



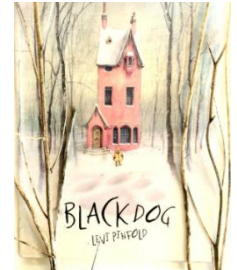
## Penguin Class Newsletter

### Messages

This is our final week of the half-term, and what a fantastic half-term it has been! I am really proud of all the hard work and progress the children have made.

### English

We have completed our book *Black Dog* by Levi Pinfold this week. The children wrote their own version of the story, changing the frightening creature and inventing their own family names. Their narratives are brilliant, with some fantastic vocabulary choices being used. During this unit, we focused on using powerful verbs and explored dialogue so that we could include speech effectively in our writing.



### Maths

We have now moved on from our fractions unit and have just finished learning how to add and subtract fractions. The children have worked really hard and built their confidence with this topic.

We have now started our new unit on angles. We have been learning what angles are, comparing different angles, and identifying right angles.

### Science

We have revisited our learning about rocks from the beginning of Year 3. The children have been learning about how different rocks are formed and identifying the main types of rocks. They absolutely loved taking part in a 'Guess the Rock' quiz and really impressed me with their knowledge, especially remembering what they learnt at the beginning of the year. They worked brilliantly together as a class to answer the quiz questions.

### D.T

In D.T., we have started learning about nutrition and the types of foods that help keep our bodies and minds healthy. We have also explored different ways to prepare vegetables.

### News

- Well done to Nancy and Lily for being our most recent Star and Rights Respector of the week!
- The first day back after the half-term break is **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**
- Our P.E days are **Wednesday** and **Thursday**

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**Thank you for your continued support**

**Miss Armstrong**

