



# Year 2 News Friday 7th July 2023

## Notice board

### Reminders

Please make sure your child has his/her costume for the end of Year 2 show in next week! Thank you for all the costumes that have already made it into the classroom: we can't wait to start doing our dress rehearsals!

Please remember to bring in Pringle cans and clear yoghurt pots for making our lighthouses.

Please continue to enjoy reading with your children daily as this helps them maintain the lovely progress they have made this year.

*On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July we will be spending the morning in our new classes. This is yet another opportunity to transition well into the children's new school.*

### English

For English next week we will learn about Captain James Cook. We will write our personal opinion about him before creating story maps of his life and adventures which we'll use when we write an information text about him. This English unit will take us to the end of half term as we're at Reedings 2 mornings next week and will use some English lessons to rehearse for our show!

### Maths

In Maths we are recapping on everything we've learned in Maths this year and focussing on some areas we might have found challenging e.g. fractions of quantities.

We will play Maths games on Purple Mash and TTRockstars and complete some end of term quizzes and challenges.

### Topic

In Topic next week we will become designers! We plan and design lighthouses. We will then make them with pringle cans and yoghurt pots and even include a light. We will focus on which materials to use and how to join different materials and parts together.

### Extra things to do at home!

- Remember to keep reading at home: magazines, newspapers, storybooks, information books. We encourage the children to continue playing (and learning) with Numbots and TTRockstars, the children's log in details are inside the front cover of their reading records.
- There are some great ideas for the summer holidays for families here:

<https://wonderadventures.co.uk/15-ideas-for-awesome-childrens-summer-holiday-activities/>