

PEARL CLASS NEWSLETTER

Friday March 6th 2020

ASPIRATIONS WEEK

Thank you to all the parents who came and visited Pearl Class during this week . It was really interesting to find out about the variety of jobs that people in our school community do and I know that many of the children have been inspired . After the visits ,we talked a lot about the importance of setting goals and having the mindset needed to achieve them. I think the children were surprised to see how the Elli skills we use in class are transferable to the adult workplace - perseverance , problem solving ,team work,curiosity etc. We also had a visit from an ex pupil who is now a forensic police officer and she demonstrated how finger and footprints are taken at crime scene and the children were fascinated .



Next week :

- We are continuing to monitor the children's reading and the expectation is still that they read at least 5 times a week .Sadly, last week a few children didn't achieve this and they were disappointed not to have earned the extra 5 mins play on Friday . Please could you continue to support your child to read at home and also remember to sign their reading record book at the end of the week –thank you .
- We have also come to the end of the year 5 /6 spelling list and I have decided that we will embed the spelling of these words in a dictation in the forthcoming weeks . This will encourage the children to practise speed writing skills, use the words in context and help improve their writing stamina . The children will come home on Monday with the extract in their spelling books.

Mrs Moncrieff

