

Year 2 - Week Commencing 2.10.17

Maths

We will be looking at which appropriate equipment to use when measuring length and height and investigating how to use rulers to measure length/height to the nearest cm.

English

We will be using our trip to Thornton Hall to help us complete a recount. This will then be used as part of our talk for writing to help us with our shared write. We will be researching different non-fiction texts to gather information about Barnoldswick in preparation for planning a non-chronological report about the town.

Theme

We will be continuing with our topic 'The place where I live.' This week we will be beginning our art project which will be to produce a mono print relating to school. We will be looking at examples of mono prints and then creating observational drawings of things around the school. We will be thinking about animal sounds in music and thinking about what sounds we can use with our voices to represent a particular mood.

Extras

French will be on Friday.

PE will be on Tuesday and Friday-please make sure P.E. kits are in for these days.

My PPA time will be on Friday and Mrs Mackie will be teaching the class.

Please remember to also read at home every day with your child and to sign their reading record book when you have read with them.

Homework: There is a counting in 2s activity that has been sent home this week to practise the x2 tables and there will be a quiz on these next Friday. Please remember that there is also Times Tables Rock Stars and specific times tables have been set on this. There is also an activity on Active Learn relating to comparing and ordering numbers. <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>

Phonics/ spelling Focus: This week we will be focusing on the ue sound (as in clue, blue) the phonemes ai and ay and a-e (rain, play and same).

There will be a spelling test on words with these sounds on Thursday as well as some common exception words and words containing some of the other phonemes taught so far.