# Year Two News



# Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May



# English

This week in English we have finished writing our own story, focusing on the resolution and ending.

We have looked at how to make a sentence more interesting with sentence openers and thought about including different conjunctions.

### **Design and Technology**

This week we cooked chapatis and samosas. We discussed how to cooked safely and all the children had a go at parts of the making of the food. The children then had the opportunity to try the food- take a look on Tapestry for any photos and videos 😂

#### <u>Science</u>

This week in Science we took a look at our flower beds and looked at how our flowers were doing after the temperature experiment we started two weeks ago. We were surprised to see that the flowers growing indoors are doing a lot better than outside! We then discussed how sunlight can help plants to grow. We carried out another experiment where we planted some more seeds and then placed one near a window with sunlight and the other in a cupboard without/ with very little light. We will continue to observe the growth and draw conclusions at the end.

### Warm Weather

Please can you make sure that your child comes into school with a named sunhat, water bottle and suncream.

There are some suncreams that last all day,

or you can send your child in with sun cream (please make sure it is named) which they can reapply during the day. Please be aware that we are not able to put the sun cream on the children



but we do have mirrors they can use.

## **Phonics**

This week we have been looking at suffixes again but this time looking at doubling the consonant and adding y. For example snap  $\rightarrow$  snappy.

# Maths

This week we have continued our learning with height and length. We have looked at the four operations  $(+, -, x, \div)$  and solved worded problems using one of the operations.

#### **1 Minute Maths**

You could look at any of the magic mix's within the addition and subtraction folders.

You could also recap over multiplication with 2 ?? 's, 10's and dividing by 2's, 5's, 10's.



#### **Bewilderwood**

Next Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May we will be going to Bewilderwood for our Key Stage One trip. Please ensure that your child is prepared for the trip by making sure they have a water bottle, sunhat, waterproof coat (dependent on weather forecast), packed lunch (unless you have ordered a school one) and suitable footwear. We will be asking for children to be in their normal school uniform however trainers are recommended. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.



# Dates

Week Commencing 20th May- Walk to school week Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May – Bewilderwood

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May – Last day of term

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Children back

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> June – Swimming begins (Ruby)

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> June- Summer BBQ

Tues 16th July - Leavers Assembly 1:30pm Weds 17<sup>th</sup> – Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> July – Hautbois trip Fri 19<sup>th</sup> July – Last day at Sparhawk