



This week in Year 2

Monday 13th April 2026



Phonics
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wh y au

English:

This week, the children will be reading or listening to a range of poems and thinking carefully about what the writer is trying to say. Learning and performing a poem from memory, using expression and a clear voice. Identifying items described using the five senses within a poem. Collecting descriptive words and phrases from the poem and explaining why they are effective, using simple reasoning.

Phonics:

This week we will be reviewing the 'y' (as in 'fly') grapheme, to include adding the suffixes -ing and -ed (e.g. trying / tried) and looking at what happens when you make a singular 'y' word into a plural (e.g. spies) or conjugate it for the he, she or it verb form (e.g. tries). We will also be exploring the Year 2 common exception words: bath, path, father and plant and the high frequency words: right, night, use, new, us and has.

Reading:

A reminder that we will not issue your child with their new Monster Phonics book until the previous week's has been returned. Please therefore ensure that your child brings their reading record **AND** Monster Phonics book with them to school on a Monday so that it can be swapped for their new book. The children can change their 'colour banded' and library books whenever they are ready.

Maths:

This week we will be beginning our unit on mass, capacity and temperature. We had planned to start this unit in the Easter term, but decided to spend the final two weeks revising the fundamental areas of partitioning, addition and subtraction and multiplication instead.

We will begin by comparing masses, then move onto measuring in grams and kilograms.



Action Points:

- ★ **Friday 17th April** - Class PJ day. **NEW DATE.** Your child can come dressed to school in their favourite jim jams thanks to a Year 2 class member winning this prize on a golden ticket. Apologies that this day has to be rescheduled.
- ★ **PE** will remain on a Thursday and Friday this half term.

We are looking forward to another term, jam packed full of lots of exciting learning and activities with your children!

Thank you, The Year 2 Team

