



Frog News

Friday 25th September

Maths

This week, we have been finishing our unit on place value. We have been learning how to round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1,000, 10,000 and 100,000. Some of these were tricky, but we will continue to practise our rounding skills throughout the year. We also completed an end-of-term assessment to show what we have learned so far.

English

We have started writing our warning tales, writing a paragraph each day. We have been using lots of the features from our writing toolkit, including *show, don't tell*, fronted adverbials and expanded noun phrases, to make our writing more descriptive and engaging.

Topic

In Topic, we have been learning about the **journey of a river** and the different features found along its course. We explored key vocabulary including **meanders, oxbow lakes, tributaries and confluences**, discussing what each of these features means. We also practised identifying and labelling them on river diagrams.

Computing

In Computing, we have been learning about systems and networks. We discussed what a system is and explored how messages are sent across networks. We learnt about routers and how messages are broken into packets before being sent to their destination.

Art

In Art, we have been learning about **Claude Monet and Impressionism**. We looked at some of Monet's artwork and explored the key features of the Impressionist style. We then created our own drawings inspired by Monet, using charcoal to experiment with lines, shading and texture.

Well done to Rosie and Rowan for getting a certificate this week!

Have a great weekend!

Miss Pullen