

Dear Parent/Carers,



We wanted to start by saying a massive well done to all the children for their commendable efforts on Sports Day. They showed resilience and determination, making us very proud teachers. We were so impressed with the skill, attitude, effort, determination and sportsmanship that we saw from all of the children. Each of these qualities is so important alongside winning! Thank you to those of you who were able to come and support the children, we hope you enjoyed watching your child compete in a range of events.

Our spellings for Monday's quiz are:



Spellings: 6.7.26

Test: 13.7.26



This week's focus:

Why do some words have the spelling ey for the sound /ee/?

Year 2 Common Exception Words

donkey	valley	trolleys	alleys
move	improve		

In English, we created a set of instructions for our own breakfast and made some really creative recipes. Lots of children were inspired by the overnight oats and made an alternative dish to this but some decided to make pancakes with fruit, cereal with fruit and yoghurt and lots of other interesting ideas.

In Maths, we have continued to learn more efficient methods for calculating questions and this week, we have looked at subtraction. When bridging with subtraction, you make a small jump to the previous multiple of ten before subtracting the rest of the number. Here is an example below:

$$\begin{array}{r} 34 - 7 \\ \swarrow \searrow \\ 4 \quad 3 \end{array}$$

Previous multiple of 10 30

$$\underline{30} - \underline{3} = \underline{27}$$

1. Write the previous multiple of 10
2. How many less to the previous multiple of 10
- write it in the number sentence
3. Partion the rest of the 1 digit number and write it in the number sentence
4. Check you have subtracted all of the 1 digit number

Thank you for the support.

Mrs Hardcastle, Mr Bale and the Year 2 Team