"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace."

EPHESIANS 4:2-3

Year 2 Newsletter



No.8 13th November 2020

Our Diamond 9 word this week is 'Independent'.

Our Courageous Advocate this week is – Stormzy.
Which book in the Bible did Stormzy read on BBC One on Christmas Day 2019?

This week we have been thinking about the Christian Value of Humility and how we should put others first. We have also marked Remembrance Day by watching, and taking part in, the service Year 6 shared with us via video link. The children were all very respectful and I am extremely proud of them all. They have also created some lovely poppy art this week which is now on display in our classroom.

In our Science work we have begun learning about identifying, classifying and grouping animals. They have enjoyed finding out about the features of different animals and sorting them into groups. The children have been given an animal project to work on over the coming weeks. Further information on this is provided below.

Our Maths work has focused on arrays and simple multiplication using tens, and we have been counting forwards and backwards from 0 in 2s, 5s and 10s.

In English this week we have been enjoying listening to further chapters of our Mudpuddle Farm story 'Mossop's Last Chance' by Michael Morpurgo, identified and collected groups of nouns, verbs and adjectives, and created noun phrases to use in our sentences.



KS1 Amazing Animals Science Project

This week your child has been given a four-week homework project. A copy of this has been added to your child's homework book and you will also find a copy on the Year 2 Home Learning tab on our school website for reference.

Projects are due on **Monday 14th December.**Please encourage and support your child with their learning. Thank you.

Homework this week
Maths – x10 multiplication
Spellings – /l/ spelt as _le
Reading – 5 times a week for 10 minutes at a time.

<u>Can you help?</u> Class 2 need cardboard boxes and tubes for their animal art/sculpture/modelling work this half term. Thank you.

<u>Lea Endowed Sponsored Child</u> Year 2 Fund Raising for Hamza - 26th November 2020

Please come to school dressed in pyjamas, snuggle suits or comfy clothes. We will be listening to stories, writing our own and enjoy chocolate milk and biscuits. A donation of £1 to support Hamza is requested. Thank you for your generosity.



Dates for your Diary

Monday 16th November 'Odd Socks' Diversity Day – please wear odd socks to school on this day.

Tuesday 17th November & Thursday 19th November Parents Evening Appointment slips have been sent home in your child's reading folder. Please check.

Friday 20th November

Non-uniform day for the Sycamore team (yellow)

Thursday 26th November

Year 2 Pyjama Day for Hamza

Friday 18th December

School closes for Christmas holidays at 2:00pm

Year 2 Star of the Week Awards

Christian Value of Humility – Logan Super Writing Star – Ella

