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 write a character description using "show don't tell", planned, written and edited a character description about one of the pirates and looked at using commas in sentences.

This week in Maths we have continued our unit on multiplication and division. We have looked at making equal groups by sharing, the 2 times tables, dividing by 2, doubles and halves and odd and even numbers.

We have started 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

UDOIT Street Dance

Next week will be our last street dance PE lesson run by UDOIT Street Dance. We have loved learning some new dance moves!

Uniform

As you are aware, the weather is extremely cold at the minute! As long as it is safe to do so, we will still be going outside for break, lunch and PE. Please ensure your child has appropriate clothing (a warm coat, hat, scarf, gloves, winter PE kit) and that these are **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.

What are we looking forward to?

Parents evening

Bookings are now open for parents evening. These will be on Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th February, 4-7pm. Please make sure you book your slot.

Children's Mental Health Week

Next week is Children's Mental Health Week. We will be having a Worship time on Monday to find out more about what this means and will be basing our PSHE lesson on the book "The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse", looking at what makes us special and unique.

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.

Division of words into syllables

Set 1

1. pocket
2. rabbit
3. carrot
4. thunder
5. sunset
6. market
7. office
8. magic
9. puppet
10. target

'n' sound spelt 'kn' and 'gn' and 'z' sound spelt 'su'

Set 2

1. gnat
2. treasure
3. knew
4. television
5. know
6. measure
7. gnaw
8. usual
9. visual
10. knock