Waterbeach Community Primary School
Weekly Learning Update: Year 5
Date: 20.11.26

Maths

Next week we will be:
-continuing to practise **long multiplication** to multiply two, three and four digit numbers.
-learn different **division strategies** including short division
-look at **division with remainders**

English/Phonics

Next week we will be:

- writing our biographies on Queen Victoria thinking carefully about the subheadings.
- Focussing on grammar (such as tenses) which is typically found in biographical writing.

Our spelling will focus on words with the ending '-ably' and '-ibly':
dependably, comfortably, reliably, terribly, horribly, possibly, visibly, sensibly, legibly, incredibly.

Topic

- We will be switching our focus to Geography next week.
- We will be spending our first lesson revisiting oceans and continents.
- We will also be reminding the children of the equator line and other geographical parts of the globe.

Additional information & Reminders

- It is bikeability next week! Please ensure you bring your bike to school on Monday morning with your helmet!
- There **is no forest school** next week.
- Our PE days are Tuesday **(outdoor),** and Friday **(indoor).**

PE kit should be worn to school on these days and long hair tied back.
Children should only wear **stud earrings** – no other jewellery is permitted.
Please ensure your child has a **raincoat** as the weather can change very quickly!

Thank you for your continued support. Please get in touch if you have any questions.
Kind regards, the Year 5 team.