

OCTOBER HIGHLIGHTS

YEAR 3 CLASSROOM NEWS

ENGLISH

We continued with our English Portfolios. We learnt all about fables and then wrote our own. We then practised writing our own screenplays and even had time to perform some of them. We also followed on from this by doing some improvised theatre with some wonderful results.

MATHS

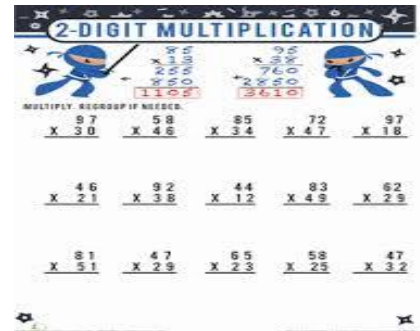
We started by learning all about fractions and cutting up pizzas into different size slices. We discovered how to add fractions of the same size and how to tell which fraction was bigger or smaller. Much more recently we have learned the 6 times table and how to multiply double digit numbers.

SCIENCE

We completed our investigation of different materials and whether they were magnetic or not. We have also been using the extra Science book to do a gradual review of everything we have learnt this year and we will start new learning material on forces very soon.

SOCIAL STUDIES

We ended our North to South tour of Chilean cities and continued on to the nomadic lifestyles of Chile's original inhabitants who today are grouped together as Mapuche (but weren't originally) and their cultural traditions. We even looked at possible reasons for the continuing unrest.



UP NEXT MONTH

English: Learning how to skim and scan a text, writing an informational text.
Spelling Tests and Show and Tell recommence.

Maths: Multiplication, division, remainders, handling and displaying data.

Science: Start discovery of forces and the effects they have on different objects.

Social Studies: Start looking at many geographical features with a global rather than Chilean focus.

