



Year 2 January Newsletter



Our Class Motto is:
“Have a go!”



Welcome back! I hope you and your family had a wonderful Christmas holiday. I have been hearing that Santa was very good to all the boys and girls in Year 2!

Wishing you and your families a very happy and prosperous new year!



Year 2 Topic Work

- Winter
- Time - 'o'clock', half past, sequencing our day, days of week, months of year, seasons
- Our monthly value of 'Honesty.'
- Developing our skills when working with others

Literacy

- Continue to develop listening skills / following instructions
- Develop reading skills through predicting,

sequencing and cloze procedure activities.

- Develop a greater awareness of the tricky spelling of key words
- In sound work the children will revise the sounds j,w,z,x and y and complete word building, sound swap activities and reading and writing activities based on these sounds and previous sounds.



Number

- Counting orally to 40
- Pattern work relating to Winter clothes
- To learn about the stories of 11, 12 and 13
- To add and subtract 3 numbers using a number line

How you can help at home

- Help your child with their homework pack, shared reading book and 'Sounds - Write' Reading book.
- Talk to your child about New Year's resolutions - making a

fresh start. Is there something at home your child can start to do more of (making their bed for example) ?

- Encourage discussions about times of the day, days of the week, the months in Winter.
- Make a story book together at home called 'My Day'. Bring it into class to show!
- Talk to your child about the importance of being honest and the importance of taking responsibility for our own actions.



January Birthdays!



Happy Birthday to Una who is 6 on the 27th of January!



You will have noticed that the layout of the homework has slightly changed. Please read the letter provided in the homework book carefully. If you have any questions regarding these changes, please do not hesitate to contact me via an arranged meeting or the home school message book.

Many thanks

Thought for the month!

