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Muswell Hill Primary School Masterteam Quiz

Report by: Bill and Owen

We were chosen (Bill, Owen, Alisa, Maddie, Oli and Olivia) to represent our school in a Masterteam quiz/competition in Trinity Academy in Wood Green to compete against six other primary schools on the 21st of January. The quiz was divided into five rounds: Maths; science; spelling; current affairs and general knowledge.



In maths we were given 10 questions and allowed to confer.

For science there was a wall with 21 questions on it and each team chose three questions in turn and answered them.

If a team got a question wrong another team was allowed to answer (we were allowed to confer) and steal the points. In spelling we also had to correctly spell ten words that we hadn't seen before as a team. In the current affairs round one person (Olivia) had to answer questions on current affairs but she wasn't allowed to confer. She was also facing individual players from the other schools at the same time, so it was quite nerve wracking.

Finally, we finished the quiz with ten questions on general knowledge which we could answer as a team.

It was a huge amount of fun, and we managed to win with 34 points.

See how you would have done by answering some of the questions we faced:

Maths

What is 61% of 800?

Is a triangular prism an example of a tetrahedron?

Science

- Which gas is the most abundant in the air on Earth?
- What do you call an animal that eats vegetation and meat?

General knowledge

- Which is the largest ocean on the planet?
- Name the top 3 countries in terms of population size

Current affairs

- Which film won the Best Animated Oscar last year?
- Who won the Balloon D'or prize for best football this year?

