

Year 2 Newsletter



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Upcoming Diary Events

Lenten Book Sale - Monday 25th March. Books on sale 50p-£2 during playtime. All proceeds to go to the Lenten Appeal Charity, Helprefugees.org

Wear Red - Choose Love Day - 28^{th} March. The children can come to school wearing something red (no football kits please) and take part in related activities in the afternoon. Donation £2.00 for non-uniform and to cover cost of activities.

Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea - Tuesday 2nd April 2.00-2.30pm KS1 & 2.30-3.00pm KS2.

Learning this Week

This week the children have been completing our termly reading and grammar assessments in **English** and arithmetic and reasoning assessments in **Mathematics**. They have also been focusing on Fractions in Maths lessons.

In our **Science** lesson we used data loggers and studied creatures, making observational drawings.

RE work has focused in more depth on Easter traditions in Germany. The children have researched traditions specific to Germany and made Easter cards using German phrases.

Learning Next Week

We will continue focusing on information texts and persuasive texts in our **English** work and writing our own persuasive texts. We will also focus on the suffixes _est and _er

Our **Mathematics** will focus on position and direction . In **Science** we will be asking questions about creatures in the micro-habitats in our locality and investigating which habitats they prefer.

In our **RE** work we will be finding out about Easter traditions and customs in Mexico.



Polite Reminders

- Open Door Monday 3.20-3.40pm
- PE Lessons Monday & Thursday
- Please sign your child's diary every time you hear them read.

Homework

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

English - Reading comprehension 'Carnival Mask'

SPAG - Grammar questions

Spellings - /ee/ spelt 'ey'

Mathematics - Fraction questions

Times tables - $\times 5/\times 4$

Extra Mile Challenge - What is your favourite minibeast? Why not make a 3d model of a ladybird, caterpillar, spider or your favourite creature? Bring them in to show and add to our Science display.

Students of the Week

Star Writer of the Week - Shae Curriculum Star of the Week - Sienna Christian Value of Hope - Kayla

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

Florence, Kayla, Mia, Sienna, Isabella, Rhys, Matthew, Elissa & Tilly

