



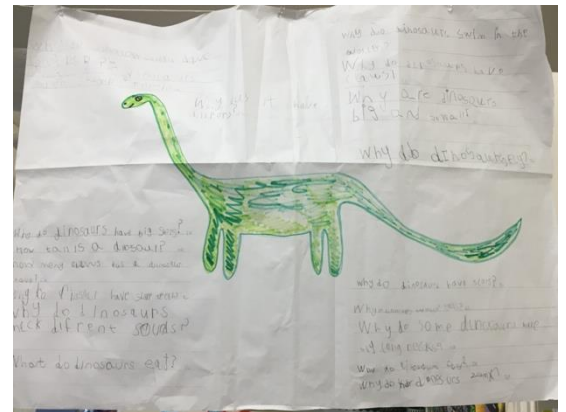
Hercules Class End of Summer Term 5 Newsletter

Topic - Dinosaur Roar



Welcome to our class end of term newsletter. What a quick little term this one has been! Nevertheless it has been full of excitement from our first off site to the Jubilee Games to being visited by dinosaurs, both real and imaginary. A big thank you to all the parents who have taken time out of their day to come help out at school –THANK YOU so much for helping us to amaze excite and inspire.

This term we have been exploring dinosaurs and have been using our learning from the rainforest topic to identify them as herbivore, carnivores and omnivores. We have asked and written down lots of questions to kick start our topic, and thanks to the amazing selection of dinosaur storybooks and fact books you sent in for show and tell – we have been able to answer most of them. We had a dinosaur egg hatch in the classroom and learnt THE DIRTY GREAT DINOSAUR by Martin Waddell so we could write the story independently. We have been totally amazed by the children's work and how they been putting their phonics and sight words into practice without any support.



When we come back, we will start inviting our new Reception intake into school, and continue to build on our transition work with Field and Forest to allow Hercules children to get to know or become acquainted with the Pegasus Year 1s. We are hoping to have Mrs. Nathanson teach the class to start building those important relationship with everyone.



As this is our last term together, we would like to consolidate our years learning together by practicing writing and reading their all sight words for our weekly challenge on Friday



(see Tapestry for more details). We

are also looking forward to our new outside water area equipment arriving and keeping an eye on out for our potatoes coming up in the raised beds all ready for our GROWING TOPIC. Have a wonderfully relaxing May half-term break and enjoy your Jubilee Bank Holiday weekend.

All the best from all of the Hercules Team.