

# Year 6 Newsletter

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### LEARNING TOGETHER RESPECTING EACH OTHER SUCCESS FOR ALL

### This Week:

This week in our maths learning we have been looking at converting measures of length, capacity and mass. In our next step groups, we began by securing our method of multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. Some of us then

progressed onto applying this to basic conversions e.g. converting millimetres to litres or metres to centimetres.

In our English this week, we were set the task of writing complaint letters informing Amazon of the bad service we received from them. We began by looking at our complaint toolkit such as rhetorical questions and flattery. Next, we carried out a drama activity which involved us pairing up with a partner and pretending one of us were an Amazon representative and the other the complainer. Lastly, we began to develop our complaint toolkit for writing and applied this to drafting out our introduction paragraph.

# **Height And Weight Reminder**

As part of the National Child Measurement Programme, children from Year 6 will have their height and weight measured by Hertfordshire Community NHS trust. This will take place Tuesday 27th February.

### **Next Week:**

Next week in our English learning we are going to continue writing our complaint letters whilst focusing on sentence structure. We are going to be using a range of conjunctive adverbials (such as therefore and in addition) to join our clauses together and extend our sentences.

In maths, we are going to move on to applying our conversions understanding. This will include revising our four operations e.g. what is 3 metres added to 75 centimetres.

# **Stars Of The Week**

Freddie-Ray for always attending his after school boosters and showing determination to always do his best. We are really proud of the progress you are making - keep it up!

Aaron for drafting an incredible first draft introduction to his complaint letter. It was brilliant to see that he was trying to incorporate some of our complaint toolkit into his paragraph.

# **After School Boosters**

Just a reminder that it is really important that everyone attends their boosters regularly. They are having a really positive impact upon everyone both academically and in terms of their confidence. Please ensure that if your child is not going to be attending their booster, you let their teacher know.