



# Our Week In Year Two

Friday 21st January 2022

NEWHALL

Welcome,

Hopefully, you have all had a chance to read the reports on your children that were sent out via Arbor. On Wednesday.

This week the children have really enjoyed being outside for our science lessons and exploring the micro habitats and the mini beasts we find living there. Children are also learning about shading and tones in art and how to use their fingers to blend. In History the children enjoyed learning about Christopher Columbus and his journey across the Atlantic ocean! We are starting to use a new programme for Computing called Purple Mash and letters were sent to you giving you your child's logins. We asked the children to also stick these in their homework books for you to also view it there. We hope they are there or at least you have the letter to refer to.

**Maths-** This week in Maths we have continued to look at equal groups but now we have progressed onto using the division symbol and understanding that it means sharing out into groups.

**English-** This week we have started to read more of the A Winters Child book which the children thoroughly enjoyed. It is a such a beautiful and sad story. We have been focusing on how to use commas in a list, different types of sentences and using exciting adjectives.

## Reminders:

-Library visits are still on Fridays, but next week we have had to change it to Thursday as Friday 28th January is an inset day and so children will need to have their library books for Thursday.

-PE lessons will take place on Monday and Thursday afternoons. We will continue to have 1 PE lesson outside each week so please ensure the children have appropriate clothing in their kits including joggers or leggings and a hoodie and that they are named.

-On Wednesday we will be going on the field again during our science lesson so please ensure they have their wellington boots.

-On Wednesday and Thursday we will be holding our cake sale so please send any cakes and cookie donations to school by Tuesday 25th January. This is to help fund the year 2 farm visit happening next term.

## Homework:

-Please ensure children read each night, where possible with parents, and complete the Accelerated Reader quizzes on the specific story.

-Maths homework on Mathseed has been updated this weeks lesson is 136 on the division symbol.

-The weekly Spellings are on Teams depending on your child's phonics or SPaG group. Next weeks Spelling test will take place on a Thursday in the back of the children's homework book., due to the inset day.

**Thank you for your continued support,**

**Mrs King and Miss Sperrin**