# Year 2 Newsletter No. 10 24th November 2017



## We are Researchers!



In our **English** work we have enjoyed exploring the books 'Bob's Best Ever Friend' and 'Bob and the Moontree Mystery'. We have been creating noun phrases and questions to ask Barry – Bob's new friend.

In **Mathematics** we have been tallying and creating pictograms to record information. We have been asking and answering questions using recorded/collected data.

In **Science** we will have been finding out about carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. We have also researched animals to see which animal group they are part of as well as the food they eat.

Our Geography work has focused on daily weather patterns and we have recorded weather over the course of the week.

In **RE** we have discovered more about the Torah and Jewish faith. We are looking forward to finding out about the Sikh scriptures shortly and welcoming a visitor into school to talk to us about this.

## How you can help...

### Homework this week:

**Reading** – Please spend 10 minutes every day reading or sharing a book with your child.

English - Extended noun phrases

**Spellings** – 'le' words.

**Mathematics** – Favourite fruit pictogram & Mathletics tasks online. X10 tables. Test next Friday.

**Extra Mile Challenge** Make a poster about a carnivore, herbivore or omnivore

**Talk Time** – Please talk to your child about animal groups and the features of different animal groups – particularly carnivores and herbivores.

## Things to remember...

#### PE Kits

Your child's PE lessons are on *Wednesday* and *Thursday*. Thank you.

### **Water Bottles**

Please send in a named water bottle for your child to access water as they need it.

### **Diary dates/Events:**

- Mathletics November Numeracy Challenge 20<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> November. Please encourage your child to login and collect as many points as possible. We are aiming to reach the top 50 schools this year!
- Dance Club Wednesdays 3.20-4.20pm



## Next Week - We are Writers!

In our **English** work we will be writing our own adventures for Bob and Barry. We will also be meeting Bob's cousin "Dougal – the Deep Sea diver" and begin exploring writing for diary entries.

In Mathematics we will focus on fractions and explore fractions in relation to volume and capacity.

In **Science** we will be finding out about the different animal habitats and how animals are adapted to the hot and cold places that they live.

In **RE** we will begin finding out about Sikh scriptures.



## **Congratulations!**



A big "thumbs up" to **all** our class members who have demonstrated consistent **Outstanding Behaviour** this week!

Harvey, Faye, Lola, Kara, Jessica, Emmanuel, Oliver, Jack C, Harry,

William, Mia, Katie, Isaac P, Isaac J, Ruby & Lucy



Star Writer of the Week – Jack C Curriculum Star of the Week – Oliver Christian Value of Truthfulness – Lola

Thank you for your support. Mrs Ramsay.