

# P2/3 Class Newsletter

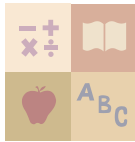
Dear Parents and guardians,  
November 2017

Welcome to Term 2 and our first whole term as a class! This term our main topic will be enterprise and money. We will create a product to sell at the Christmas Fair and learn how to advertise, make a profit and use money. We will also explore different mini- topic themes such as Fireworks night, time change, Seasons, Diwali, Remembrance, St Andrews Day and Christmas. This links to our RME, in understanding celebrations and world/ religious traditions.

## **Maths and Language:**

This term P2/3 will be developing their knowledge of numbers to one hundred as well as addition and subtraction to twenty. We will be working on our time tables (2,5,10). Some children will be working on addition and subtraction to one hundred and beyond, numbers to one thousand, multiplication and simple division. We will also explore time and shape.

Within language we will be building bigger words, learning new phonic sounds and developing use of adjectives and sentence openers. We will finish working on our imaginative writing skills and begin to explore instructional writing, poetry and letter writing.



**A reminder of useful information to help you out at the beginning of this term.**

### **Homework:**

- **Reading**- read and discuss their book with them at least twice per week. Can they ask and answer questions? Can they play eye spy to find words/things in the picture? Can they summarise their story or predict what might happen next?
- **Spelling Task 1**- Read, cover, write check with 3 words.
- **Spelling Task 2** – Write sentences using 5 of your spelling words.
- **Spelling/Maths grid**- choose 1 activity per week to complete from the grid.
  
- **Our Specialist timetable**
  - **Homework club**- Monday
  - Gym**: Monday, Thursday, Friday
  - Music**: Thursday

## **CLASS ASSEMBLY – FRIDAY 30<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER – 9.05am**

- ✓ **Please provide an old shirt or t-shirt for your child to use as a paint apron this term if it has not already been provided.**
- ✓ **Please ensure that you sign all homework and reading records.**
- ✓ **Please ensure gym kits are provided- gym shoes, shorts/leggings/joggers, polo shirt or t-shirt.**

For updates on your child's learning experiences this term, please check out our new class blog which can be accessed by going to the Fernielea school website and clicking on Primary 2/3 under the class blog heading.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries or questions. I hope you and your child enjoy the term ahead.

Kind regards,  
Miss Munro