

Week beginning 7th October

Maths

This week we have been adding multiples of ten to a two digit number using dienes and then progressing onto a number line. We have noticed that when you add or take-away ten, the ones number stays the same, but the tens number changes.

English

The focus has been on writing question sentences and statements. First, we composed questions to send in an email to the children in Capetown. We received a reply, and from that, were able to produce an information sheet about Capetown, remembering to include statements and exclamation marks.

Science

We wrote up our findings from last week's investigation of the school environment and predicted what differences there might be when we explore the same environment, in the winter.

Drama

We were very lucky to have a drama lady visit, we had the opportunity to pretend to be characters from King Arthur's time.



Handwriting

The focus continues to be on the letters with lead in and lead out strokes.

PE

We are continuing to enjoy gymnastics on Wednesday and Cricket on Thursday.

Topic

Year 2 are continuing to focus on South Africa, this week we learnt about African patterns and designed our own. We tried to include symbolic and geometric shapes.

Art

On Friday we began preparing our African pattern ready for printing. We had to cut out cardboard shapes and stick them to a cardboard tile ready for us to paint and print on to material.



On Friday afternoon Mrs Derbyshire came to speak to us about her experiences of Capetown, we will need this information for next week's English.



Reading Roundabout

We listened to the story 'How to Hide a Lion' and then completed various activities on it.

