

## Week ending Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Our learning this week

In Maths, the children have been learning about addition and subtraction using dienes. We've completed a mix of practical and written activities to help the children work out the total when adding two 2-digit numbers. The children have also worked hard to exchange a ten for ten ones when subtracting a I-digit number from a 2-digit number. Well done children! In English, we have practised our WAGOLL, 'Lost and Found' and have adapted the original story using our own ideas. The children have also written some expanded noun phrases to describe a tiger by exploring articles, adjectives and nouns.

## Messages

Reading books – Please send your child's reading book to school EVERY DAY as the children read regularly during registration.

There are a few changes to the day your child's book will be changed. Please see below:

2J — Tuesday

2A - Thursday

## 2CA - Thursday

We would like your child to build their reading fluency and expression so please encourage both as they read with you at home. Please also use the 'Year Two Questions for Reading Bookmark' sheet that was sent home with your child to develop their comprehension of a text. This is an important Year Two skill and is required for children to be 'on track' for reading in Year 2.

We strongly encourage all children to enjoy reading other books from home or the library in addition to their allocated book. These should provide your child with a wider exposure to a range of books and vocabulary.

Bug Club – Thank you for supporting your child with reading their e-book on the Phonics Bug site. A new book will be assigned every Thursday. Please remember that your child needs to close the bug's eyes at the start and end of the book by completing the short activity. If the eyes are left open, it won't show as complete on the teacher's admin page!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Ashforth, Miss Allen and Miss Jones