

## This week in Ock Class – w/e 15<sup>th</sup> October

In English this week we completed our persuasive speeches. We then spent time editing our own pieces, as well as giving feedback to our partners. I have been really impressed with the effort that the children have put into their speeches! We have now started our next set of sentence stacking lessons which are based on the short animation, The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris Lessmore.

In our maths lessons we have started our next unit of work which is focused on interpreting and presenting data. So far, we have recapped what we already know about bar charts, tables and pictograms, and we have drawn some very neat and accurate bar charts!

On Friday afternoon, we continued to make our Viking Longships. We have been working hard to create an accurate shape, including the figurehead at the front. We have also been making mini shields and oars to attach to the ship when it is finished.



Next week is our final swimming session; the children will be learning about and practising water safety skills. They will need bring some lightweight clothing, such as pyjamas, leggings and a top, a pair of shorts and a top (not jeans, jogging bottoms or jumpers). They will also need an extra plastic bag to put the wet clothes in after.

The swimming coaches have been really impressed with the children over the past six weeks; they have worked hard during each session and have demonstrated Fearless Fox attitudes when facing challenges!