



Frog News

Friday 16th October

Maths

This week, we have been exploring factors, common factors, prime numbers, square numbers and cube numbers. We have been developing our understanding of these key mathematical concepts and practising how to identify and use them.

English

In English, we have been planning and writing our discussion text based on the question “*Is homework necessary?*” We have been using our writing toolkit to include sophisticated vocabulary, colons, conjunctive adverbials and counterarguments to make our writing more persuasive and effective.

Topic and Computing

We have started a research project in groups, focusing on a world-famous river. We have been researching important information about our chosen rivers, including their size, source, mouth, journey and the animals that live in and around them. We will use our research to create presentations to share our findings.

Science

In Science, we have been investigating the planets by looking at patterns in data and exploring what we can observe about them. We have been using our observations to develop our understanding of the planets in our Solar System.

Art

In Art, we have continued exploring Impressionism, building on our learning from last week. We looked at Claude Monet’s *Water Lilies* paintings and used watercolours to create our own artwork inspired by his Impressionist style, experimenting with colour and brushstrokes.

Well done to Olivia D and Harry for getting a certificate this week!

Have a lovely weekend!
Miss Pullen