



Dear Parents/Carers,

English - In English this week, we will continue to centre our English learning around the text, "Lost and Found" by Oliver Jeffers. Our focus this week will be on the skill of sequencing and retelling. At the start of the week, the children will be sequencing the main parts of the text and using this to verbally retell the story. They will then move on to scribing short sentences to accompany the images. By the end of the week, the children will be re-writing the short story in their own words. We are looking forward to seeing what the children create!

Maths - In maths we will continue to learn about place value and what the digits in a number represent. The children will be looking at 2-digit numbers and partitioning them into tens and ones using a range of practical resources such as bead strings, Numicon, dienes, place value counters etc. They will represent the number in a part-whole model and then move on to using this to record a calculation to record it in its expanded form e.g. 34 is 3 tens and 4 ones.



$$34 = 30 + 4$$

PE - In PE we will be exploring balance. This week we will be focussing on a static balance on 1 leg.

PSHE - We will be discussing how we can all work together to make our school community a better place. The children will be considering their rights and responsibilities for the classroom and our school.

Geography - We will be recapping the continents in the world and their location. We will then be naming and locating the different oceans.

Computing and Music - We will be working in a cross-curricular way this week for computing and music. The children will be learning how to make music digitally using 2Sequence on Purple Mash and they will explore, edit, and combine sounds.

Science - In science we will begin our learning on materials. The children will be exploring and examining a range of everyday materials and considering their properties to help sort them.

Reading - Please read with your child every night for 10 minutes and ask them questions about the book. Books will be changed on a Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Please remember to sign and/or write a comment in the Reading Record each time your child reads at home.

PE Reminders - Year 2 will have PE on the following days: * **Tigers** - **Monday** * **Leopards** - **Tuesday** * **Lions** - **Wednesday**
Please send your child in with their PE kit, if you haven't already, and ensure they leave it on their peg ready for each PE lesson. We will send the kits home at half term. Thank you 😊

Our Multi-Sport lessons will be on Thursday morning.

Friendly Plea! 😊

As part of science lesson next week, we will be using a range of different materials. We will be providing as much as we can for the lesson ourselves but would be really grateful if you are able to send in any small samples of everyday materials too e.g. plastic, rubber, fabric, wood, metal, stone etc. If you are able to send these into school by Thursday, we would be very grateful. Thank you so much in advance for your help.

Key Dates:

Friday 22nd September 2.15 pm Safeguarding meeting with Miss Morris for current & potential volunteers
Monday 25th September 9.10 am Safeguarding meeting with Miss Morris for current & potential volunteers
Tuesday 26th September 9.15 am - 10.15 am - Reading & Writing Workshop - School Hall
Tuesday 26th September 6 pm - 7 pm - Reading & Writing Workshop - Virtual
Friday 29th September 2.15 pm Safeguarding meeting with Miss Morris for current & potential volunteers
Tuesday 3rd October - Year 2 Shared Learning 9:15am - more information to follow soon

If you have any questions or concerns, regarding your child, please see your child's class teacher.

**Thank you for your continued support,
The Year 2 Team 😊**