



# Year 5 and 6 Newsletter

Friday 17th December 2021

## What have we been learning?

### Year 5

We started our week with a walk along the Heathway. We looked at the different shops in our local area, before learning about the economy and debating why fair trade is so important.

In English this week, we have been reading and writing Kenning poems.

In Maths, we have been calculating the area of irregular shapes and learning the associated "tricks" to help us.

### Year 6

In Maths, we solidified our knowledge of everything arithmetic-based, before completing festive worksheets linked to co-ordinates and translation of shapes.

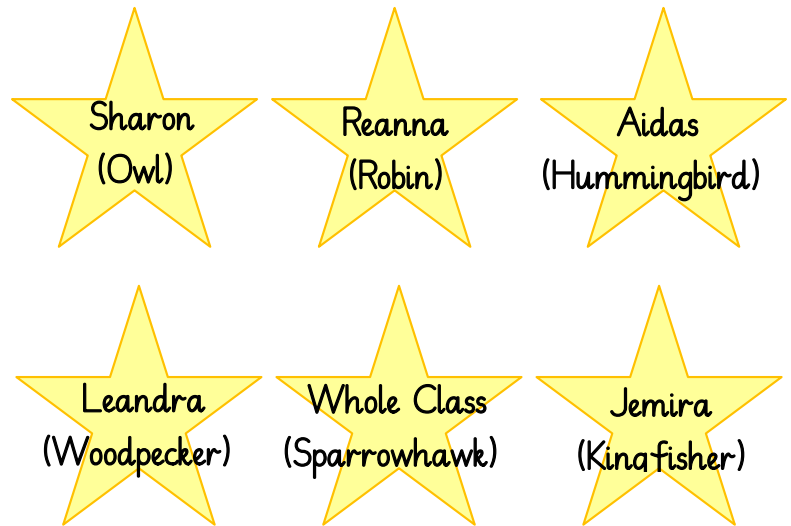
We made bread in DT using common rationed ingredients, to see (and taste) what food during the early 1900s was like.

### Thought for the week...

The best Christmas gift is to realise how much you already have.

## Celebration Zone

### GOLDEN ACHIEVEMENT!



### Mathematician



Hummingbird – Teddy

Woodpecker – Vasile

Robin – Purnata

Kingfisher – Destiny

Owl – Jonatan

Sparrowhawk – Osa

### House Points

<b>Seacole</b> 1811	<b>Shakespeare</b> 2472
<b>Bannister</b> 2330	<b>Pankhurst</b> 2664

### Helping at Home

Please continue to read regularly during the holiday. We can't wait to hear about all those new Christmas books. Spellings and TTRS will continue as usual; there is also a project related to your Spring term topic on Teams.

