

# Just to let you know...



After learning that the Tudors designed a coat of arms to represent them on the battlefield, the children have enjoyed being creative and planned their own shield to symbolise all that is special to them.

Ask them what emblems and motto they have chosen and why.

In maths this week we have been reminding ourselves about the basics of place value and looking at addition strategies. Please remind your children to keep practising those times tables! We will have a test tables each week.

Dear Parents,

Curriculum evening is next Thursday 20th September at 7pm in the Year 5 area. We will be talking through everything you need to know for the year and handing out letters and information, please let us know if you are unable to make it and we can send these home with your child.

Some good Tudor websites to have a look through are:

<http://www.woodlandsjunior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/Tudors.html>

<http://www.brimms.co.uk/tudors/>

Thanks!  
Bec, Henry and Alison

This week in English we have considered the difference between fact and opinion. The children have learnt to question what they read or hear and make sure it is true by referring to different sources.

Our Tudor topic started this week with great excitement as we were visited by three characters who fought in the Battle of Bosworth! Henry VII, Richard III and Lord Stanley (the turncoat) who each told their story.

We have taken the facts that they have learnt about the War of the Roses and written a recount.

This week's spellings are topic based:

King Henry VIII	palace	York
Queen Elizabeth I	battle	
Tudor	Bosworth	
Hampton Court	rose	
Majesty	Lancaster	

There will be a little test on Monday.