



Dear Parents and Carers 07.03.22

Welcome to another exciting week in year two!

The pupils have thoroughly enjoyed their week at the academy and have had fun engaging with their learning experiences, including participating in World Book Day on Thursday. It was amazing to see all of the fantastic costumes and the pupils had an amazing day!

Parents and carers of pupils in Dewberry class are warmly invited to attend their class assembly on Wednesday 9th March (14:40-15:00) in the main academy hall. The pupils have already been working incredibly hard this term in their Science lessons and can't wait to showcase their knowledge all about plants! We can't wait to see you there!

English

In English this week, the pupils will be continuing to read this term's focus text 'The Secret of Black Rock' by Joe Stanton. The pupils will be innovating part of the story to write their own fantasy story opening.



Maths

In Maths this week, the pupils will be learning how to collect and sort data into pictograms, bar charts, and tally charts or tables. The pupils will be learning to use the data they have organised, to ask and answer questions, either by counting individual groups, comparing categories, or adding up two or more categories.

Science

Our science topic this term is 'Plants'. This week, we will be dissecting seeds to explore the parts that will grow into a plant. We will be explaining how the seeds will germinate.



Wider Curriculum

In our Design and Technology lessons this term, the pupils are learning about lever and slider mechanisms. This week, the pupils will be designing their own lever mechanisms with an ocean theme.



In our Sounds Write lessons this week, we will be continuing to explore the different spellings for the 'f' sound
(f/ ff / ph / gh)

It would be great if your child could practise reading and writing the following words based on our phonics this week.

before, defend, cuff, coffee, phone, graph, cough, enough,

Can your child think of other words with this sound? Can they identify the correct spelling?