



Year 2 Newsletter



Friday 27th September 2019

In Year Two this week we have....

PYP

As part of our healthy lifestyle inquiry, we have been discussing what helps keep us healthy. We explored different types of exercise, the importance of sleep, the importance of eating healthy and how to maintain this. As part of this we are creating healthy lifestyle news reports which include interviews, questionnaires and exercise videos. The children mind mapped their ideas in groups.

In English, the children have explored the use of a question mark and used this when asking questions during their inquiry based learning. For their healthy lifestyle report, the children wrote three sections which included an introduction, interviews and tips.

In Maths, we have been very busy exploring odds and evens, 2's, 5's and 10's. The children have accessed these in different questions using their skills learnt from the week.

Food tasting

We have sent a letter in regards to food tasting, please could you return the slip by Monday 30th September as we are hoping to taste next week.

Home Learning –

In your child's homework diary we have included the login for times tables rock stars. These are apps that you can use at home to help your child with their maths learning. There is optional topic homework which includes different activities.

Spellings will be sent home weekly in the spelling books and tested the following Friday. It is important that spelling books are bought back to school so that the new spellings can be stuck in ready for the next week.

A Maths task will be sent home each week which will use knowledge learnt from lessons. Weekly homework should be bought back in on a Wednesday, so we are able to give new homework by the Friday.

Reading books should be bought in daily and will be changed once a week on a designated day. However if we have time during our day then children may be asked to do some extra reading, so please ensure books are in bags daily.

Any clothing, water bottles, packed lunches should be clearly labelled. We are continuing to promote independence in Year 2, this will help your child locate any missing belongings.

Dates for your diary:

•Tuesday 8th October: Year 2 parents meeting at 4pm and 6pm (either one to attend)

Stars of the week

Freya – For a continued effort in all aspects of learning and being helpful to others.

Ricky – For showing commitment and resilience when understanding tricky concepts

Congratulations!

