

Read Write Inc

Read Write Inc continues! Children are either in small, focused RWI groups or in a Star writing group.



This term the Y2 star groups will be writing information texts on ocean creatures, a travel brochure for an island of their choice and directions for a treasure map!

Science

Science and our topic continue to be:

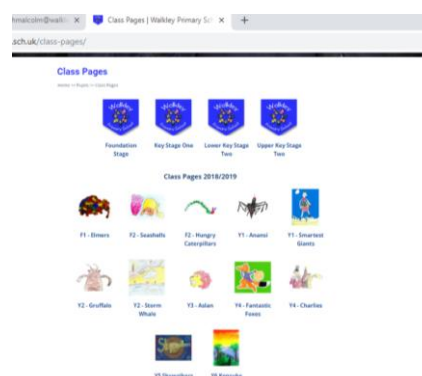
Use of everyday materials

We will look further at various materials and do experiments about their strength, durability and flexibility.

From this, we will build the ultimate Japanese lighthouse keeper's lunch box carrying basket which will withstand rain(water pistols) and pesky seagulls (shots from a nerf gun!).

Visit our Class Blog at:

<http://www.walkley.sheffield.sch.uk/>



Year 2

Summer 2

Topic: Land A Hoy!

Teachers: H. Malcolm

TA: A. Wiczorek

Numeracy



We will be challenging children to master their addition, subtraction, multiplication and division skills through a series of maths investigation. Additionally, we will be running a food stall at the end of term and will therefore calculate costings, profits and hopefully no losses!



How You Can Help

Please ensure that you are punctual for school, arriving by 8.45 before doors are locked at 8.50. If you arrive later please remember to sign in at the office.

If your child is off school ill, please ring school to let us know straight away.

Spellings will be sent out each Friday and tested on a Thursday

We will send Big Math's Learn It sheets home every Friday!

Please read with your child and leave a comment in their reading records.

Remember that **PE is on Friday** so please ensure they have a PE kit in school.

Don't forget school meals are **FREE** for Foundation, Y1 and Y2. Milk is payable in the school office!

Physical Education: This term the Gruffalos will be focusing on tag rugby to improve their teamwork skills. The Gruffalos will learn skills such as side stepping, tactics and supporting their teammates.

Creative Curriculum

Our topic is **Land A Hoy!** The Gruffalos have been tasked with exploring the seas to write a large feature article for *National Geographic kids* magazine. The editor, Susan Goldberg, has asked us to travel the world's oceans and include descriptions of the culture and life of different islands we shall visit. Additionally, a sub feature is required on climate change and the affect of plastic pollution. *Will the Gruffalos deliver by deadline day?!*