



Year 2 Newsletter

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Our Diamond 9 word this week is 'Relevant'.

Advent is here! We have been thinking about the Christian Value of **Joy** this week and how we can bring joy to others. We have enjoyed listening to the exploits of Pintsize, the piglet, in our Mudpuddle Farm story 'And Pigs Might Fly!' The children have been finding and using contracted words in their writing and practised their spellings and phonics.

In our Maths work we have been finding out about fractions and explored fractions of shapes and fraction walls. We have also been enjoying dancing with Webster, Posh Pooch and Bridget to learn our times tables. In Science we have been finding out about what animals eat and classified them as carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. It has been fascinating to discover what some animals actually eat! Your children have clearly been working hard on their animal projects as they were able to share lots of information about their chosen animals in our lessons this week. Well done!

Our RE work has focused on Jesus' world and we have compared it with our modern world. We have discovered our lives are very different to the lives of the people Jesus knew and met. We have begun our Advent countdown and lit the first candle on our Advent wreath. Class 2 would also like to say a big thank you to our local Parish Council for the Advent treat they sent into school for us this week.

Please contact me with any queries via email at class2@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk
Thank you, Mrs Ramsay.



Giving and Receiving of Christmas Cards

We are aware that many children will want to send Christmas cards to each other. We therefore have a range of ways that children can do this in the current climate:

- ❖ Children bring in their cards on either a **MONDAY** or a **TUESDAY**. These will then be quarantined and distributed on the **FRIDAY** of that same week. Please tuck in the flap of the envelope rather than licking it.
- ❖ Rather than sending in cards, you may wish to make a donation to our chosen charity, **NEST Lancashire**; an organisation which supports children with mental health and wellbeing challenges. Please send your donations in an envelope.

If you do not wish your child to receive Christmas cards, please contact school to let us know.

Year 2 Homework

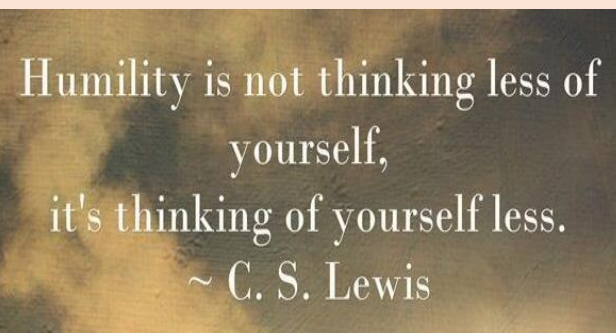
Maths – Fractions sheet

Spellings – // spelt as _al and _il

English – 'The Penguin' comprehension

Reading – Please read 5 times a week for 10 minutes at a time.

Our Courageous Advocate this week is **C.S. Lewis**



Talk about this quote. What do you think it means?

Year 2 Star of the Week Awards

Christian Value of Joy – Jayden

Curriculum Star Award – Thomas

