

Year 2 - Week Commencing 9.10.17

Maths

We will be looking at which appropriate equipment to use when measuring mass and investigating how to use/read weighing scales to measure mass in Kg and g.

English

We will be using our shared text map to plan and begin writing our own non-chronological reports about a Forest School. We will be writing short descriptions and will be focusing on applying skills such as conjunctions, adjectives, full stops, capital letters, question marks and exclamation marks.

Theme

This week we will be continuing with our mono print designs. We will be using our observational drawings to create our own motifs linked to our school/local area. We will then be experimenting with printing in preparation for our final prints. 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. We will also be talking about different instruments.

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 Tuesday 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/ x2 tables activity that has been sent home this week 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 a maths activity on Active Learn relating to comparing lengths and heights. <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>

***Please could the children bring in any kitchen roll tubes or small cardboard boxes into school-we will be making our own musical instruments over the next few weeks so these would be appreciated.**

Phonics/ spelling Focus: This week we will be focusing on the graphemes ew (as in flew), oo (as in moon), ue (as in blue) and o (as in who). We will also be looking at the graphemes 'oe' (as in toe) and 'oa' (as in boat)

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. The children have been asked to bring in their spelling record books every Friday so that their spelling scores and times tables scores can be written in.