

Year 2 News - Friday 9th October 2026

Notice board

Reminders

- Reading books: Please try and read with your child (even just a couple of pages) **daily** and send the reading books and reading record into class **every day**.
- Please make sure that your child knows which **lunch** option they are having *before* they come into school, this helps us to do the register quickly and will allow the children to go straight into guided reading after washing their hands.
- Please remember to send children into school wearing their PE kits on Thursday and Friday
- A reminder that Parents evening will take place on Tuesday 13th October and Thursday 15th October.

Reminder: the castles the children have made/are making for our end of topic celebration can be brought into school from the 12th of October.

English

In English we will be carrying on with our RWI.

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

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/aY5MRqYq/ia1zq0oS>

Maths

In Maths, we will focus on mental strategies for addition and subtraction including re balancing numbers to 10.

Word of the Week:
Strategy

Topic

Next week we will discuss the bridges in our local area. Children will discuss what the bridges are used for, what they are made from and what shapes they are. Children will also look at maps and discover the symbol for bridges.

Word of the Week:
symbol

Home Learning Tasks

Maths challenges: this link: <https://apps.mathlearningcenter.org/number-line/>

Will allow you to explore number lines. It allows you to explore numbers on a number line and even created your own. Talk about what comes before/after a given number and what is halfway.

Topic: Go on a walk and explore your local area keeping a look out for any bridges, take photos of any bridges you find and bring them in to class to share.

Purple Mash: To reinforce our work in Maths from this week we have set work to do with halving an amount for the Year 2 children to do at home on Purple Mash.