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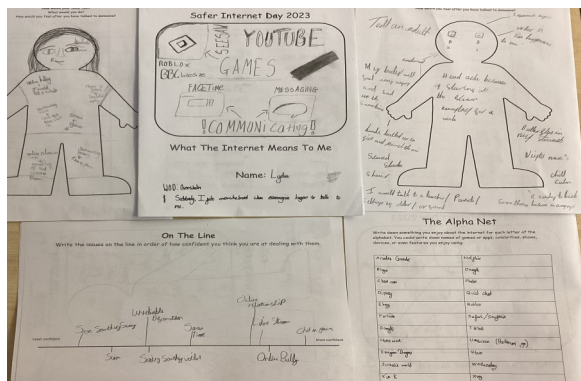
I can hardly believe that we have reached half term and looking back, this half term has been packed with lots of great highlights. Our children have taken part in amazing experiences such as Science Week, the Young Voices choir to the O2, our young dancers to the Dance House Festival, our Years 5 and 6 boys reaching the County Football final tournament and Hazel class to Fishbourne Roman Palace. Making memories are valuable learning opportunities for the children. Have a great half term and we will see the children back on Tuesday 21st February.

Internet Safety Day 7th February

This year's theme was 'The internet and Me' - looking at how our relationship with the internet can impact how we feel. KS1 shared a story where they looked at the internet being like a magic window to see amazing things. They talked about all the things they like and what to do if they see something they don't like.

KS2 looked at the things they like to do online and discussed some of the issues that come with the internet. They talked about how confident they feel dealing with different issues and then thought about how their body reacts to some of the issues - such as cyber bullying. We then talked about how different it feels once you have shared your worries or concerns with someone.

Lime and Cedar class also had PC Aldridge visit to discuss how to stay safe both online and in the community.



Here is a collection of work from the day by Year 6.

Parent Consultation Evenings

Parents Evening Consultations appointment times will be released via Parentmail from **9am Monday 13th February**.

The dates and times are:

Tuesday 28th February (3.30pm - 5.45pm) and Wednesday 1st March (4pm - 6.45pm).

Arrival Time at School

Some parents are still arriving at school at 8.50am which is **5 minutes late**. With a very busy curriculum, lessons start at **8.45am**. In every class, a ten minute teaching session called Vocabulary Ninja is taught from 8.45am. This is a whole school approach and many children are missing the first input of this lesson. We don't want any of the children missing important lessons so please ensure the children are in class by 8.45am. Thank you.

Useful Diary Dates

13th February: HALF TERM (13th - 17th)

20th February: INSET DAY - **School closed to pupils**

21st February: Back to school

27th - February - 3rd March: Book Week

Book Week Theme: Magical Creatures.

(2nd March) World Book Day.

Details to follow from class teachers on hat/mask making for a special cat walk show.

28th February & 1st March: Parents Consultation Evening

17th March: Creative Arts day & Red Nose day (£1)

20th - 24th March: Year 6 Residential to PGL

31st March: Last day of term

3rd April - 14th April: Easter Holidays

17th April: Back to School

4th May: Class Photographs

Have a good half term! Best wishes Kate Powell