

Peek at next week- Year 2

Things to know for next week:

- ★ We are still collecting shoe boxes (or any small/ similar-sized box) for a Geography project - needed by Tuesday 24th June please.
- ★ Tuesday 24th June we are going to have a Safari Day! Linking to our Geography all about Southern Africa, the children are going to spend the day exploring different biomes and learning about the features inside each biome (and the animals that live there!) We would like the children to come dressed as explorers - any natural colours, khaki, beige, green, brown etc.

Upcoming dates:

- ★ Wednesday 9th July (9:15 - 10:45) is Sports Day for KS1. Parents are invited to the field to watch if they would like to join us for the morning.
- ★ To mark the end of their KS1 journey, we would like to invite you to attend Year 2's Tie Assembly which will be held at 9am on Tuesday 15th July.

Enquiry Question of the week

What have we learned so far about the Kalahari Desert?

In Geography we are learning more about Southern Africa, including the Kalahari Desert. This week we have linked this with our English work, where the children have been looking at leaflets. The leaflets include facts about the Kalahari, as well as some persuasive writing to convince people to visit. We are really looking forward to doing more research so that everyone can use their facts to create their own leaflets.

A summary of next week:

Spelling: Words where si and s make a /zh/ sound

Writing: Features of a leaflet - research and planning week

Maths: Problem solving with the four operations

Science: Can you investigate the effects of exercise on the human body? What did you find?

Geography: What are the different biomes of Southern Africa, and how do they compare to the UK?

PSHE: Our local environment

Computing: Build algorithms to retell a story

RE: Who is the imam?

A weekly overview (subject to change)

Monday	PE (indoor)
Tuesday	-
Wednesday	Forest school.
Thursday	- Reading Records will be checked, stickers given and new Little Wandle/ Big Cat books given out
Friday	- PE (outdoor).

- Home learning shared with the class - please make sure any completed work is returned by the following Friday.

Reading folders should be in school every day and taken home every evening.

Year 2 Home Learning - "Dip and Do" Summer Term



You **must**:

- Read daily at home for at least 20 minutes and record this in the Reading Record. Records are checked on a Thursday but please make sure the folder is in everyday.
- Learn the weekly spelling words which are sent home and assigned on Spelling Shed. These will be tested every Friday morning.
- Practise arithmetic skills on Numbots or Times Table Rockstars at least 3 times a week.

"Dip" into these tasks:

Gold

We are going to be using facts about the Kalahari Desert in our English work this week. Can you learn a fact about an animal that lives there and how they have adapted to such a hot climate?



Silver

Next week is 'personal bests' week in PE. **Please tell us about your favourite sport to play:** What do you think your favourite sport is? Why is it your favourite? Is it a team sport or solo sport? What skills do you think people need to be good at this sport? What are the rules? Why would you recommend people play this sport?

Bronze

This week and last week in PSHE we have been talking about road safety. Can you tell someone at home at least one thing you have learned about it?



Spelling words to learn: word, work, worm, world, worth, warm, war, towards, warn, warned