



# Year 2 News Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025

## Notice board

### DATES/REMINDERS

- We welcome parents and grandparents who have grown up in Sawbridgeworth into our classrooms. We would love for these people to tell us how different this town was compared to now and they might be able to bring in photographs for us to look at? Please let the class teacher know if you (or one of your relatives) are able to join us.
- **Year 2 has PE on Monday and Thursday, please make sure your child always has their PE kit in school as physical activity is very important. Some children are coming in without their PE kits and we do not have many spare. Thank you.**
- Please remember to read daily with your child and record it in the blue record books. This is important to ensure they have enough practise to become fluent readers.

### **Show and Tell**

Please remember that we would love to receive photos of your child's house. We will learn about different houses and will soon become 'estate agents' so these photos help us focus on and practise both these things.

### Maths

In Maths next week, we will explore adding three numbers together to get 10 and then 20. We will also look at subtracting using the written method by portioning two digit numbers into tens and ones e.g.  $23 - 12 = 10$   $30 - 10 = 20$

**Word of the week:**  
**vertically**

### English

**RWI:** Here are the links for 'Special Friends'.

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/aY5MRgYq/ia1zgOoS>

### Topic

In topic next week we will be focus on pargeting. Please ask your child what pargeting is, how it was used and where in Sawbridgeworth you can see pargeting on buildings! The children will design their own pargeting patterns before making a clay tile with pargeting on it.

**Word of the week:**  
**pargeting**

## Home Learning Tasks

**Mental Maths challenges:** practise 'borrowing' a ten when subtracting 2 digit numbers with this online game: <https://www.education.com/game/two-digit-subtraction-mountain/> You can log in with [epotma@fandb.herts.sch.uk](mailto:epotma@fandb.herts.sch.uk) and the password is: Venus2022 It only seems to work on Chrome. Have fun!

**Topic:** Practise using 'Street Map' and Google Maps to see what different places you can find. [https://www.streetmap.co.uk/street/NEW\\_STREET\\_in\\_SAWBRIDGEWORTH\\_in\\_HERTFORDSHIRE\\_in\\_CM21\\_659367\\_3261\\_02.htm](https://www.streetmap.co.uk/street/NEW_STREET_in_SAWBRIDGEWORTH_in_HERTFORDSHIRE_in_CM21_659367_3261_02.htm) Click on the link to look at Sawbridgeworth on Street Map.

Can your child create a map of your local area at home? If so, we'd love to see them and share them with the class!