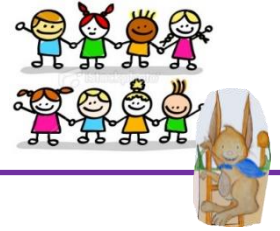


Year Two News



Friday 3rd May



English

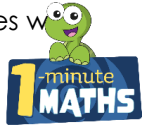
This week in English we have begun to write our own story, focusing on the beginning and the build up to the story. The children have been learning to use different sentence openers, use adjectives to describe and add detail about characters and settings. The children have story mapped the first two parts with a view to adding a problem, solution and ending in the next couple of weeks.

Phonics

This week we have been looking at suffixes again but this time looking at doubling the consonant and adding ing. For example jog → jogging.

Maths

This week we have continued to tell the time. The children used their knowledge from last week to then learn about how many hours and minutes are in a day. We have looked at how long our lessons are this week by looking at our class timetable. We have seen the shortest lessons are assemblies and the longest lesson we have is English. The children have been counting how many hours and minutes we spend learning the subjects.



1 Minute Maths

You could look at the multiplication section and multiplying by 5.

Science

This week we conducted a plant experiment. We potted seeds and are keeping them inside and outside to see how they grow. We also planted bulbs in our beds too, to see how they grow in comparison to seeds.

Geography

Within our Geography lessons we have been contacting a school in Kenya. They wanted to know more about the UK and its geography so we sent them some information of our learning. We then wanted to ask them similar questions about Kenya. We found out that the capital city is Nairobi and the climate is much hotter than ours. We have been looking at geographical features such as mountains (Kneya), beaches and savannahs.



Swimming

We shall be having four swimming sessions this term to help ready the children for swimming in junior school.

This will be at Sprowston High School on the following dates: **Coral – Mon 13th, 20th May, Mon 3rd & 10th June**

Ruby – Mon 17th & 24th June, Mon 1st & 8th July

Please could we ask the children to come to school with their swimwear already on underneath their uniform. They also need a swimwear bag, towel & swim hat.

The weeks that the children have got swimming on a Monday their class won't have PE on a Thursday.

Dates

Mon 6th May – Bank Holiday Monday

Mon 13th May – Swimming begins (Coral)

Fri 17th May – Premier in

Fri 24th May – Bewilderwood

Fri 24th May – Last day of term

Mon 3rd June – Children back

Mon 17th June – Swimming begins (Ruby)

Fri 28th June – Sports Day

Fri 28th June- Summer BBQ

Tues 16th July – Leavers Assembly 1:30pm

Weds 17th – Thurs 18th July – Hautbois trip

Fri 19th July – Last day at Sparhawk