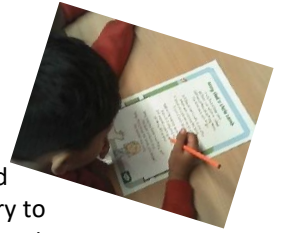


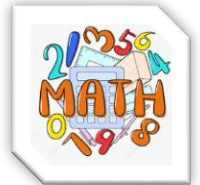
What have Year 2 been up to this week?



This week in English, Year Two have been exploring the wonderful world of nursery rhymes! The children have been enjoying reading a variety of rhymes, identifying which ones they already know, and discovering some new favourites. They've been developing their understanding of the key features of both rhymes and poems and have been inspired to create their own harvest-themed poems, which have been brilliant. To bring their poetry to life, the children have also been adding actions and performing their poems in class, making their learning both fun and memorable.



This week in Maths, Year Two have been building their skills in adding two-digit numbers. They started by exploring addition without regrouping, identifying the tens and ones in each number, and using base ten and place value counters to support their understanding.



Later in the week, the children moved on to adding two-digit numbers with regrouping. They enjoyed a practical lesson using visual aids and place value grids, helping them to grasp the concept of regrouping and the associated vocabulary. The hands-on approach really helped to make the learning clear and engaging.

In Topic...

This week in Topic, Year Two have been learning all about healthy eating and how to "eat well." The children explored the different food groups and discussed why each type of food is important for a balanced diet. They then enjoyed a hands-on activity, sorting a variety of foods into the correct groups and reinforcing their understanding of making healthy choices. It has been a lively and engaging week, full of practical learning and thoughtful discussions about eating well.



This week in P.E. the Year 2 children had lots of fun exploring the climbing frames. They practiced balancing, climbing, and moving confidently. Everyone worked hard to build their strength and coordination and most importantly, they showed great teamwork and confidence while trying new challenges!

We also celebrated Black History Month in more depth this week. We looked at the inspirational work of Rosa Parks and what she did to make a difference. We then used our knowledge to create a newspaper report about her from the time.

2A's Star of the Week



2A's star of the week is Dua! She leads by example all the time, is a kind friend and respectful to everyone. Keep up the hard work Dua!

2B's Star of the Week



Congratulations to Freya, our Star of the Week! Freya always shows fantastic engagement on the carpet, eagerly putting her hand up to answer questions. She works hard at her table, consistently tries her best, and follows both the school and classroom rules. Well done, Freya!



2A's coin total – 90 coins
2B's coin total 109 coins

Reminders for next week...

- Our **PE day** is **Thursday**, please ensure your child has their PE kit in school.
- Spelling tests are on **Monday**, please take some time to practice these with your child. New spellings will come home on **Tuesday**.
- New books will be set on **Collins Hub** on a **Friday** to be read at home.
- It is our **Harvest Festival assembly** on **22nd October**. 2A at 9:15, 2B at 2:45.

If you need any more information on anything, please feel free to ask.

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend!

From Mrs Islam and Miss Parker