

## Year 2 Weekly Newsletter

## Week Ending: Friday 26th of November 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children are doing great work in school, they are excited to be learning new things about India and different countries and we continue to be very proud of them.

This year, due to Covid restrictions, our annual Christmas performance will be online. The children will act out a Christmas story that we will share as a video with you on our Year 2 blog. Further details about costumes to follow in our next newsletter.

Literacy	Numeracy	Торіс
We will continue to learn	We are learning about	We will be talking about
about India. We will be	division as sharing equally	our emotions in PSHE. In
finding out lots of new	in groups. The second	Science we will learn about
facts and information and	number in a number	healthy diet. In music we
presenting this in	sentence will show us how	will be learning some new
different ways. We will be	many groups we need.	songs and playing the
talking about verbs, nouns,		glockenspiels. In ICT we
adjectives, conjunctions		will be learning about
and adverbs.		internet safety.

<u>Homework</u>

Please complete homework in the green homework book and make sure your child hands it in no later than Wednesday each week. Marked books will be returned to them on Friday each week.

Reading	CLIC Learn-its
Please read with your child regularly and	Our learn-its are:
fill in the reading chart.	6X10=60
	7X10=70
	8×10=80
	9X10=90
	10X10=100
Spelling	Literacy:
Children will have their next spelling test	Write an exciting sentence including the
on Friday (3rd of December).	noun: <u>classroom</u>
	Write an exciting sentence including the
These are the words they will be tested	verb: <u>enjoy</u>
on: <b>creature, nature, church, match,</b>	Write an exciting sentence including the
ditch	adjective: <u>terrifying</u>
	Write an exciting sentence including the
	conjunction: <u>so</u>

## **Topic Homework Activities**

These activities are optional, meaning that your child DOES NOT HAVE TO DO THEM, however they might enjoy doing them! If your child chooses to complete any of these, they can do them in their homework book and teachers will happily mark them <sup>(2)</sup>

Each week, choose a homework activity to complete. Some of the tasks could be done by yourself, some will need an adult to help you.

- 1. Choose a favourite animal and draw and label its lifecycle.
- Anti-bullying week takes place during the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> November. Draw a child who is being bullied or a child who is bullying. Add thought bubbles to show what they are thinking and feeling.
- 3. Draw around your hand and create your own henna design. Different patterns symbolise different meanings, for example a bird means freedom and flowers mean joy and happiness. Write a sentence to explain what your pattern means.
- 4. We are learning about Mahatma Gandhi, who is famous for his words of wisdom. Research 'Gandhi quotes' and choose one with an adult. What do you think it means? How can we use it in our everyday lives?
- 5. Over a week, create your own weather chart. You could record the temperature as well as different types of weather. Can you think of symbols to show different kinds of weather?
- 6. Choose a capital city from the United Kingdom and make a poster filled with information about this place.