



## Year 2 Homework Letter

28/09/2018



I would be very grateful if you could ensure that your child's jumper or cardigan is clearly named. Please could you also check that your child has taken home the correct the jumper / cardigan with them at the end of the day. I presently have two cardigans in the classroom which have not been claimed. Our Harvest Service will soon be here! The date has been changed since the July newsletter. The new date is Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 1.30pm. The service will be held at Christ Church. Christ Church PCC have asked that the children in each year group at Nutfield Church School collect a specific item. Year 2 have been asked to donate tins of vegetables, but please no red kidney beans or sweetcorn. The items should be well within their 'use by' dates. Secondly, please could each child bring in a shoe box, as we will be making Arctic Dioramas (theatre in a box) over the coming weeks. Many Thanks in advance.

### English

On Monday the children arrived to find their classroom had been taken over by an out of control beanstalk! As a class, we thought about the following questions: Where does it go? How did it get there? Do you think anyone has climbed it? On Tuesday the plot thickened when a pair of giant feet with a sinister note, which read 'Fee-fi-fo-fum I'm feeling hungry, here I come....' was found in the school grounds. This was, of course, the hook, to our new book 'Jim and the Beanstalk' by Raymond Briggs. The children spent time creating their own giant words, by replacing 'f' with different consonants and rhyming - um words e.g: hee, hi, ho, hum.

### Maths

Our focus this week in Maths has been on Shape. We have looked at the following areas:

- Identifying and describing the properties of 2D shapes.
- Identifying and describing properties of 2D shapes in the world around us.
- Identifying and describing the properties of irregular 2D shapes.
- Sorting 2D shapes using a Venn diagram.
- Identifying lines of symmetry in 2D shapes.

### Homework

**Spellings:** I have stuck a sheet of spellings in the front of your child's homework book. Please learn the spellings in the **week 3 column** (the sound /s/ spelt 'c' before e, i and y). Spelling tests will be on **Fridays**.

**Comprehension:** I have stuck a comprehension text into your child's homework book. Please read the text and answer the questions.

**Maths:** Please complete the task entitled Shape Palace. There is an **optional** task to cut out examples of pentagons, hexagons and octagons from magazines. Homework books need to be returned by **Wednesday** please. This allows us time to mark the children's work.

### Dates for your diary

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2018: Harvest Service (Christ Church) 1.30 - 2.30 pm.

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2018: PTFA Bags to School.

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018: PTFA Cinema night 3.15 - 5.15 pm.

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
**HALF TERM.**

We hope you have a lovely weekend.  
Mrs Brooks, Mr Bowen, Miss Murray and Mrs Fowler.



