



Weekly Curriculum News

! INFORMATION & REMINDERS

We had a wonderful time at our class parties yesterday. Thank you very much for all the delicious food that was sent in to help us celebrate!

During the holidays, please have a look through all the school uniform/ PE kit and equipment you have at home to make sure it all belongs to you and is clearly labelled with your child's name.

Wednesday 6th January - Children back to school.

Have a wonderful Christmas break, safe travels, see you in 2016.

The Year 2 Team



ENGLISH

After the holidays, we will continue to build on the use of punctuation in our writing, this will include capital letters and full stops used accurately, the use of commas in a list. We will also try to extend our range of punctuation in the sentences we write by including a ? and !



MATHEMATICS

In maths we will re-visit number and place value

- count in steps of 2, 3 and 5 from 0 and in tens from any number, forward and backward

- recognise odd and even numbers

Statistics

- interpret and construct simple pictograms, tally charts, block diagrams and simple tables
- ask and answer simple questions by counting the number of objects in each category and sorting the categories by quantity



TOPIC

After the holidays we will start our new topic- The Magic Toymaker.

We will explain to the children that the toymaker's think tank has stopped working. The toymaker has left special instructions. The children will begin the topic by filling the think tank with everything they know about toys, to help it work again!