



The Heights Primary School

Key Stage One Parent Planner: Spring 2 Week 6

Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is **Chocolate**

This week we will be:

English	In Year 2 we love books! This week we are going to be having time to explore our school library. We will be selecting books and reading them for pleasure. Then we will be learning about book reviews. We will read a range of book reviews. We will examine the features of book reviews, write a book review together as a class and then we will be writing book reviews about our chosen book. Our book reviews will be so good that they will be going into our school library to guide other children's reading choices.
Maths	In Maths we will continue to explore measures. We will be estimating length, numbers of objects, money and volume. Then we will move on to using related number facts to solve addition and subtraction problems. Towards the end of the week we will solve subtraction problems using a range of written methods. We may even be innovating and inventing our own subtraction problems.
Science	This week the chicks have joined us at The Heights! We look forward to observing the eggs hatching and will be writing diaries from the perspective of a chick. We will also be reflecting upon our chocolate topic. We will think about all of the learning we have done this term and may even celebrate our learning journey with some taste testing. On Friday we are having a special day of challenge! Watch this space to find out all about our 'I'm a Head Teacher Get Me Out of Here!' session.

The children in Year 2 have now started the Cracking Times Tables scheme. Every Monday they will have three minutes to answer times table questions. Each child should know exactly which tables they need to practise at home during the week. Help at home with this will enable them to be successful.

Please support your child by encouraging them to read at home every night. It is extremely important to ask them lots of questions and ensure they understand the meanings of unfamiliar words. Please record this in their record books that are collected in every day.

If you have any questions about how to help your child with their learning please see your child's teacher.

Best wishes,

Miss Kennedy and Mrs Mullaney