



Y5 SPJS Christmas News

Autumn Term 2019

Viking Day 5J

On Viking day, 7th November, Year 5 dressed up in fancy Viking costumes and completed some activities. A Viking visitor taught us about Viking gods, Viking games and Viking artefacts.

We played 2 games and attempted spear wrestling. Each class did a different activity through the morning, a quiz, games and looking at Viking objects. After lunch, we listened to a story about the cheeky god Loki, Thor, Freya and more. Some children were chosen to play the characters. It was very funny!

We had brilliant day.

By Niamh and Apsara 5J

Data Scientists in School Assembly-5S

By Masooma Abbas, Imogen Doe and Maya Szczepekanska

On Monday 11th November, Cirium came to our school to talk to us about how they work with data and the history of planes. Cirium is a company that work with data to keep planes safe. They told us about the first plane to fly and also about the dangers of using technology when flying. At the end of the presentation, children were told they had an opportunity to take part in an art competition.

GROOVY GREEKS GOT TALENT

5P PERFORM A SENSATIONAL CLASS ASSEMBLY!

Exclusive report by Alexis & Lola 5P

On Friday 18th October, 5P did a smashing class assembly, teaching everyone about the Ancient Greek gods and they sung a fabulous song about the life of an ancient greek and their rules. No class assembly could ever have got such a loud applause as this!

Their assembly was based around the Greek's have got Talent and each child played the role of either a god, a goddess, a child, a judge or a host (Anticus and Decadus!). The song took the quality up a notch further with its supreme actions and lyrics.

Well done to the amazing teachers, Mrs Phillips and Mrs Thompson, for planning the show. Also to the excellent children for playing their roles so well. They can't wait to find out what their assembly will be about in year 6!

YEAR 5'S ANCIENT GREEK ADVENTURE

PUPILS INVESTIGATED GREEK STYLE!

Exclusive report by Florence & Alice 5P

On Tuesday 8th October, Year 5 increased their intelligence of Ancient Greek knowledge. They made a collage pot and discovered the food the Ancient Greeks consumed.

During the day, they learnt that the Ancient Greeks ate things like fish from the nearby sea, fruit from the many farmers and olives which they craved. As a table, they made plates with greek patterns and each drew pictures of the foods. Afterwards they translated the English spelling to greek. Alice commented, "There were not all the English letters in the greek alphabet." Finally they made a collage decorating our card pots observing greek patterns. They hope that all dress up days will be as entertaining as this one!

THE BEST BLACK HISTORY MONTH!

By Rebecca & Alexis 5P

As part of Black History Month, on 29th October, Year 5 studied the life of Martin Luther King Jr. Learning about his life, Luthur went to school and skipped grades! He was confused about why white and black people couldn't get along or be together. So he made a stand to make things right.

He made a very famous speech to lots of people about what he thought was wrong and said his dream was to make things peaceful so people could have freedom and live their lives happily. We then wrote our own speech as a class for our dreams to help make the world a better place.



SPORTS REPORT



Football 5J

On Fridays at lunchtime, the girls and boys football teams in Year 5 and 6 do football training with Dan from JDFS.

In training we do passing and turning drills, attackers vs. defenders and much more.

Each week there is a football match which for the boys takes place at Carshalton Athletics and for the girls Sutton United.

We have had lots of fun—even in the cold!

By Aaron and Thomas F 5J

Cross-country 5S



On Wednesday 16th October, children were selected to represent the school and compete in a cross country at Sutton Grammar playing field. We had to leave early to get to the race on time. Before our race, we lined up to wait for further instruction. We had to run around a track that was 1.6km. When children finished the race, all of their team mates were cheering. Stanley Park came first over all out of 12 schools. Year 5 girls came first and Year 5 boys came second. Overall it was a tiring yet exciting day.

By Will McNamara and Emily Seymour

Tag Rugby 5S

On Wednesday 4th December, a group of Year 5 and 6 children attended a tag rugby festival. We all had to arrive at St Elphege's School for 2pm. We played against 4 different schools. We won our first match 11-7, won our second match 11-5. We were beaten in our third match by St Elphege's 4-3.

Overall it was a fun and exciting day and we would like to go to another tag rugby festival in the future.

By Oliver Kumbaro, Charles Silcock and Austin Hudson.

A Festive Message from the Teachers

Wow! What an amazing term. Year 5 have been excellent learners and enjoyed some superb enrichments. They've also enjoyed sporting success too! All of it with a great sense of pride!



We wish all the children and their families a merry time over the festive period!

Have fun, smile lots and relax!