



Robin Hood Primary School

Year 2 Newsletter – Friday 19th April 2024

This week:

In English, the children have begun their new unit in English where they wrote a recount about their school trip to the Mosque. The children spent some time looking at a modelled write and answering comprehension questions about it. The children finished the week by imitating the modelled write.

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. The children will learn each letter for 2 days before moving onto the next letter.

In Maths, the children have started their new unit on Time where the children will look at o'clock, half past and quarter past. 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 /or/ codes: /or/, /our/, /al/, and /aw/. Some examples include: fork, four, astronaut, walk, corn, jaw, talking, August and pouring.

In Science, the children have begun their new unit on Plants and looking at how they grow. The first lesson will include planting seeds and looking at different types of plants. Children are encouraged to bring in an indoor plant to look after in the classroom.

Next week:

In Maths, the children will continue their unit on Time where they will be looking at the quarter to and 5 minute intervals. 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 continue their unit on writing a recount on their trip to the Mosque. The children will begin the week by looking at another modelled write, answering reading comprehension questions before planning and writing their own version. The children will be encouraged to use capital letters, full stops, conjunctions, sentence starters and paragraphs.

Important Information:

PE days this half term.

Monday – Indoor PE

Tuesday – Outdoor PE

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.