



## Penguin Class Newsletter

26<sup>th</sup> November 2021

What a fantastic few weeks we've had once again in Penguin Class. It's hard to believe that it's only a month until Christmas. Well done to Ethan, who has achieved our star of the week certificate for his dedication to his writing.

### English

We have now completed our English unit based on the text Anne Frank by Josephine Poole. I can honestly say that I am so proud of every single child for their fantastic pieces of extended writing we have completed this week. The children have worked hard to practise their writing skills and their hard work has clearly paid off- well done!!

### Maths

Our current maths unit is focussing on multiplication and division. We are currently learning how to use formal written methods such as short and long division. Any additional practise at home would be greatly appreciated.

### Assessment Week

Next week is assessment week and forms an integral part of how us-as teachers-can see how far the children have progressed but more importantly, where we can help them develop their skills even further. Please Don not hesitate to contact me if you require any information regarding this.

### Christmas

As Christmas approaches, we will be celebrating with Christmas jumper day on the 10th December. Additionally, each class is going to be recording a Christmas song as a special gift to parents. Penguin class have chosen to perform Merry Christmas Everyone by Shakin Stevens so if you can hear the familiar sounds of this song blasting from your child's bedroom- they may well just be practising for their show stopping performance.

### Family Learning

Family learning are offering a 3 week Christmas craft zoom course. Children will receive a free resource pack to complete activities. If interested in booking a place please contact Vicky Powell 07825 117 487 or email [Victoria.powell@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:Victoria.powell@knowsley.gov.uk)

Thank you for your continued support. Please contact me if you require any further support.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs Williams (penguin class teacher)