Peek into next week Year 2

Things to know for next week:

- ★ We are aiming to record their spelling tests in the back of their Home Learning books - if they have brought it into school on Friday, we will ensure that they write their spellings into those books. This is to help you see how they are getting along with their spelling words independently. It will also help know which target words they need to work on if you would like to support them at home.
- ★ The time has come to start thinking about Christmas! We will be beginning rehearsals for our Nativity shortly, so please look out for any lines that the children need to practise, or costume requests.
- ★ We have had some requests to send out a list of children's first names, to help you/ your children when writing Christmas cards. Please could you let me know in advance if you do not want your child's name on the list: mbromley1@suttonmail.org . I will send out the list for both classes at the end of next week.

- ★ INCOMING! Lots of upcoming dates for this half term:
  -Antibullying workshop and Odd Socks day (in recognition of Antibullying Week) on Monday 16th of November
  - Individual and Sibling photos either Wednesday 18th or Thursday 19th (more details to follow)
  - Around the World Day, Monday 23rd November: Parents are invited to come in after school and see the showcase in each classroom as the children learn about countries from around the world.
  - Friday 27th November - non-uniform for donations for the Christmas Fair hampers, and Christmas Jumper/ Clothes donations for the upcoming Jumper Swap.
  - Also Friday 27th - Florence Nightingale in school to visit the children
  - Saturday 5th December - Christmas Fair
  - Nativity performances 10th + 11th December. Thursday 10th will be a morning performance (9:15-10) and Friday will be an afternoon performance (2:15-3). Times TBC.

Enquiry Question of the week

What are the careers we can have in medicine and how have they changed over time?

This week in History we discussed how medicine has changed over time. For example - technology over time has improved, so instead of one doctor for everything, we now have specialists that can look after us in different ways. We also have ambulances that will mean we can be looked after more quickly, and equipment like x-ray machines that can see inside us to work out what's wrong.

A summary of next week:

Spellings: 'wr' making /r/ sound words
Reading: Booklets to assess learning so far.
Maths: Addition and subtraction review.
History: What does it mean to be significant?
Science: What did Charles Mackintosh invent?
PSHE: What can we do online and how can we do it safely?
Computing: Landscape or portrait? Looking at photographs.

A weekly overview (subject to change)	
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Forest school.
Thursday	PE kit needed -Topaz and Buttercup indoor
Friday	PE kit needed -Topaz and Buttercup outdoor Reading Records checked, stamp given and new Little Wandle/ Big Cat books given out. 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
Autumn Term Week 1



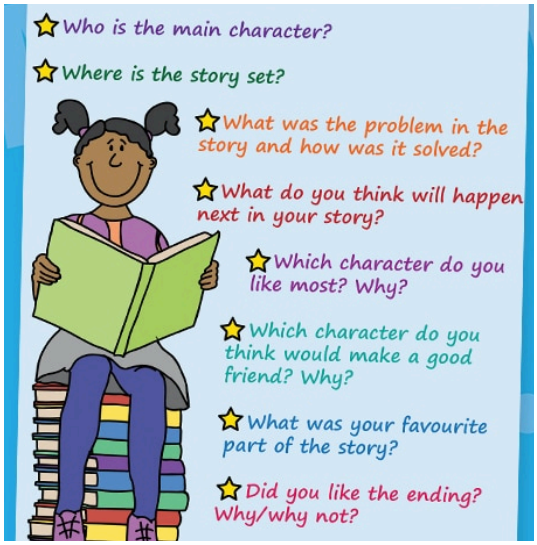
You **must**:

- 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 addition and subtraction skills on Numbots at least 3 times a week.

Additional Learning Challenge:

Next week the children will be completing reading comprehension booklets, to assess their understanding of their reading.

Please could you make some time this weekend to sit together and read a book, preferably an unfamiliar one, and ask them lots of questions about what they are reading.



Spelling words to learn: gem, gym, giant, magic, energy, giraffe, digit, engine, religion, gentle