

Good afternoon Snakes!

This week in our English lessons, we learned a new story about a boy who visits a magical world. We explored how the use of the past progressive and past perfect tenses helped in the retelling of the story.

In our maths lessons this week we have been looking at writing decimals and what happens when whole numbers are divided by 10.

During our science lesson this week, we observed the changing state of ice and monitored temperature changes in different parts of the school.

Our pupils of the week are:

Tyler G: For working hard and supporting his partner when solving problems with decimal numbers.

Annie E: For using her knowledge of electrical circuits to help other children build their torches.

Please remember to allow your child to practise their spellings at home. As Year 4 children will also be required to take the government's mandatory times tables check during the summer term, practising their times tables on <https://play.ttrockstars.com/> is important. Your child is set the task of playing 25 games per week (approx 1 min per game), though as much practice as possible would be recommended to master this vital mental maths skill.

Finally, please remember to remind your child to read at home for a minimum of 10 minutes per day; a mixture of reading aloud and to themselves is preferable.

Many thanks and have a great weekend,

Mr Bell