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OUR WEEK IN YEAR 2

-Together we learn and grow-



To help keep you connected with what is happening in the classroom we will be putting together an overview of the following week's learning for you to have a look at. We hope you find this useful!

A Nurturing Environment

Our Mission



We nurture all children to be:

- **Successful lifelong learners** who love learning, make progress and achieve
- **Confident individuals** who are able to live safe, happy and active lives
- **Responsible citizens** who make a positive contribution to their community

This week the children have looked at different Jigsaw activities. We have talked about ways we can keep ourselves and others happy and safe at school. We also discussed who the children could speak to if they had any worries.



Phonics/ Spelling

Next week the children will be exploring these graphemes:

ai ee igh oa oo ar

Next week the children will be practising the tricky words:

so some come

Reading

Each child will have taken home a reading book and reading record today. Children will be able to change their reading book on a **Tuesday** and **Friday**

each week. This is to allow time for the books to be left before moving to another household.

Re-reading a familiar book is always an excellent strategy to help children improve their comprehensions skills. You may like to do this by asking children questions about what they have read and encouraging them to make sensible predictions about what might happen next.

Each year 2 class will also spend time reading and exploring a book together:

Silver Birch - 'Grandad's Island' by Benji Davies

Rowan - 'Grandad's Island' by Benji Davies

Sycamore - 'The Colour Monster' by Anna Llenas



Writing

Writing activities will centre on the class' text. Children will take part in a variety of art and imaginative activities to really immerse them in their new text. They will write simple sentences, focusing on applying their phonics knowledge. We will also be encouraging the use of a capital letter to begin each sentence and a full stop to end it, as well as finger spaces between words.

Increasing Vocabulary

The three texts which year 2 children will be exploring all provide opportunities to talk about feelings. Much of our class discussion will focus on emotion, and we will be continuing encourage the children to explore and use this vocabulary.

Maths

Next week we will be exploring the place value of 2-digit numbers. We will spend time talking about '**tens**' and '**ones**'. We will look at manipulatives and pictures to work out what 2 digit number is being represented. At the end of the week we will **partition** 2-digit numbers into their tens and ones.

Have a lovely weekend ☺