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Dear Year 2 Parents

Week 11 - home learning (virtual sports week)



Another fantastic week of work from year 2. Thank you to everyone who has sent work across to the office for me to see or through Purple Mash. I have loved the marine aquariums and the beginnings of new sculptures - wonderful work.

Miss Simmonds is continuing to give feedback to your child through Purple Mash - where there is a 2do set - so this is a great opportunity for your child to show a year 3 teacher what they can do.

This week is dedicated to sport with a virtual sports day set - I can't wait to see how you get on.

The activities on the home learning timetable for week 11 are:

PE

In addition to the usual morning starters we have the virtual sports day with fun activities for you to try with your family. All the best!

Reading

The reading activities last week were building up to your writing task this week. Please use books in your home or those online (www.freechildrenstories.com) to help your child explore story problems and their solutions.



Spelling

Please continue choosing words that your child cannot spell yet on the high frequency list or the common exception list. These are words that yr 2 children should be able to spell within their writing tasks if they are working at the year 2 standard. Extra words are topic based - sport, athlete, athletics, Olympics, challenge, sprint, sprinter, jump, jumper, medal.

Maths

This week we are focusing on measures to link with our sporting events (In addition to ongoing multiplication). I have placed a range of activities onto Education City - some year 1 and some year 2- so that your child can choose the one that is best for them. Practical measuring during your family sports day would be great too.

Science

Wow! - What brilliant work some of your children did in response to the Maddie and Greg video in last week's Science lesson. I love the marine aquariums. This week we are concentrating on bodies to link with our sport week. Have fun with it and please send photos through to the office if you would like me to look through them.

ICT

I have put two activities on for this week as I know how popular they are.

Safety on the internet

I am very aware that your child is using the internet much more than they would ordinarily. At school we remind children before each lesson how to stay safe online. This is even more important now that we are exposing children to different YouTube links. Please ensure that you are working with your child when they are on YouTube to keep them safe. Many thanks.

I would like to reiterate, once again, that although I have timetabled the week please swap days and timings around to suit you and your family. Both the PE and the audio stories can be accessed at any time on the YouTube channels as can Purple Mash, Education City and TT Rock stars.

Keep up the great work you are doing, we all understand that it is not easy and fully appreciate your efforts.

Mrs Bourne and the Year 2 team