Weekly Word













15.7.2022

To all Parents/Carers,

Another varied and eclectic week at Markeaton to report on! Top left we have children doing some creative writing about the life cycle of a butterfly. They have been learning all about the different stages in Science and then translating what they know into a piece of text.

Middle left we have some Y5 children stood behind their enterprise stall. For the past week or so they have been researching, marketing and advertising a traditional fairground game e.g. splat the rat, tin can alley etc. They made posters, a logo, an advert and generated enthusiasm in school! On Wednesday, all of the stalls were in the playground and parents/carers were invited in to have a go and spend some money! They raised over £100 and now they can decide what to spend it on!

Well done!

Bottom left we have our children in Y6 at Lea Green enjoying their end of year residential. They took part in canoeing, rock climbing, abseiling, stream walks and lots more! And apparently, they were in bed and asleep by 11pm both nights!!!

In other news, it is well known that next Monday and Tuesday particularly are going to be incredibly hot in school. We have had no direction from the local authority to close but we are taking lots of precautions in school to make sure the children are safe, comfortable and hydrated. There was an email that went out earlier in the day explaining everything that we are doing so please have a good read. There will be lots of shade created on the field and we will be telling the children not to run around and do what they would normally do at breaktime and lunchtime.

And finally – thank you to everyone who has completed the end of year questionnaire. We have had nearly 200 response which is amazing. Feedback on the results will be presented in the new year and how we have responded.

Have a nice weekend!

Mr I. Johnson