

Next Week in Year 2 Week Beginning 10th February 2025



Welcome to Year 2! 'Space Explorers'

come, love, both, plant, bath, path, grass ,gently, happily, speedily

What we will be doing in school

Maths

In Maths this week, the children will be investigating odd and even numbers as well as learning the 10x table. They will also be dividing by 10.

How you can help at home https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hitthe-button



This game contains great, quick-fire ways for children to practise doubling, halving and their 10x table which will prepare them for the knowledge we will be covering this week!

Additionally, practise counting in tens at home so children are familiar with which numbers are multiples of 10 and which aren't!

You can help your child prepare for the week by following some instructions to make a yummy meal or snack of your own.

English

This week in English the children will be designing a meal for an alien who has a long journey back to their home planet. They will draw their meal, list their ingredients and write instructions for the alien on how to make it. The children will be challenged to include adverbs and extra detail that can help the alien make the meal safely and accurately.





After our trip to the Science Museum, the children will write a recount of our day. They will use past tense, first person and be challenged to use adverbs.



Point out how the sentences are telling us to do something and see if your child can remember the name of these types of sentences - command sentences.



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Science-

For Science this week the children are heading to the Science Museum to round out their learning for our topic 'Space Explorers'. They will find out about rockets and satellites, planets and moons, space travel and living in space and much more!

They will become information gatherers, hunting for facts during their visit to add to their learning booklet.



https://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/objects-and-stories/space

Use the website to have a virtual tour of the science museum before our visit next week!

<u>Art</u>

In Art this week the children will be finishing painting their tile! Once done, they will finish their tile off by glazing it!

Have a chat with your child, what do they think they did well on their tile? What worked really well? What's their favourite part about their tile? What are they going to do to finish it off to help it look its best?

RE

Religious Education

In R.E. this week the children will be continuing to learn about how and why people from different religions share food.

For example, the children learned about the Puja from the Hindu faith.

Puja is the most common form of worship in the Hindu religion where foods are offered to the Gods to show respect and thank them for their blessings.

You can help your child prepare for this lesson by

reading through this definition together with your child to get them ready for the lesson.

Puja is a prayer ritual service performed by people of the Hindu faith. The word puja comes from <u>Sanskrit</u>, and means <u>reverence</u>, <u>honor</u> and <u>worship</u>.



Puja

Hindu worship, known as puja, involves all five senses of touch, taste, smell, sight and hearing, and also what Hindus consider to be the five basic elements: light, fire, earth, air and water. It can be carried out in the home of Hindus before a shrine, or in the Hindu temple, which is known as a Mandir.



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Computing

This week the children will be creating their own algorithm and learning to debug an algorithm already written for them.



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