



Weekly Learning Letter

Year Two

Week commencing 27.11.23

<p>This week in Year Two ...</p>	<p>In RE, the children continued to answer their enquiry question: What does the Nativity story teach Christians about Jesus? The children used the questions they had prepared last week to ask a member of the church all about how Christians prepare for Christmas. They really enjoyed chatting to Matt and learning about different Christmas traditions.</p> <p>The children have continued their design technology learning on mechanisms. They have made mock-ups of their design and considered the risks - carrying scissors correctly, sitting down when working, and the safe way to attach paper fasteners (split pins)- and how to minimise these risks.</p> <p>In PE, the children have continued learning and perfecting the camel dance for our Christmas production of Born in a Barn.</p> <p>The children have spent time this week rehearsing the Christmas performance of Born and a Barn ready to show you all next week.</p>
<p>Reminder</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please remember to wear your PE kit on a Wednesday and a Thursday. • Reading books should be brought in every day. Please try and read every day at home as well, it really helps your child's progress in all areas of the curriculum. • We have given your child their Bug Club log in details. Bug Club can be accessed through this link: https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0 If you have any problems, please contact your class teacher.
<p>English</p>	<p>This week, the children have been learning about information texts. They have ordered their model text (How to Resue People from a Shipwreck) and created a text map. They have practised writing sentences that contain commas in a list, used time connectives in sentences and explored imperative verbs.</p>
<p>Maths</p>	<p>This week, the children have completed two mathematics assessments: arithmetic and reasoning. These were an opportunity for us to see which areas of mathematics the children are finding trickier. The children showed a lot of resilience in tackling these papers and we are incredibly proud of them!</p>
<p>Phonics & Spelling</p>	<p>This week we have been reviewing the /u : / sound spelt oo, u-e, ew and ue and learnt what homophones are. This week's spellings are: Please encourage your children to learn these at home ready for the Big Spell at the end of the half term.</p>

To support your child's learning at home this week you could...

Please encourage your child to learn their lines and song lyrics for the Christmas production.

The children are looking forward to performing next week.

