



Year 2 News Friday 27th February 2026

Notice Board

Please be reminded that on 5th March we have World Book Day! Children can dress up as a character of their choice.

We would like to invite parents and members of our community who work in STEM to talk to our children about your career! Let us know if you can visit us, we would love to have you.

Please remember to bring in PE kits, we have PE on Thursdays and Fridays.

Physical challenge

In PE this half term our topics are: net and wall as well as target games. We noticed during PE that many children struggle to keep a small ball up with a tennis racket so it would be great if children can practise this at home! Count how many times they can hit the ball up with a racket this week and check again just before Easter after practising as much as possible. You'll see how quick your child progresses!

English

In English next week we will be learning to do descriptive writing. We will be writing describing characters from George's Marvellous Medicine and our World Book Day characters.

Word of the week: **Character**

Maths

In maths we will begin to look at division and grouping. We will make groups of 2s, 5s and 10s. We will be answering word problems using division.

Word of the week:
Division

Topic

Next week we will work on our science investigations "How do materials change?" We will be going on a material hunt and looking at how we can change them e.g. bending, stretching etc. We will make predictions and record our findings.

Word of the week:

Mixture

Home Learning Tasks

Spellings: We will be focusing on mnemonics (easy ways to remember how to spell tricky words), for example: because 'big elephants can't always understand small elephants'.

Maths challenges: Please continue to log on to TTRockstars and practise your multiplication skills.

<https://trockstars.com/> / For extra division enjoy playing the following division game online :

<https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/doggyDivision/index.html>

Talk Task: With items around the house see if you can come up with WOW words to describe them. For example 'mouth-watering', 'glossy' or 'squishy'.

Topic: As we are looking at materials in Science, you could discuss which materials some household items are made of.