



Year 2 Homework Letter
Friday 19th January 2018

Our Learning This Week

This week in English, Year 2 have been retelling the story of 'Tadpole's Promise' in their own words. They have added description to their stories by first considering Monet's 'Waterlilies' and creating their own watercolour paintings and then using adverbial phrases to describe the type of setting where a tadpole and a caterpillar might encounter each other. For example, "where the willow meets the water" and "where the lily pads meet the forest".

In Maths, the children have been working hard on learning their number bonds to 10, 20 (and numbers between) and 100, eg. $4+6=10$, $15+5=20$, $6+12=18$, $20+80=100$. These pairs of numbers are as important to learn by heart as times tables, as they form the basis for all mental addition and subtraction calculations.

For our Art project this term, we are making lighthouses. Please can you bring a cardboard inner tube from some kitchen roll for next week's lesson on Thursday. We would also be glad of any unstapled newspapers you might have at home.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 23rd Jan - Clubs start

Fri 27th Jan, 7.30-10.30pm - PTFA Quiz Night

Wed 1st Feb, 9am - Year 2 Collective Worship

Fri 3rd Feb, 4-5pm - PTFA KS1 Disco

Tues 6th Feb, 2.30-5pm & 7-8pm - Internet Safety Drop-In Workshops

13th-17th Feb - Half Term

Tues 22nd Feb, 6-7.30pm - KS1 SATs Parent Meeting

Homework

There is a silent consonant spelling sheet to complete for homework this week. The Maths homework is online, either on the My Maths website, or if you cannot access this, there are some interactive Maths activities on Espresso - go to www.discoveryeducation.co.uk and log in with the username 'student28876, and password 'nutfield'. Navigate to KS1, Maths, Addition & Subtraction, Activities. Choose Lotto - 10 more than (0-100) and the Darts games. Please continue to read as often as you can.

Love Project - Tin a Week - 'Love Works'

The Tin a Week project allows your family to be involved in adding to the store of foods available to those having difficulties feeding their families and who live in the local area. If you would like to get involved, please bring in to school one tin or packet of food (with good best before dates) each week up until Easter. Your family's contributions will be delivered to the Love Works Centre and will directly benefit our neighbours. More details can be found on the school website.



"Where the bridge meets the sparkling water."

Enjoy your weekend, Mrs Fine and Miss Morris.