

Year Two News

Friday 10th November



English

This week we have been learning about character descriptions. We read the story Lima's red hot chilli, and this is the book that we will soon rewrite and include our character into. We created our very own character and thought about their appearance, their personality and their name. Our challenge this week was to include similes.

Life long ago workshop

Today we had an amazing day at the life long ago workshop. The children learnt lots of different facts and became paleontologists, and thinking about what dinosaur they had discovered!

Art

This week the children started to make their volcanoes. Last week they planned out their 3D model and this week the children used these plans to begin their model using paper mâché. Thank you to all of you for your donations!



Recycling Scheme

Attached to this tapestry post is a information page about the recycling scheme that Sparhawk are taking part with. We are encouraging our families to recycle as much as we can and any of these wrappers we would love for you to bring into school. We are going to turn this into a competition against the classes, the class who recycles the most (based on weight) will win a prize!

Phonics

We have continued to recap over our Switch it Spell sounds: y (cry), y (crystal), ch (chef), ch (chorus), ou (soup).



Maths

This week we have been looking at adding and subtracting across 10 using a 1 digit number and a 2 digit number. We then moved this learning onto 10 more and 10 less. We even had a secret password that we needed to work out by answering the questions.

Home learning opportunity: Whilst your child is playing at home could you give them a problem solving question to answer. For example: If your child is playing with Lego, could you say to them 'Bob goes to the shop and buys 15 pieces of Lego. He gives his friend 7 pieces. How many does Bob have left?'. Your child could use lego pieces to help work this out or a numberline.

Please could you help your child to recognize their number bonds to 10- two numbers that add together to make 10. E.G. 7 + 3.

Donations

It will soon be that time of year where we're sure children will be receiving lots of lovely new toys. If you were to have a sort out and find any toys you don't need any more, please be aware we will always appreciate any donations particularly toys, games and books.

Dates

Friday 24th- Flu Immunisation

Friday 24th- FOSSA Christmas Fayre (7pm-9pm)

December

Tuesday 12th- KS1 Xmas Performance (AM)

Thursday 14th- KS1 Xmas Performance (PM)

Wednesday 20th- Last day of school