



# Year 2 Newsletter

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2018

## **This week we have been learning...**

In English we have continued to learn about our story 'The Princess and the White Bear King'. We have written a final book review suggesting why our book should be read and who we would recommend it to. We have been able to use a range of punctuation, adjectives and conjunctions within our writing this week and read through our work to check it makes sense. We have been getting better at finding answers in a piece of text, learning and improving our comprehension skills.

In maths this week we have been getting SAT ready by fine tuning our mathematical skills. We have revised finding missing numbers using inverse, finding fractions of numbers, recognising odd and even numbers as well as solving 2 step word problems.

In topic this week we have continued to learn about Castles and Knights. We have drawn a castle out of shapes and explored the work of Paul Klee Castles in the Sun. We have been able to use block colour to create a similar style to Paul Klee. We have been busy making swords for our re-enactment of the Battle of Hastings 1066. We have written a diary entry as if we were going to become a knight. We have been able to use IT to watch videos from the past and gather information.

## **How you can help at home.**

Count on in 2's 3's 5's and 10's

## **Home Learning this week:**

Reading with your child

Spellings

Topic challenge

**Spellings: don't, can't didn't, wouldn't, couldn't, it's, wasn't shouldn't**

## **Please remember**

If you wish to discuss anything or share any home learning please email

**empire@langleyparkprimaryacademy.org.uk**

**Please read with your child every night**

Please ensure all your child's clothing is **clearly labelled**. P.E kits must be in for a **Tuesday and Friday**. **Spelling books** must be brought in a **Thursday** and **reading** books **everyday**.

We are holding a bingo evening on Saturday 12th May



Star of the week goes to...  
Victoria

For being a role model and a team player in year 2.