Weekend Words - Year 2

What have we been learning this week?

In Maths we have started our new unit of statistics. We have been learning about tally charts, tables, block graphs and pictograms. The children had great fun collecting their own data and representing this on tally charts and pictograms.

This week in English we have continued our learning of adventure stories. We have revisited our plans and our failed project designs, drafted our stories including conjunctions, adjectives and expanded noun phrases and then wrote these up in blue pens and edited and improved these for our audience.

On Tuesday 9th June we will be having an author visit from Beatrice Simpkiss who will be talking about her picture book "Ziggy the Caterpillar's Zigzag Adventure". To order a signed copy of the book, follow the link below: https://www.ourbookshoptring.co.uk/product/ziggy-the-caterpillars-zigzag-adventure-a-story-about-self-discovery/

Reminders

Warm weather

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle and sun hat in school (weather dependent). Sunglasses are not allowed, unless these are prescription glasses.

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. 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.**

Uniform reminders

Please can children refrain from bringing items in from home, especially stationary.
Please can we ask for you to check that all of your child's school uniform is clearly labelled. We are unable to locate missing uniform if it does not have a name on it.

What are we looking forward to?

Welcome back to the final term of Year 2! We can hardly believe how fast this year has gone. We hope you had a lovely half term enjoying the sunshine and are ready for an action packed summer term!

Dates for your diaries:

Thursday 11th June – Class photographs

Thursday 11th June – Art Gallery 3.15-3.45

Please note the new date for the Art Gallery

WB 8th June – SATs Week 2

WB 22nd June – Sports Week

Friday 26th June – Sports Day 11.00am

Spellings

Spellings are on Purple Mash and are an important part of home learning in Year 2. Please encourage your child to practice their spellings ready for a weekly spelling test on a Friday.

'tch' in words
Set 1

1. catch
2. fetch
3. kitchen
4. notch
5. hutch
6. snatch
7. match
8. ditch
9. hatch
10. watch

Words ending 'il'
Set 2

1. pencil
2. fossil
3. nostril
4. pupil
5. April
6. gerbil
7. lentil
8. stencil
9. utensil
10. basil

Phonics spellings – sounds and tricky words

1. have	3. air	5. look	7. was
2. ear	4. igh	6. the	8. you