

# Our Week In Year Two

Friday 2nd October 2020

## NEWHALL

Year 2 have carried on learning all about Rosa Parks this week. They have been fascinated about how different life was back then and it has inspired some excellent debates within class. Ahead of anti bullying week, Year 2 have also taken part in learning about the importance of being kind to all those around us.

**English:** This week the children have started reading our class story. They have written some excellent diary entries that demonstrate a real sense of empathy towards the characters.

**Spellings:** Your child should have started learning the spelling list for week beginning 28.9.20. They will be tested on these words on Wednesday. Please ensure practice is happening at home.

**Maths:** In Maths we have continued to concentrate on place value to assist with addition. The children are becoming more confident with strategies such as column method, part whole method, and counting on to add using a number line. Next week we will be comparing numbers, ordering numbers and looking closely at number bonds.

### Home learning task

As mentioned above, please ensure that time is allocated daily to reading and spelling practise, in addition to support your child in maths please practise counting in two's and five's.

All the children have now been issued a library book, please keep them in your child's bookbag when they are not being read so that the children can enjoy them both at home and at school. These will be changed weekly so please ensure they are in school on Mondays for our library sessions. The children have also been given a bookmark– this has questions printed on it to support you while listening to your child read.

Maths Home Learning will be via Mathseed. All children should now have a password. Please let us know if there are any problems.

### Just a few reminders...

- Please ensure your child brings in a jumper/cardigan and a raincoat as the weather gets colder.
- Please make sure children's long hair is tied back and ensure no nail varnish is worn to school.
- As always please can you continue to make sure your child brings in a named water bottle each day.
- Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school.

**Year Two do PE on a Wednesday and Friday.**