

# Year 2 News - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023

## Notice board

### Reminders

Next week F&B will be taking part in the Sawbo Travel challenge. Another initiative to promote sustainable and active travel. It will run from Monday 25th to Friday 29th September ending with a Town Walk on Saturday 30th September from 11am to 2pm at Bell Street Car Park (organised by Sawbridgeworth Town Council). Each day will have a different theme.

**Eco Monday – wear something green**

**Trainer Tuesday – wear your trainers to school**

**Wacky Wednesday – wear something wacky and bizarre!**

**Fun Hat Thursday – can be silly or sensible**

**Funky Footwear Friday – Jazz up your footwear**

Pupils will receive a passport where the teacher can stamp it as the week progresses.

*Please remember that the children are only allowed to bring water in to school, not juice or flavoured water.*

### 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/ia1zqQ>

### Maths

In Maths next week we will be adding more than 2 single digits using reordering. We will be learning ways to make addition simpler when adding with numbers such as 11 and 9.

**Word of the Week: reordering**

### Topic

Next week we will look at how the weight of a projectile can affect the damage of a castle wall. We will be investigating and learning about how to make tests fair. We will focus on making observations and recording results on a table.

**Word of the Week: projectile**

## Home Learning Tasks

**Maths challenges:** Please help your child to log on to Numbots and TTRockstars and give them some time to explore/play the games. It is important all children can access these as both games are an important part of our learning and Maths and Mrs Brennan is keen to throw some TTRockstars battles our way!

**Topic:** Research some famous man-made tunnels in England or Europe. Look at pictures of the tunnels, describe them and find out why they were built and what they were/are used for.

**Reading:** We can't stress the following often enough: children in primary schools (and most secondary schools would want to be included) should read (or be read to when younger) EVERY SINGLE DAY! In [this](#) article you can read about 7 amazing benefits of reading daily!

