Dear Parents,

I hope this email finds you well. It is nice to see the days drawing out a bit now as January comes to an end. Here is a quick round up Class 2's activities over the last two weeks.

Phonics

We have learnt about 'y' saying 'ee' and 'au/aw' saying 'or.' Year 2 have also been learning about spelling words with 'eer' and 'ture' saying 'ear' and 'chuh.'

English

We have had a lovely couple of weeks working on story of Hansel and Gretel. First of all we read the story as our class reader and answered questions about it, then we described the characters and setting in the story. This week we used what we had learnt about Hansel and Gretel to plan and write our own stories.

Maths

Our current unit explores addition and subtraction methods. We have worked through the steps of adding and subtracting to and from multiples of ten; adding and subtracting multiples of ten to/from any 2-digit number; and adding & subtracting two 2-digit numbers without regrouping.

Other

We have also enjoyed dance with Bella, music with Mrs Jarvis, gymnastics exploring rolls and jumps, ICT game, painting Great Fire of London scenes, sorting animals into groups in science and learning about communities in PSHE.

Homework

The children have some English and maths work in their blue folders.

Year 2 spelling game: https://wordwall.net/play/68096/661/938

Year 1 Spelling game: https://wordwall.net/play/25345/492/301

Maths Game: https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/113/add-and-subtract-on-a-number-line

Dates for you Diary

Mr Ratcliffe will keep you updated on the general school events and dates but here a few exciting upcoming events for Class 2.

Friday 7th Feb: Mindmate Workshops

Wednesday 12th Feb: Zoolab visit for Class 2 science

Wednesday 21st May: Local history Visit to Harewood House

Tuesday 24th June: Trip to Tropical World including a workshop

Thank you very much for your support and have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs G Dodd