<u>Literacy</u> The children will be writing some non-chronological reports about African animals. They will be using words with the suffixes '-ness' and '-ment'.! We will be deconstructing exclamation sentences and we will start to use these in our writing. We will then start looking at a new story called Bob the man on the moon. We will be writing a character description.

<u>Maths</u> This half term we will be looking at shape, space and measure. We will be looking at volume and capacity. We will also measure different amounts of water. We also will look at time. It would be great if you could practise telling the time with your children at home. On a weekly basis, we will be practising our 2', 5's and 10 times tables. This also would be a great opportunity to help your child with them at home.

We would like to thank the parents who send their child's book in for it to be changed. It is important that your child not only brings their book in but that a log is recorded for their Reading Challenge award.

Homework will continue to be given out on a Friday and children have until the following Friday to complete it.

PE kits need to be in school on a weekly basis so that the children can comfortably enjoy their lesson.

Thank you for your support!

Year 2 teachers



Science

In science, we will match British animals to their habitats. We will explore how animals are adapted to survive within their local area. We will recap on learning about things that are living, dead and never been alive.

The children will take part in a science experiment by making a bug hotel suitable for bugs to live in.

R.E

We will be exploring the story of Easter and why this important to Christians.

Topic

Our topic this term is called 'Our Local Area'. We will discuss what we like and dislike about our local area. We will go on a local walk close to our school's ground.

We would also like to take the pupils to Daisy Nook Country Park to examine human and geographical features there. The children will have to explain their reasoning as to whether something was natural or man-made.

<u>P.E.</u> The pupils will further develop ball skills. They will be practising their throwing skills. They will also learn how to throw overarm and underarm.