

# Year 2 News Friday 1st March 2024

# **Notice Board**

Please be reminded that on 7<sup>th</sup> 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 play a musical instrument to share your musical talents with us! 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 Mondays and Thursdays.

### Physical challenge

In PE this half term our topics are: <u>net and wall</u> as well as <u>target</u> <u>games</u>. We noticed on Monday 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!

## <u>English</u>

In English next week we will be learning to do descriptive writing. We will be writing about our own made up marvellous medicine for grandma and coming up with imaginative effects!

Word of the week: Effect

#### **Maths**

In maths we will be continuing with Multiplication. We will use our skills to work out word problems relating to multiplication.

> Word of the week: Addtion

#### **Topic**

Next week we will work on our science investigations "Which stuff is stickier?" and "How is mud made?" We will continue to make predictions and record our findings.

Word of the week:

#### <mark>Mixture</mark>

#### **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. <u>https://ttrockstars.com/</u>

**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 healthy foods, draw a plate of your favourite food. Is it healthy? Could you change or any anything?