Weekend Words - Year 2

What have we been learning this week?

In English this week we have continued to look at 'The Troll' by Julia Donaldson. We have been looking at how we can edit and improve character descriptions, plan character descriptions for a new character and write our final independent character description using all our newly learned skills.

This week in Maths we have continued our unit on multiplication and division. We have looked at the 10 times table, 5 times table, bar modelling grouping and sharing.

We have been learning the 5 times tables on TTRS, please continue to encourage your child to practice their 5 times tables and use TTRS regularly as this is part of our home learning.

Reminders

Uniform

We have sent PE kits home this week, please take this opportunity to check your child's PE kit still fits and is **clearly labelled**.

Water bottles

Please can a named water bottle be in school every day.

Reading

Please make sure you are recording when you read with your child at home. We check reading records daily and it is expected that children read 5 times a week. **A reminder that children are expected to re-read their reading books to encourage reading fluency, we will only be changing books once they have been read more than once.**

Our day to change reading books is **Monday.**

What are we looking forward to?

World Book Week – Monday 2nd March

The theme for this year's World Book Day week is picture books.
Friday 6th March – dress up as your favourite book character.

Competition
Our World Book Day Week competition for this year will be "Extreme Reading". We are asking children to get creative with how and where they are enjoying reading. There will be four winners - one from each key stage - and one overall winner, who will each win a £5 voucher to spend at the book fair. The crazier places to be caught reading the better!
Please email photo entries to Miss Mannion using the office email office@buckinghampark.org by **Thursday 5th March.**

Spellings

Spellings are on Purple Mash, inside your child's reading record it will say whether your child is Set 1 or Set 2 as well as their Purple Mash login. Please encourage your child to practice their spellings ready for a weekly spelling test on a Friday.

oa, oe, ow vowel digraphs
Set 1
1. boat
2. coat
3. road
4. coach
5. goal
6. toe
7. goes
8. own
9. snow
10. grow

The possessive apostrophe
Set 2
1. Megan's
2. Ravi's
3. girl's
4. child's
5. man's
6. boy's
7. bike's
8. computer's
9. school's
10. parent's