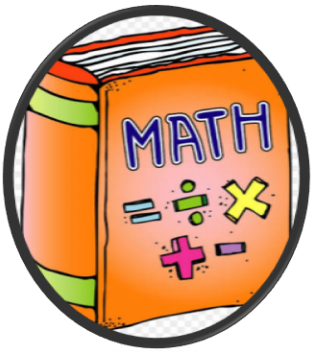

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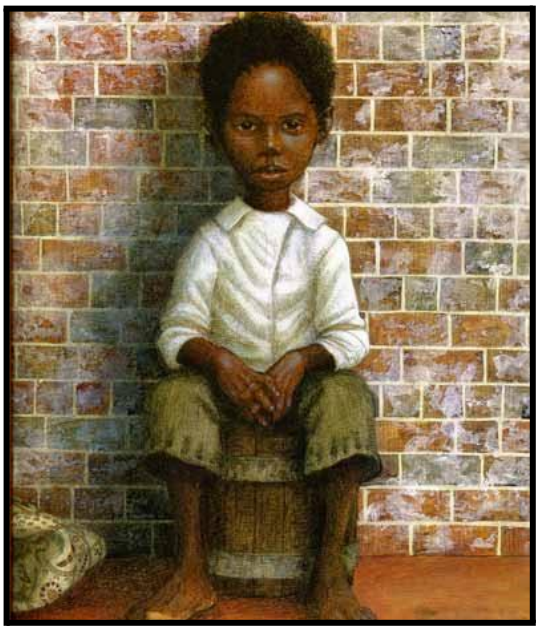
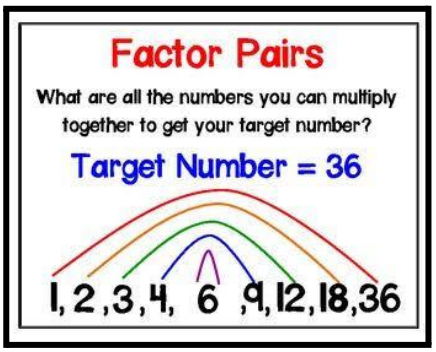
Year Six Newsletter

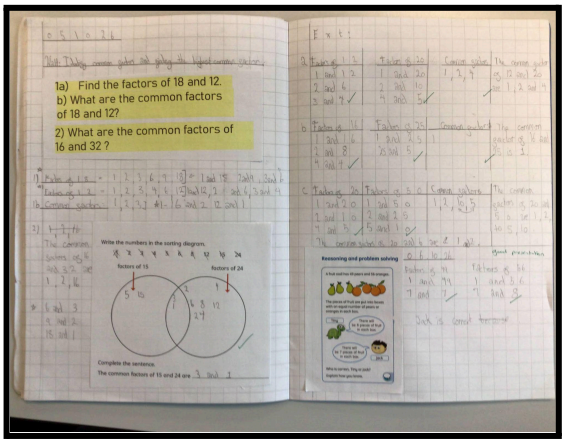
Weekly Newsletter!

Week beginning 05/10/26



During our literacy sessions this week the children continued to explore the powerful story of *Henry's Freedom Box* by Ellen Levine. We wrote a reader's response this week as the children were shocked by themes of slavery, power, ownership and fear. Their writing included thoughts, opinions and feelings about this beautifully illustrated and emotive book. Of the text, one student said: "When I read Henry's Freedom Box, I was disgusted. How can one group of people treat another so badly?"





This week in Maths, Year 6 have worked incredibly hard in maths. The children focused on factor pairs, pairs of whole numbers that multiply together to give a specific product. Multiplication and division knowledge will be really important going forward as we prepare for our SATs assessments.

Islamic studies

Salaah & Salaah Times

This week in Islamic studies as the first lesson in our Fiqh section, children learnt about the importance of Salaah. They learnt about some ahaadeeth regarding praying and neglecting Salaah and also learnt about the different times of Salaah according to the day/night.

This week's Stars of the Week are:

Ismail & Umar

PE SUPERSTARS:

Maymoona & Mohammed H.

Masha'Allah and well done!

Weekly Reminders

-Our PE lessons are on Mondays. (Girls are asked to wear oversized, long-sleeved white shirts for PE and bring their abayas for Salaah).

-Please remind your children to learn their spellings and complete their homework by Tuesday.

Team members: Mrs F. Z. ALI, Mrs O. Hacene.