

Week beginning

9/11/20

STAR moments

We had a wonderful start to the new term. We kicked it off by launching our brand new Topic 'Media Mayhem'

We are continuing our Phonics and English focus reading 'Lost' this week about a lost cat 'Catkin.' Ask your child about the rich descriptive vocabulary they learnt to describe Catkin and her two kittens.

In Maths we have been counting to 100 through different steps, including counting up in tens. Place value has a major role in our learning over the next few weeks.

In our Big Reading this week we have been reading and learning about the story of the Three Little Pigs like never heard before... from the Wolf's point of view. Ask your child about the mischievous character that we have been exploring!

Year 2 Newsletter



This weeks learning..

We launched our History topic getting to know some interesting facts about the Great Fire of London in 1666. This week we will be jumping into an exciting experience using our Now Press Play technology learning some more interesting information on the Great Fire.

In Science we began our exciting new topic on Materials and this week we will be investigating how we can change materials in different ways.

In RE we will be celebrating Inter-Faith week. The children will be decorating their own mugs which represent their own beliefs.

In Laughology, we will be discussing how to be a good friend and how we can develop our positive relationships with ourselves and each other.

We will be continuing our phonics revision for our upcoming phonics screening check.

Remember children can earn Mathletics certificates, points on Bug Club and win tournaments on Times Table Rockstars!

Don't forget!

P.E is on Tuesdays - please wear your PE kit to school.
Spellings are tested on Fridays (**Learn your spellings for 5 minutes every day!**)
Fit Friday is every Friday.

Over to you...Home learning

Your maths task is to explore counting to 100. You can use the Maths to help you <https://mathsbot.com/manipulatives/blocks> Remember our place value!

Your reading challenge is to read a book on Bug Club and write a book review to display in class! We will be allocating house points to children who make a super effort!

Find your 4 speed sound lessons by clicking on the links below.

1. <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/hJaD5l3W/6c0v8pRL>
2. <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/xz3ZaisB/pX9pkbXm>
3. <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/SIqQWrkZ/XnJrsB4w>
4. <https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/cjHm72vU/Su3pbEB4>

Your **weekly spellings** are assigned to you via Google Classroom. This week we will be exploring unit 7.

Practice your spellings every evening and challenge yourself to make up a rap or a song to help you remember them. Why not upload your rap, song or video onto Google Classroom to show your teacher!

Our fun Online Spelling platform can also be used to build on our spelling strategies. <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> Read all your books at home? No problem! Don't forget about the E books and E Audio books! Keep writing your super book reviews. We can't wait to read them!

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