



# Year 2 Newsletter

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019

## Half term activities:

Here are some useful ideas to keep you occupied

- ✓ Please read with your child every day
- ✓ Play spelling games. Eg; Guess the word
- ✓ Play number games - Eg; Play 21
- ✓ Find the difference between 2 numbers, For example: By how many is 19 greater than 12?  $19 - 12 = 7$
- ✓ Learn the times tables 2, 4, 5 and 10
- ✓ Learn how to spell 2 new words a day
- ✓ Enjoy your break!

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## English Focus

For English, in spring 2 week one, we will be introducing the Roll Dahl book Charlie and the chocolate factory. On the first day back, we have planned a wow day for the children to immerse them in an exciting carousel of activities. They will write a recount of their experience of the day. As the week unfolds, Children will be given an opportunity to predict what the book is about followed by reading the chapter 1 and related activities



## Science Homework

During this term we have explored the topic, 'animals including humans'. Currently we are learning about the role of a good diet for healthy living. We have planned for children to complete a food diary over three days during the half term. Please ensure that your child completes the diary after each meal. Please return the completed diaries on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February.

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**PAI:** To understand which food groups the food you eat belongs to and what eating healthily means

Food Diary

| Header | Protein | Carbohydrates | Fruit and vegetables | Fats and sweets | Dairy Products |
|--------|---------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Day 1  |         |               |                      |                 |                |
| Day 2  |         |               |                      |                 |                |

## Maths Focus

For Maths In week 1, we will be introducing a new unit length and height. They will be exposed to practical activities where they will estimate measure and compare measurements. Children will use rulers to measure simple objects to the nearest centimetre.

### Unit 8 Length and height

In this unit we will ...

- ✦ Measure objects in centimetres and metres
- ✦ Compare two lengths
- ✦ Put lengths in order
- ✦ Solve word problems about length

We will be using rulers. How long is this piece of string?

## Half Term Break

Our children have worked hard this term. We hope they will have a good break, keep safe and re-charge their batteries ready for a brand new term full of exciting learning.

### ATTENDANCE W/E 08/02/19

|              |       |
|--------------|-------|
| Whole School | 94%   |
| Kingston     | 95.4% |
| London       | 93.3% |
| Nairobi      | 93.3% |
| Paris        | 88.7% |
| Sydney       | 96.1% |

### Achievement Certificates

|          |         |
|----------|---------|
| Kingston | Iqra    |
| London   | Olivia  |
| Nairobi  | Kahiem  |
| Paris    | Stephan |
| Sydney   | Cecilia |

## Attendance

Sydney Class had the best attendance with **96.1%**

