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There was once again lots to celebrate in our Celebration Assembly this morning. There were lots of Smiley Certificates for children in Conkers class - well done to Jamie (20), Alyssa (40), Oscar B (40), Bridget (40), Zara (50), Oliver (50) and Oscar H (80). In Year 3, Spencer, Georgia and Charlotte received Golden Book certificates for persevering in maths and learning new methods. There were also Merit awards for Georgia (bronze), Poppy (gold), Ella (gold) and Morgan (gold). Children in Year 6 received awards for their PGL diaries. Congratulations to Callum, Sam, Anya, Dominic, Jessica, Libby, Luke and Kate - a lot of time and effort had . Very well done to everyone who received awards this morning