



# Leopard Class Newsletter



In our English lessons this week, we have started learning about non-chronological reports. We have identified the key features of a report and discovered that they need to have a title, pictures and sub-headings. We have also linked these lessons to our 'Save Our Seas' topic by making up our own sea creature by merging two existing creatures together. For example, an octopus and a jellyfish becomes an octojelly. Next week we will start to make up facts about our sea creature and eventually have a go at writing a non-chronological report about it!

In maths we have continued looking at numbers to 50 by placing them on a number line correctly and using this knowledge to complete unfinished number lines. We have also been estimating where different numbers would be placed on a blank number line.

In our 'Save our Seas' topic, we finished making our posters with a wheel mechanism. We are all really pleased with how they have turned out!

This week in Science, we explored what grows underneath the ground. We learnt about tap roots and branching roots and sorted different plants into groups. I wonder if your child can tell you the difference between a tap root and a branching root!

In RE, we learnt about the Jewish festival of Hanukkah. We discovered why Hanukkah is celebrated and learnt about the miracle of the oil lasting for eight days.

## **PE**

Please note that our PE days are on a Monday (outdoor) and Thursday (indoor).

## **Stars of the Week**

Well done to Carter, Diana and Florence for receiving a certificate this week!

Have a great weekend!

Miss Dallow and Mrs Wright 😊