



## Year 2 Homework Letter

Friday 9th March 2018

Thank you for your support during the enforced school closure last week. As you will understand, it is of vital importance that the school ensures the safety and warmth of everybody at school - staff and pupils. We have rearranged all the Book Week activities that were scheduled for Thursday and Friday - please check the Dates for your Diary section and the School Newsletters for details.

### Our Learning This Week

In English, Year 2 have been writing newspaper reports based on our whole school book, 'Quest'. The children are becoming skilled at writing dialogue with accurate speech punctuation - a very tricky concept at this age. We also held the Spelling Bee on Monday - you will find the results in your child's Reading Record. Please send in to school any sponsorship money you have collected. In Maths, Year 2 are working hard at applying their knowledge of number bonds and place value to addition and subtraction problems and we have also introduced telling the time to 5 minute intervals. Telling the time is something that you can support your child with at home. In the beginning, using an analogue clock (with a circular clock face) works best, then moving on to digital.

### Dates for your Diary

w/c 12<sup>th</sup> March - School Clubs end  
**Change of Date** - Wed 14<sup>th</sup> March, 7-8.30pm  
- KS1 SATS meeting  
Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> March - Y2 trip to Shoreham  
RNLI Lifeboat Centre & Lighthouse  
Fri 16<sup>th</sup> March - St Patrick's Day team -  
dress in green  
19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> March - Parents' Evenings  
Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> March - Sport Relief & PTFA  
Easter Egg Hunt  
**Change of Date** - Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> March - Dress  
Up as your favourite book character for  
World Book Day/Last day of term

### Homework

In spelling, the children are learning about the different suffixes that can be added to the end of words. In class we have been thinking about making singular nouns plural and the different ways to do this. Homework this week focuses on finding plural nouns in the activity which you can find in the homework books. Maths homework can be found on the My Maths website and concerns place value and subtraction. As always, please encourage your child to read every day and, if possible, read with them.

### Trip to Shoreham - Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> March

Please make sure your child is dressed warmly for the trip with a rain proof coat, hat and gloves. School shoes or sturdy trainers will be best. They will also need a plastic bag to sit on for the beach. Please pack this and a packed lunch in their school bag as we will be bringing all our rubbish home with us (and maybe some pebbles!).



Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Fine & Miss Morris