<u>Homework</u>

Children will receive a piece of Maths and Reading Comprehension as homework on a Friday to be completed and returned to school the following week. We have been continuing to do lots of reading comprehensions in class which has been focused on finding the evidence in the text and underlining it before writing the answer.

Reading

Please ask your child to bring their reading book to school **<u>every</u>** <u>day</u> so that they can practise, and this also allows us to read with them at different times during the week. RWI book bag books will be changed on a Friday and the RWI coloured books will be changed depending on which group your child is in. Please ensure these are brought to school **daily** to enable this to happen.

Children who are in the comprehension group will be taking home an Accelerated Reader book which is coded based on your child's star reader quiz.

Spellings

We are continuing to use Read Write Inc. Spellings for all children in the afternoon teaching spelling rules and patterns. We continually practise the Year 1 and 2 comment exception words (the words that do not follow a spelling rule - you can't sound them out, you just have to spell them).

<u>PE</u>

This term PE is taking place on **Mondays** where the children will be learning 'Athletics'. Currently, children will need to come to school in their PE on a **Monday**.

Please can you ensure that your child comes in the correct PE uniform – a plain white top and for this time of year long blue/black jogging bottoms and trainers. Jumpers/jackets again should be blue/black and plain.

Thank you!

Class Information Year 2

Summer Term 2 2024

We hope you find the following information helpful in supporting your child this term. You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for some subject areas along with a more detailed 'knowledge organiser' for other subjects. This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in year 2 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Miss Daws

Year 2: Summer Term 2

English

In English we will continue to teach reading and writing through Talk for Reading and Talk for Writing strategies. During our first part of this term will be continuing to learn about non-chronological reports. We will learn about the use of headings and sub headings, factual language and organising our writing into paragraphs. We will be reading our High Quality Text, "Man on the Moon." by Simon Bartram.

In the second half of the term children will be completing creative writing units.

In grammar lessons, we will be learning to use adjectives to describe an object (eg the fast, shiny car), similes (eg as fast as lightning) to add more detail and we will be learning to construct sentences using parts, eg I reached down, picked the flower and put it in a vase We will continue to consolidate the use capital letter and full stops.

To aid the children with their writing there will also be daily handwriting sessions.

Maths

This term in Maths, we will be finishing our statistics unit and moving onto position and direction.

Following this, the children are focusing on securing their understanding of mathematical concepts. Each week the children will be focusing on a particular skill to ensure they have a concrete understanding. In the week wee back we will be exploring place valued followed by addition and subtraction in week 2. The children will be using a variety of methods and resources.

Following this, we will spend some time looking at fractions, multiplication and division, shape and metacognition.

Throughout the term, we will be practising mental arithmetic and times tables skills to keep our math minds sharp!