Peek into next week Year 2

Things to know for next week:

- ★ A reminder that reading records and reading books should be in school every day. This helps us support your children in their reading, and also means they can access their login details for using the Chromebooks.
- ★ We will continue to take pictures of toys on Tuesday (21st). Please can the children bring one toy that they can use for this. It will need to be small-ish and stand up on it's own, eg. toy car, action figure. Please also ensure that it is not a valuable/sentimental toy, or one that is easily broken.

Enquiry Question of the week

Please take some time to ask your child the question and see how close your child is to answering the question fully. If they are finding it tricky, break down the answer together and see if they can continue to work on their learning at home.

Science - How can we apply what we know about materials to be an inventor?

By looking at a material, the children had to evaluate its properties and what it would be good for (eg. plastic is waterproof, fabric is warm and flexible, cardboard is sturdy). They used these ideas to create a product that showed their understanding of these materials.

A summary of next week/:

Spelling: Spelling and Grammar revision **Reading**: Reading skills practise for booklets

Maths: Revision for booklets

Computing: Edit, crop and organise photos **Art:** Making a decoration for our Christmas hoop

DT: Make moving monsters

We will be completing Reading, Maths and Spelling & Grammar booklets this week, as well as starting Nativity practise!

A weekly overview (subject to change)		
Monday	PE kit needed.	
Tuesday	Children to bring 1 toy for Computing (see above)	
Wednesday	Reading Records will be checked, stickers given and new Little Wandle/ Big Cat books given out	
Thursday	PE and Forest School. Dress for the weather.	
Reading folders should be in school every day and taken home every evening.		

Year 2 Home Learning - "Dip and Do"



You must:

- Read daily at home for at least 20 minutes and record this in the Reading Record. Records are checked on a Wednesday 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.

"Dip" into these tasks:

Gold	Learn some nativity songs! To access the songs, the children will have to go on Google Classroom (they will need to sign in using their email, which is their username + @dorchester.school, eg smitt123@dorchester.school) I have posted a folder of songs and lyrics to use to learn at home.
Silver	Use what we've learned about materials to create a brand new invention! Label your invention with all the materials you would use.
Bronze	Next week we will be looking at shapes. Can you do a shape hunt around the house to find something that is a: circle, triangle, square, rectangle?

Spelling words to learn: To prepare for our booklets, please spend some time revisiting some of the spelling patterns and common exception words we have given out so far. They have access to tasks linked to this on Spelling Shed.

Don't forget to complete 16 Reading WOWs this year for your chance to be awarded the Platinum Reading Award. This could be a book review, a picture of your favourite character, a letter to the author, a poem based on the book, a comic strip, a painting, a shoe box diorama...anything related to the book which your teacher (or anyone else who might see it) would say WOW to.

