

# Maths

## The focus for Maths this week is Measurements.

This week in maths we are going to be concentrating on measurements and like the rest of the children in Year 2, we will be looking at time. Our main objects that we want you to focus on over the week are:

- Being able to identify day and night time.
- Knowing the days of the week in the correct order.
- For children to order activities they do in their day for example knowing that breakfast comes before brushing their teeth.

Activities that you might want to do to help you reach these goals could be:

Drawing pictures of something your child does in the day time (maybe this is going for a walk or watching TV) and then something they do at night time (like reading a story book in bed or sleeping).

You may also want to find some different objects from around the house for your child to sort into a night time group and a day time group. The objects might include: shoes, a drinking cup, pillow, PJ's, a teddy bear, pencils and a story book.

The days of the week on different pieces of paper and getting your child to order these in the right order. You might want to turn this into a game so you take it in turns. You might order some for them and get your child to fill in the blanks.

To **challenge** your child a little further you might want to use the days of the week as spellings this week.

Draw some pictures that represent different points of their day on different pieces of paper and then get your child to order them.

In school we have a visual time table, this is a list of what we are doing throughout the day with a picture attached to it. You might want to create one of these for home.

# Writing

This week in writing, we will be following the theme of **time**.

Linking to our Maths work and History from last term, we would like children to keep a diary of their week. They can do this in any way that they wish so this might be through drawing pictures of what they have done each day and then writing a small caption underneath. You might also want to challenge your children at home a little more and get them to write 2 or 3 simple sentence on what they have done in their day. You might also want to take pictures of your child and at the end of the day before bed talk about what you have done in the day and in what order you have done it in.

# Reading

For Reading this week we are going to have a go at trying to answer some questions. Use the link below to Watch Mrs Bavington read the story 'The Way Back Home' by Oliver Jeffers and see if you can answer the questions.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?time\\_continue=11&v=JM4DaDI9eXY&feature=emb\\_title](https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=11&v=JM4DaDI9eXY&feature=emb_title)

What did the little boy find?

Where did the little boy get stuck?

Who did the little boy meet?

Can you design a different front cover for this book? Remember we need the name of the story and the author on the front!

Do you think you could order the story by drawing pictures of what happens in the story?

Which parts of the story happens in the day time? Can you draw these parts?

What land do you think the Martian has come from? Can you design the planet you think this Martian has come from? You want to paint this, draw it or create it using playdough!