



## Writing

This week we have practised sentence work, and used tricky words to write in sentences. We have been working on learning to write the days of the week, and the months of the year.

## Maths corner

This week we have practised fast recall of our Maths facts—doubles and halves to 20, and number bonds. Please continue to practice these during the half term break.

## This week...

An action packed few of days has been enjoyed by Year 2 this week.

The children all enjoyed taking part in the magical quest to rescue King Arthur's Sword in the Perform Workshops. We have made some fantastic Tudor Houses for the Great Fire of Pewley. We had fun finding signs of Autumn in the Wild Place on Tuesday. We were so proud of how brilliant all children who had the flu vaccination were—the nurses were impressed :)

We have begun to think about our Christmas play, and (with much excitement) children have let us know what kind of part they would like to play—dancing, acting, singing or narrating. Parts will be allocated after half term.

## Phonics & Spellings

We will be sending a 'Phonics' book with sounds and words to practice at home each week. We will send the book home on a Thursday, and will collect them in on a Wednesday morning each week. There will be spelling patterns, and tricky words to practice. Please spend 10 minutes or so working through the spellings.

## After Half Term...

On Tuesday 3rd November it will be The Great Fire of Pewley. If you would like to come and watch as we burn the model of London, please arrive at 1:30pm. If it is raining heavily we will rearrange this—but will try to go ahead even if there is a little dampness in the air! After the excitement of the fire is over, you would be welcome to visit Year 2 classrooms to look through this half term's work with your child. This will be a very informal time to share what we have done so far this year, and gives the children a chance to share what they have achieved and are proud of in their work. You are welcome to take your child home after sharing their work.

## Grammar & Punctuation

We have focussed this week on organising our work in sentences. We have thought about how we know where a sentence should start and finish.

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