

Maths Challenge

Bring in what you have done to show the class, get a sticker and the chance to be "Mathematician of the week"

Can you guess the number I am describing from my clues?

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1. I am a two-digit number.	4. My number is more than double twenty.
2. I am an even number.	5. I have an even number of tens.
3. I am a number between ten and sixty.	6. I have six ones.

Write my number as a word.

How many questions did it take you?

Extension

Pick six numbers and write them in the boxes. Choose one of the numbers and write clues describing it. Can your partner guess the number you picked?

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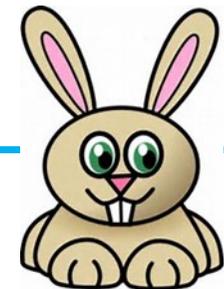
1	4
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3	6

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Year Two Newsletter



Squirrel and Rabbit Classes

This week.....

Hello to Year Two parents – Welcome to our Y2 newsletter!

We hope that this newsletter will help to keep you informed and up to date with what the children are learning in school. It also provides an extra means of communication for any reminders, events and special dates.

We are delighted with how quickly the children have settled quickly into Year 2, and they are already working very hard!

Reading

Thank you for such a positive start to reading in Year Two All children now have a new home-school diary and reading book. They will read with their teacher, teaching assistant and other adults in school regularly but we cannot stress enough how beneficial it is that you continue to read at home as much as possible.

Changing books

We are encouraging the children to develop the habit of changing their own book as and when they are ready for a new one. They have been shown where the books are located in the classroom and they have the opportunity to change their book every morning when they arrive at school. We do encourage them to read each book more than once as this helps to build fluency, confidence and enjoyment of reading.

Spellings

The children have brought home their new Spellings consisting of Common Exception Words and words linked to current phonics work. They are differentiated across the class. These are then 'tested' the following Monday. Your child will bring their spellings home on a sheet in a special folder. Please can you ensure that these are brought in every Monday, ready for a new list to be added.

Last week in school..

We have been using 'Handa's Surprise' for our English work. We have been looking at different sentence types- particularly statements and questions and have been learning about nouns, verbs and adverbs.

In Maths we are focussing on comparing and ordering numbers to 100 and partitioning numbers into tens and ones. We will be ordering numbers from smallest to greatest and greatest to smallest. Please see the linked maths challenge on the next page.

We have also been learning about the countries in the UK and their capital cities.

Dates and Reminders

- **Rainbow Recall** will start week beg. October 1st Please let your class teacher know if you need a new Rainbow Recall booklet.
- **One minute talks**—Your child will have a sticker on them when its their turn to do their talk. Please help them to prepare, choose something suitable to show and plan their talk. Please be patient though, we only do 3 children per week so it will probably take until Christmas for them all to have a go.
- **Open Afternoons**— come along at 2.15pm and join in with our Handa's Surprise activity...
 - Squirrel class—Friday 21st September
 - Rabbit Class—Friday 28th September