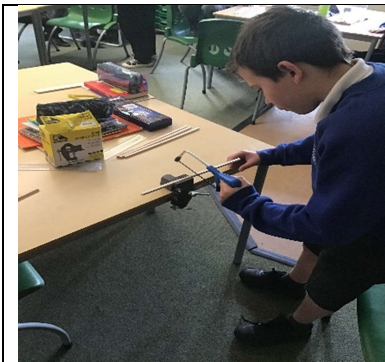


This week has been a busy week. The children have enjoyed learning new things and being more practical in their lessons.

In maths this week, the children have been adding and subtracting fractions. First, we started off easy by adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator. We then moved onto adding subtracting mixed numbers and fractions (still with the same denominators). We then ended the week adding and subtracting fractions with different denominators! But the children realised they were of the same multiple so knew they just had to make them the same!

During English this week, the children have been writing an explanation text all about reversible and irreversible changes. They already had prior knowledge of this from their science last term. The children were using facts that they already knew, research from last week and literary techniques to create their own text.

For one of our DT units this term, the children were tasked with creating a Maya temple. This week, the children used wood and saws to cut 8 pieces of wood to form the base of their temples. All the children had a go and were very successful! They are excited to create their temple in the coming weeks.



Coming up next week Learning focused

Maths: Multiplying fractions
DT: Using hot glue to join wood together
RE: Charity
Geography: Central America (linking to the Ancient Maya)

Way to support at home (home learning)

Mathletics (4 – 5 set a week)
TTRS (at least once a week)
Reading (at least 5 times a week)
Termly home learning: Maya Masks (due 8.3.24)

Key dates coming up:

Chinese lessons (every Thursday this term)

Kilve Court – 20th – 22nd March

Project Outcome – 26th March (times TBC)