

Welcome to Year 2! ☺

English

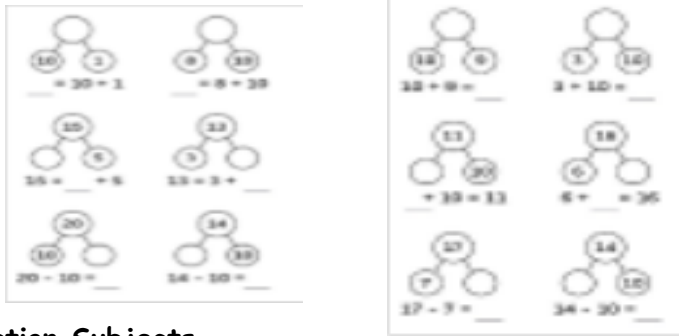
This week we started working on a new book called 'Lima's Red Hot Chilli'. We learnt how to write questions and predictions.

Next week: We will continue our work with Lima's Red Hot Chilli and have a go at sequencing events of the story in order by thinking about what is the beginning, middle and end of the story.

Mathematics

This week we revisited number bonds within 10. We have used different representations such as part-whole model and bar model. We also practised writing addition and subtraction facts for the given number families.

Next week: We will recap of how numbers are formed using tens and ones and reinforce our knowledge of place value for numbers up to 20.



Foundation Subjects

RE - The beliefs of Sikhism

Science - The different food groups and their importance.

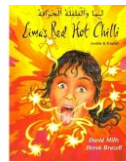
ICT - Internet Safety

History - Florence Nightingale - comparing periods of time.

PE days: Please check with your class teacher

Children to come into school wearing their P.E. kits - tracksuit bottoms or shorts, PE shirt, school jumper and trainers.

Question of the week
What makes a good friend?



IMPORTANT NOTICES

At school we will be using the NSPCC Talk PANTS Programme for primary schools. Talk PANTS is here to help children understand that their body belongs to them, and they should tell a safe adult they trust if anything makes them feel upset or worried. Through teaching relevant age-appropriate knowledge, understanding and skills, these lessons reinforce the NSPCC's commitment to helping keep children safe.

For more information:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule>

Learn the NSPCC Pantosaurus song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SzbMEVYiyg&t=9s>

Use simple conversations to keep children safe.

Meet the Teacher- Thank you to all the parents that attended on Wednesday 11th September.

Harvest Festival- The children will be celebrating Harvest Festival on **Monday 23rd September** with Father Peter as our special guest.

Curriculum Meeting- This will take place on **Thursday 26th September** in the school hall at **9:00 am**.

Forest school- This half term **Pearl class** will be doing Forest School starting on **Friday 20th September**. Please make sure they have their wellingtons and warm clothes brought in to school in a carrier bag.

NOTICES

- **Doodle** - This is a new programme for homework that focuses on Maths and English. Please encourage your child to spend ten minutes daily to complete the tasks.
- **Cooking Money** - Please could we ask to **donate £1** towards purchasing ingredients for your child's cooking.
- **Phone-free zone** - Yeading Infant School is a phone-free zone. Please ensure phones are put away while collecting your child.
- **Nut allergies** - Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'.
- **Reading** - Please read with your child daily, write a comment in the yellow home/school diary and ensure that his/her book bag is brought in daily.
- **Tissues** - Please could you send in a box of tissue and wet wipes. Your donations will be greatly appreciated. Please ensure all items of clothing and their water bottle is labelled with your child's name.

Have a fun and safe weekend! Year 2 Team ☺