

Year Two Weekly Update



Friday 15th February

Messages:

We hope you all have a great half term. Please ensure your child is doing their Accelerated Reading and access Times Tables Rock Stars.

On Wednesday 27th February there will be meetings at 9am and 5:30pm to give you more information about end of Y2 SATS and about the trip to Lincoln'sfields - please see attached letter !

Assembly : Our class assembly is on Friday 22nd March

Maths:

This week we have been doing some assessments to see how well the children are doing and which areas we need to concentrate on when we come back to school after half term. We have also completed our topic on 2d and 3d shapes.

After half term we will begin a new maths topic on fractions. We will be learning how to find fractions of a shape - halves / quarters / three-quarters and thirds. We will then move onto finding fractions of amounts.

Phonics / Spellings ;

This week we have learnt the spelling rules for the r sound spelt wr such as wrong, wrote, wriggle, wreck etc.

After half term we will be learning the spelling rules for adding ed to a verb to change it into the past tense. We will also be practising our common exception words.

English:

This week we have developed story maps and written a story involving a character the children have designed themselves. They have chosen their own settings and have developed their own storylines based on The Gingerbread Man.

After half term we will be beginning working on a new book called The Magic Finger by Roald Dahl. The children will be focussing on writing letter during the first week.

Topic:

This week the children have been learning all about the different types of animals of Australia, such as Kangaroos and Koalas. We have also explored the journeys of Captain Cook and what they would have been like. In Science the children have looked at the different stages of a plants growth as it matures using their own plants as examples.

When we return to school after half term we will be learning all about the discovery of Australia. We will also be learning about famous explorers, beginning with Christopher Columbus.

Homework:- Over half term I would like you to have a nice rest ! Please have a go on times tables rock stars and make sure you read your Accelerated Reading book and bring your folder to school for a new book after the holidays. Dont forget your spellings.

Have a lovely week off ! Mrs Neal 😊