

Year 2 Spring 2 Newsletter

Welcome back! We hope you all had a good week off. Our topic this half term is called 'Twisted Tales', which links with our English Learning Journeys and Art project. This newsletter will give you more information about the different curriculum areas for this half term as well as some additional information that we hope you will find useful. However, if you ever have any questions, suggestions or concerns, please do let us know.

The Year 2 Team

Our Curriculum

English: Book Day activities
Learning Journeys
Little Red Riding Hood-
Character Profiles
The Queen's Hat- Story writing

Maths: Division
Fractions
Time

Science: Forces

RE: Easter

Art: Puppets- Textiles Embellishing
Fabrics

PE: Gymnastics and Sending & Receiving

PSHE: Rights and Respect

ICT: Spreadsheets/Questioning

Music: Pitch

The children will also Phonics, Reading and Handwriting lessons.

Home Challenge

Well done to all the children who completed last half term's home challenge. It was very interesting to listen to the children tell the rest of their class all about the famous events/ people they had chosen to learn about.

Our home challenge this half term is to design a fairy tale character. The character can be drawn, named and labelled or have a written character profile like the children have been writing in school.

Please send into school by Friday 28th March.

As always, the challenge is optional and children who complete the challenge will receive five Dojo points and a certificate.



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Reading

A big well done to the following children who all read at least 18 times at home during the last half term. These children have received 5 extra dojo points for their efforts.



Owl Class: Jayson, Erin, Holly, Olivia, Ember, Christine, Alba, La'Mei, Sienna W, Asya and Beatrix

Hedgehog Class: Eray, Kaan, Molly, Olivia, Kaja and Sonny B

Badger Class: Aliza, Aria, George, Harry, Henry, Layla, Lucas, Mac, Maisie, Nikodem and Ridley

We have also awarded a special prize to the children who read the most in each class. Congratulations to Sienna W (Owl Class), Sonny B (Hedgehog Class) and Mac (Badger Class).

World Book Day

We are having a competition to create a book character or story plate to celebrate World Book Day and the love of reading!



Make sure your entry is brought into school by **Thursday 6th March**. (Plates will be provided for all children on **Friday 28th February**)

Entries will be **£1 per plate** to be given to the class teacher.

You can find some ideas and examples below.

A winner will be chosen from each class to receive a prize in assembly on **Thursday 6th March**!

Have lots of fun with this, we can't wait to see your amazing creations!

