Mulberry Class

29th November 2018

Dear Parents,



This term continues to be busy and we are packing so much in. The house matches last Wednesday were a real success, the children all took part with great enthusiasm and team spirit. We ended last week with a math-tastic day learning all about Fibonacci and his famous number sequence. Year 5 made their own patterns using Fibonacci's number sequence and some of us even used a compass to draw accurate spirals over our pattern. Ask your child to tell you where you find the Fibonacci sequence in every day life!

In Maths, we have left number for a little while and have moved on to perimeter and area. The children have been experimenting with different strategies to find the perimeter in rectangles. Next we will use our knowledge of perimeter and shape to move on and look at finding the area of a shape.

In English we have completed our non-chronological reports and are now moving on to some narrative writing. The children will be writing their own story quests and we have begun our learning by looking at a beautifully illustrated book called 'The Quest' to inspire us.

As part of our computing lessons we are now using the program 'Excel' to create our own spreadsheets and format them before creating graphs and charts. We continue to have class discussions about how to keep ourselves safe online so please do keep talking to your child about what they know about keeping safe online.

Your children continue to impress us with their homework contributions all about the Maya. In addition to your child choosing a

project if they wish it is really important that they are learning their spellings and times tables.

Kind Regards

Mrs Winter and Miss Durkin