



NEWHALL
PRIMARY ACADEMY

Our Week In Year Two

Friday 26th November 2021

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This week we have been continuing to practice our Christmas carols for the Christmas concert. We have continued to practice our songs and lines, we cannot wait for you to see it in a few weeks. Next week we are completing our first full dress rehearsal! A real highlight this week was looking at nappies during our science lesson. We had great fun cutting them open to look at what was inside. We then applied our knowledge of waterproof materials to design our own nappies.

Maths- This week in Maths we have continued looking at money. This week the children have been applying their knowledge to answer word problems and work out answers to different real life scenarios. We have enjoyed working out if they have enough money to buy different items and calculating change. Please can children continue to practice counting in 2's, 5's and 10's and backwards if possible.

English- In English this week we have been working on the children's Reading and Comprehension skills. We have been reading lots of different texts and practiced our retrieval, predicting, inferencing, summary and sequencing skills. We have been very impressed with the children's application of these skills to exam style questions to continue to support and prepare them for the Year 2 SATs. Please continue to read with your children daily and complete the tests on Accelerated Reader to help them as much as possible.

Reminders:

- Library is on a Fridays, please ensure your children have all their reading books in school.
- PE lessons will now take place on Monday and Thursday afternoons.
- For the Christmas Concert the children are allowed to wear tinsel, a hat or festive headband with their school uniform if they would like to. Please may we ask that these are brought into school in a labelled bag by Monday 6th December.

Homework:

- Spellings, phonics and Mathseed homework has been published. This week Mathseed homework is lesson 147. Thank you for continuing to support us with reading at home. This is the foundation to creative story writing and gives your child lots of imaginative ideas that they can bring into their writing at school.

**Thank you for your continued support,
Miss Sperrin and Mrs King.**