

Robin Hood Primary School

Year 2 Newsletter – Friday 8th March 2024

This week:

In English, the children have finished their unit in English where they wrote a biography based on the influential woman, Amelia Earhart. The children spent some time editing their write before publishing and evaluating this. The children are all very proud of their work and effort within this unit.

The children have continued using the scheme 'Letter Joins' to learn how to write letters with cursive writing, where all letters start on the line and begin to join some letters. The children are assessed each lesson by a number 1, 2 or 3, with 3 being near perfect.

In Maths, the children have continued their new unit of Fractions, where they have been looking at recognising quarters and finding quarters of numbers. The children were able to do this practically, pictorially and abstractly before moving onto a worded reasoning problem. The children will finish the lessons by completing a reasoning word problem. Every Maths lesson the children have had the opportunity to access Numbots where they are encouraged to complete more levels.

In Phonics, the children have been looking at alternative /s/ codes spelt: /s/, /ss/ and /ce/. Some examples include: dress, missing, classes, snake, send, decide, scene and sequence.

Next week:

In Maths, the children will continue their unit on Fractions where they will be looking at the recognising and finding a third in numbers and on shapes. The children will do this practically, pictorially and abstractly before moving onto a worded reasoning problem. The children will finish the lessons by completing a reasoning word problem. Every Maths lesson the children will have the opportunity to access Numbots where they are encouraged to complete more levels.

In English, the children will begin their new unit on writing a non-chronological report on pirates. The children will begin the week by looking a model write, answering reading comprehensions on this model before imitating it. The children will be encouraged to use capital letters, full stops, conjunctions, sentence starters and paragraphs.

Important Information:

Warm clothes

Due to the weather being cold, please can all children bring a warm coat and hat, scarf and

gloves to keep them warm in PE and at break and lunch times.

If children come into school in Wellies or warm boots (such as UGG boots), please can they also bring in a pair of school shoes to change into when in school and a pair of trainers on PE days.

PE days this half term.

Monday – Indoor PE

Tuesday — Outdoor PE

Personal Hero photo

In History, the children will be looking at local heroes. We would like to spend time looking at the children's heroes, someone they think is important and they look up to. Please can the children bring in a photo or picture of their hero.

Year 2 Spring Assembly

On Friday 22nd March, Year 2 will be holding their Learning Showcase Assembly in the hall at 3pm. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Please can we ask that all water bottles are back in school; water bottles remain in school for the term and we fill them up and wash them each day. Can we also remind you that grapes need to be cut up if your child is bringing them for their snack or as part of their packed lunch.

Thank you 😊

Miss Stead and Miss Kent.