

## NEWHALL

The children have had a fun week in year 2 completing lots of different activities. At the start of the week we conducted a science experiment to find out what plants need to grow. The children made predictions and we have now planted marigolds to see what happens if plants don't have water, light or nutrients. Later in the week the children found out what London was like before the Great Fire and the children made houses to replicate those before the fire. In a few weeks we are going to burn them to show how quickly fire can spread.

**Maths-** We have started looking at Measurement in meters this week and the children began to compare between meters and centimetres. The children also have been measuring different objects and deciding if meters or centimetres will be most appropriate.

**English-** This week we have been planning and writing a happy ending for our story the 'Fox'. The children have had great fun working out how we can change the ending to a more happy one.

### Reminders:

- Eid is coming up and we would love to see any photos and hear any stories if you are having any celebrations so please bring them in
- You should have received your Reading Records by now for you to use and log when you have read with your child.
- PE continues to be on a Monday and Thursday
- Spellings are not going to be set this half term but will recommence in Summer 2.
- May is the month set nationally for the SATs test to occur and your child will be undertaking this test in the next 4 weeks.
- Monday is a bank holiday
- Thursday school is shut for polling day- A Maths, English and Science lesson will be set on teams on Thursday morning.

### Homework:

- Maths homework will be on Mathseed and the lesson number this week is **(Lesson 126)**
- Phonics/ SPaG homework and spellings set on Teams from next week. Phonics groups will be set for the week on a Monday and Reading will be set one piece on a Friday along with the Accelerated reader test and reading at home.

**Thank you for your continued support.**

**Mrs King and Miss Sperrin**

