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## Barum class learning

This week in Barum Class, Year 3 had a visit from the author, Dave Cousin. The children have loved reading his book and enjoyed participating in his creative writing workshop. Year 2 had an enjoyable afternoon on Friday with the author Gareth P Jones. The children had lots of fun joining in with the musical version of his book 'Rabunzel'.

In English, we have sorted simple and complex sentences from our text, we have learnt that simple sentences tell us one thing and that complex sentences provide more information and usually include a conjunction. We have practised using the conjunction 'when' to write complex sentences.

This week in Maths, we have been partitioning numbers flexibly and finding out how many calculations we can write for just one number.

In History, we have looked at some pictures of Sir Richard Grenville. We have discussed how long ago we think he was alive by looking at the clues in the pictures, we noticed they were all paintings which tells us it was before the invention of cameras. We then did some fantastic sketches of his portrait.

## Home Learning:

**Year 2** - Practise the words for our harvest festival song Mr. Scarecrow. Please find the lyrics on the ppt under the home learning on the website.

**Year 3** - Practise the song, Autumn days, follow this link to clip of the song with lyrics.

[Autumn Days PIANO ONLY Singalong](#)

## Reading:

Thank you to those of you who have logged your child's reading on Boom Reader. If you have logged 5 reads this week, your child has received a class merit and sticker to add to their reading folder 😊 The whole school expectation is that parents support their child to practising reading at home **five times per week**. This could be 5-10 minutes of reading, five times across the week. Thank you for your support. Please follow [Parents | BoomReader](#) to download the app.

