## Weekly News - Friday 27th September 2019

# Year Two

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 2 have had a great week. Despite the weather doing its best to stop us, we have been getting out as much as possible and continuing to do our daily mile. It's a great way to get some extra exercise and we are finding the children are more energized and focused.

#### English & maths

In Maths, we have been ordering numbers from smallest to largest using different representations. We have also been practicing our 2, 5 and 10 times tables. It is the expectation that children know these and the 3 times tables securely by the end of year 2 so keep practilising! If children are confident with these (up to 12 x), they can begin to practice: 3, 4 and 6's! In English, children wrote some fantastic recounts of their trip to the seaside. They used time adverbs, conjunctions and adjectives in their writing. It was lovely to read about how much fun they had.

#### Parent helpers

Thank you to those who have offered support. We are currently confirming arrangements and will inform you next week regarding our needs and suitable timings to come in to help. Thank you for your patience with this. Heather Class have had no volunteers to support with the library. If you are able to help, please let Miss Gattey know as soon as possible.

#### Topic

In Science, we have begun to research a sea creature and we will be making our fact sheets next week. In Topic, children had great fun going on a mission around the school to crack a secret code to develop our map reading and compass skills. Next week, we will be creating a simple map of West Wittering beach and construct a basic key using symbols.



## Deputy Headteacher's Award

Bracken
Marley
Mia
Clover
Daniel
Zahraa
Heather
Ami
Akshaj

### **Notices**

- Please remember to send in a water bottle every day so your child can have regular drinks, especially after the daily mile.
- A reminder that now the autumnal weather is upon us, children should be coming to school in an appropriate coat. Outdoor P.E. kit must also include long trousers and appropriate footwear.
- Please ensure your child has a book bag and not a rucksack at school as we don't have the peg space to accommodate any bag bigger bags.
- Please continue reading with your child and recording such in their home school diary. Thank you.