



## Worpleston Primary School – Weekly Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

10<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Happy new year! We hope you had an enjoyable Christmas break. Thank you once again for all your kind gifts and cards, they were very much appreciated by all of us. The children have settled into the new school term well and we have been able to get on with some excellent learning already.

In Maths the children have been learning to divide by sharing and have made great progress. We will continue to build on this skill and make the link between multiplication and division until they can apply this skill in lots of different contexts.

In English we have been learning the story 'My friend the weather monster' and focusing on different ways to start our sentences. We began the week by acting out the story and putting it into a text map. The children were then able to use the text map to re-write the story using the sentence starters they had learned.

In Geography we have started our topic of 'Amazing places and spaces in the UK'. We recapped the 7 continents of the world that the children learned in Year 1 and then focused in on the 4 different countries that make up the UK. The children used atlases to locate the capital cities of each country and placed them on a map. We will be learning about different amazing places in the UK over the next few weeks and in DT we will be making models of Stonehenge out of wood.

Mrs Carey would like to thank the parents who have kindly donated liquid hand soap for Larks class – hopefully we can stay germ free this term!

Kind regards,

Year 2 team