

## Next Week in Year 2

### Week Beginning 29<sup>th</sup> April 2024



Week 3 spellings:

Went, when, should, would, could, only, after, very, some, come.

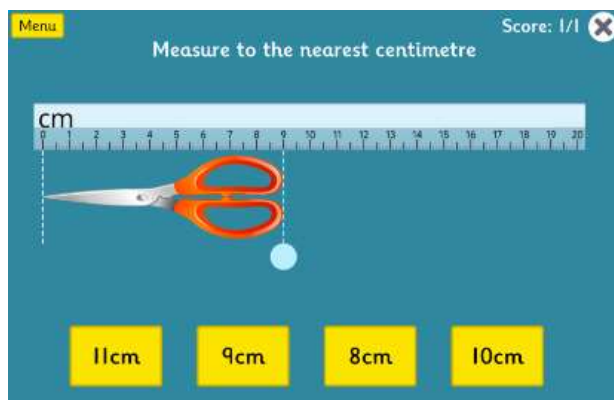
What we will be doing in school

How you can help at home

#### Maths – Measurement

Next week the children will be learning about cms and metres, using a ruler to measure different objects and then comparing length and height of objects. We will then be reading scales and ordering and comparing different weights using grams and kilograms.

Find different items from around the house and place them in size (length) order. Perhaps the children want to order their soft toys or venture outside and collect sticks. Measure these using a ruler or tape measure and then put in size order.



<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/measuring-in-cm>

#### English – Newspaper

Next week the children will be writing a newspaper about the Great Fire of London. **They'll be using their knowledge** of our recent workshop to add in lots of facts and **information**. **They'll be learning how to make** sure their writing is sequenced correctly so that it tells the story of the events that happened in order. At the end of the week we will look at making a catchy headline and writing captions.

Have a look through some newspapers over the weekend. (Please read the story first to check it is appropriate for your child to read). Can they spot the captions and guess what the story might be about from the headline?



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Topic- The Great Fire of London

RE:

Next week the children will be learning about humanist weddings. We will discuss who can get married to who, including same sex marriages, and ensure children have an understanding that marriage is a special celebration that unites a couple in a special way.

History: Next week the children will be answering the question: What was firefighting like in 1666? The children will then compare what it was like to 2024 looking at equipment, the geography and landscapes and modern technology.

DT: Next week the children will be designing their bread commemorating the Great Fire of London. The children will be given a design brief on what to include. They will be looking at how they can ensure it represents something of the Great Fire.

RE

Chat with your child about your wedding or a wedding that they have been to. What was it like? Was it religious? Who was there? What did you eat, sing, and read? Send some photos in so we can discuss these with the children.

DT

If you do any baking/cooking this week ask your child what do they like about the meal/bake. What does it look like, taste like and what is the consistency? If they were to make it again how could they improve it. Take some snaps of any cooking and send them in on Class Dojo.

Please continue to read with your children during the week **and mark this in your child's** reading record. Or get them to do it 😊

The Year 2 Team