

This Week

JACK AND THE BEANSTALK

We have had another fun week focusing on the fairytale - Jack and the Beanstalk. As part of the whole school approach to Talk for Writing we have enjoyed retelling the story using actions, writing story maps and annotating them. Through role play the children have participated in freeze frames and hot seating activities. There is another two weeks of Talk for Writing learning, so watch this space!

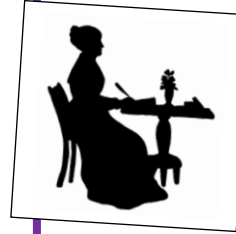
In Maths, we looked at multiplication. We started to look at related number facts in multiplication. If we know $2 \times 3 = 6$ then, $20 \times 3 = 60$, $200 \times 3 = 600$ and so on. We then moved on to multiplying using the **GRID METHOD**. Why not ask your child to show you how to multiply numbers using the Grid Method.

x	30	5
7	210	35

$$210 + 35 = 245$$

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Friday 17th March 2017



Talk for Writing in action

A Freeze Frame activity



The Austen Class Small Act of Kindness is to share some art. We have painted some Spring pictures using water colours. In the coming weeks, these paintings will be displayed in our local Sainsburys. The idea is to bring a little Spring cheer to our local community. Please do take the time to go and see your child's work.



Let's celebrate!

Proud cloud: Seb - for excellent effort with his volcano project

Fine Diner: William - for excellent table etiquette

Pre- Learning

Next week in Maths we will be looking at 'area and perimeter'. Please help your child to find out the difference between the two maths concepts. Have a look at <http://www.showme.com/sh/?h=RwXqztA>

Knowing their definitions will be helpful too.

Have a Lovely weekend!

Mrs D'Sylva and Mrs Holmes