

We have had another great week in Year 2, all the children have now settled into the new school routines and are enjoying their learning. We have now visited the library and all children will have been issued with a library book and a Read, Write, Ink book. These will be in your child's book bags and need to be read and home and brought into school each day. It was great to see all the children take part in Jeans for Genes day today!

English: In English, we have been learning all about dragons and the characters that they play within stories, as part of this the children have begun learning how to plan their own stories and what features they need to include. Next week we will be starting our class book and focusing on adjectives and their purpose.

Maths: In Maths, the children have been continuing to focus on learning their numbers and number value. As part of this, they have been learning how to use a place value chart and then how to use that to help them order numbers up to 50. The children have really enjoyed this, especially the group work aspect and their confidence is already increasing.

Key information:

- **Library-** The children will visit the library every Friday and this will be their opportunity to change their library, phonics and Accelerated Reader books.
- **PE-** The children will do PE on a Monday and a Thursday afternoon. Please ensure that PE kits stay in school for the entire half term and remove earrings on these days.
- **Spellings** Please make sure that children are given time at home to practise their spellings each week ready for their spelling test on a Wednesday

Reminders:

- Please ensure that all uniform is labelled clearly with your child's full name and class, if this is done in pen please check regularly that this has not worn off.
- We encourage children to bring in named water bottles every day.
- Please ensure that children have either sun cream or coats with them in school each day de-

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce ourselves and thank you all for your support in getting the children back to school safely.

- Miss Wiggins and Miss Sperrin