

Year 2 News - Friday 20th October 2023

Notice board

Reminders

Next half term our topic is: Beat, Band, Boogie! All about music, instruments, artists etc
If you (or someone you know) plays an instrument well we would welcome you (or them) into the classroom for the children to hear a range of instruments being played,
Please email us to arrange this.

Please remember to keep reading with your child and have a go at the reading challenges.

If parents would like to visit us and play an instrument during one of our assemblies that would be greatly appreciated.

If you haven't already done so, please complete the Christmas lunch Google form.

Have a lovely half term everyone!

Thank you to everyone who came into the class for our 'End of Topic' celebration, we hope you enjoyed looking at all the castles and topic books as much as we did!

For show and tell during the first week back we would love to receive (email please) 1 photo of something your child did in half term!

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/ia1zqO>

Maths

In Maths we will move on to looking at amounts of money the week after half term. We will learn to recognise the different coins and make different amounts with them. We will be solving word problems involving money too. Maybe your child can practise counting with some coins during half term? Or pay for something in cash at the shops together?

Word of the Week: Amount

Topic

After half term, we will introduce children to their new exciting topic 'Beat Band Boogie'. We will explore musical instruments, sounds and rhythms and the children will make their own balloon drum. For our memorable experience Year 2 will receive a special guest who has won a Grammy award and who will show the children how to make music.

Word of the Week: Rhythms

Home Learning Tasks

Topic: If your child would like to explore more activities on our Topic from this half term, have a look at some of the videos on this website: <https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/learn/teaching-resources/>

Maths Please continue to use Numbots and TTRockstars throughout half term if the weather doesn't improve! ;-). Also have a go at some online games for 10 more and 10 less for extra practise.
<https://wordwall.net/en-us/community/10-more-10-less-games>