



## Year 2 Homework Letter - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023

The penultimate week of Spring One and we are fast approaching the half way point of the school year!

### English

This week we began a beautiful new book called 'If All The World Were' by the poet Joseph Coelho. It is a thoughtful story about a girl's love for her grandfather and is full of colourful pictures and beautiful imagery. So far we thought about the themes of the story and the children wrote diary entries from the girl's perspective describing the love she has for her grandad. Then we wrote 'Top Tips for Dealing with Feelings' and listed the things we can do to feel better when we are not feeling ourselves.

### Maths

Our learning on multiplication and division continues. This week we have learnt about:

- Doubling and halving
- Odd and even numbers
- Multiplying and dividing by 10

### Dates

**PTFA School Disco**—Thursday 9th February

**Half Term**—Monday 13th February - 17th February 2023

**St. David's Day** - yellow shirt—Wednesday 1st March 2023

**Parents' and Carers' meetings**—27th to 29th March 2023

We planted chives, parsley, onions and carrots this week. Some are in our greenhouse and we also have some in the classroom so hopefully they'll be ready to plant out in the spring.

### Homework

**Spellings** - please learn the spellings in homework books. In class we are remembering that they may have something in common and identifying what is it that makes the word tricky to spell? These are a mixture of words from this term. Please can the children also use each word in a sentence and remember it needs a capital letter and full stop.

**Maths** - this week I have set a game to play on Purple Mash to test their knowledge of odd and even numbers - it's so much fun! And some children might want to challenge themselves by playing the next level too! Find it on Purple Mash at [.../Home/Mathematics/Number/2Race](#)

Please keep practicing your 2, 5 and 10 times tables using songs and just reciting them every day to help you remember them as they are vital for lots of areas of Maths. Try your 3 times table too if you feel confident with the others.

### Science

This week we learnt about germs! We used glitter to show how easily germs are transmissible from one person to another and via many different surfaces and objects and that is important to wash our hands.



Have a wonderful weekend,  
Mrs Cordey, Miss Murray, Miss Lindsay (Year 2)

