



Hi Class 2,

I hope you and your families are all staying safe and well.

First of all, very special mentions to Stanley and Chloe. A big well done for all of your hard work during the school closure. Chloe, you've done so well with your times tables - congratulations for getting onto the Thor challenge! Stanley, I've been so impressed with how hard you're working and how much progress you've made with your reading. Keep it up!!!

This week, I've been in school, teaching some of the children from Class 1 with Mrs Walker and we've been writing about Little Red Riding Hood and reading The Fantastic Mr Fox. I've also been enjoying the most of the gorgeous weather we've had by going out kayaking in the sea. We're really lucky to live in a such a beautiful town with forests to explore and the beach to play on.

Please see this week's home learning tasks below. Again, if you would like any further resources, here is a link to the [Year 2 BBC Bitesize](#) page and more reading materials for Year 2 using this link on [Twinkl](#).

I can't say how much I love seeing the pictures of you learning and your work - I've seen some excellent pieces of work. So please keep sending pictures of your work to me via Twitter: @Eastayton_sch for a shout-out in next week's letter.

Have a great week!

Kindest regards,

Mr Dente

Science: How is your sunflower coming along? Has it grown as you hoped it would? Can you see a sprout? What have you learnt?

Keep monitoring the growth of your sunflower, observe it every day to look for signs of growth, measure how big it's growing and record how you're looking after it.

Remember to draw what you see and take photos to record your Sunflower's progress.

PE: Have you been doing the Joe Wicks workouts? This week I'd like you to design your own workout for me to do at home. Think of 10 different exercises, and how many repetitions and sets you want to do. Get your family to test it out then tweet a picture of your workout and I will give it a go at home. Check out Joe Wicks in case you need some inspiration but I really enjoy squats, lunges, burpees, bear crawls, plank, shoulder taps and running on the spot.

English: Did you enjoy The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch book? This week I've got two activities for you to complete.

First of all, I'd like you to write a book review for The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch. Did you like it? Why did you like it? What was the best part? Was it funny? How did it make you feel? How could it be made better? Who were the bad guys? Were they good bad guys? How many stars would you give it out of 5? Can you draw a picture of your favourite part?

Your second activity is to draw a picture of the Lighthouse Keeper and then think of as many different adjectives as you can to describe the Lighthouse Keeper. If you'd like a challenge, can you write an expanded noun phrase to describe him? Remember, an adjective is a describing word.

If you want an extra hard challenge can you find out what industrious means?

If you haven't got the book, here's a link to the text:

<https://horburyprimary.accordmat.org/wpcontent/uploads/sites/2/2020/03/Lighthouse-Keepers-Lunch-Text.pdf>

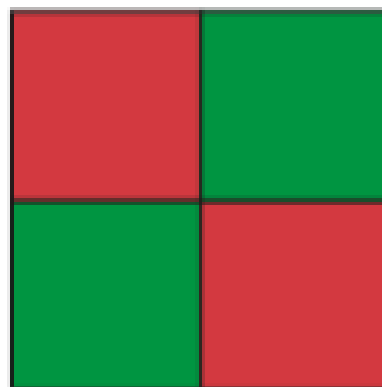
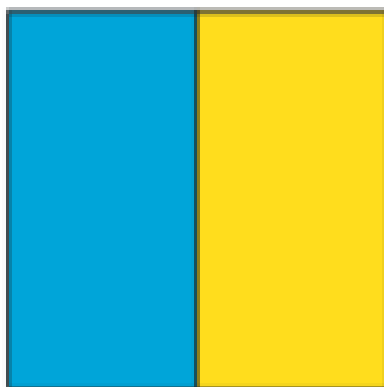
and a link to a video of the book being read: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=46wCRq50Wwg>

Maths: Halves and quarters investigation

Here is a square.



Here are 2 halves and 4 quarters of the square.



How many different ways can you use the halves and quarters to fill the square? What sort of shapes can you use to divide the squares in? Can you split the square in to thirds?

Art: This week, I'd like you to create a toilet roll Octopus! If you'd like some inspiration, here's a picture of what it could look like, if not just get creative.

