

Year 2 Homework

Monday 27th November 2023 (To be handed in on Tuesday 5th November)

This week we will be taking part in activities and learning under the theme, '80 days around the world'. Year 2 have chosen Australia as their focus. One activity the children will be participating in is writing instructions for and the making of fairy bread. Fairy bread is sliced white bread spread with butter or margarine and covered with "Hundreds and Thousands", often served at children's parties in Australia. If there are any dietary issues which would preclude your child from making and/or eating the fairy bread, please let us know before the end of Tuesday. Thank you.

Diary Dates:

PE on Tuesdays and Thursdays this week. Children come to school in PE kit and no earrings on both days please.

Monday 4th December: School closed

Nativity performance: Monday 11th December/Tuesday 12th December.

This week in English, we will be learning:

- To answer questions using a text
- To write instructions

This week in Maths, we will be learning:

- 2 step word problems
- Naming and recognising 2D and 3D shapes
- Recognising and counting vertices and sides on 2D shapes.

Spellings: These are the spellings we will be focusing on this week – words ending with '-al'.

A spelling shed assignment has been created. Children should practise spelling these words at home on spelling shed a few times a week until they are mostly confident that they can spell them correctly from memory. We will not be having a written weekly spelling test and will instead monitor the data we are given from Spelling Shed to assess how children are progressing with their spellings.

metal
petal
capital
hospital
animal
equal
final
pedal
local
magical

CHALLENGE:

Can you use your spellings in sentences?
Have you used the words correctly?
Do your sentences make sense?

Maths focus

From now on, we will put in the Maths focus card on this homework letter in case your child forgets to stick it in.

Maths Focus w/c 27.11.23

Mentally add a 1-digit number to a 2-digit number

e.g. $24+8$.

Can they tell you how they did it?

(They may use their fingers/add 6 to get to 30 and add the last 2)

Reading

Please read every night with an adult. Remember to do the AR quiz before changing your book. Children can change their book any day, as soon as they have read the book and completed the quiz.

Weekly English/Maths Task (30 minutes)

Please see attached.