

# BEECH NEWS

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week in English, we have been learning about newspaper articles. We have looked at what makes a newspaper article such as the headlines and the 5 w's (who, what, where, when and why). If you have newspapers at home, please share some with your children and ask them some questions. For example, what is the headline or can they spot the 5 w's in the opening paragraph?

In Maths, we have started to add 3 and 4 digit numbers together using number lines and the column method. They have tried hard to lay out the numbers correctly in the squares, as well as drawing place value counters to support them as well.

In topic, we have been learning about the daily life of an Egyptian. We looked at pictures from an artist of what life was like in Egyptian times. We then have to research facts about what they wore, what they ate and what their jobs were like. See if your child can remember any facts at home.

In Science, we have also been learning about electricity. We have learnt that different electrical appliances can come from the mains or a battery. We create a Venn diagram to show what electrical appliances use main, battery or both.

Just a reminder that reading books and diaries need to be in on a Wednesday please. I know some children have books that take longer than a week to read; however, we still like to keep a log on how often they are reading.

Best wishes,

Mrs Child, Mrs Cadman, Mrs B and Mrs Hewitt