



## Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 26th November 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have had a wonderful time in Year 2 this week - the children have continued to impress us with their positivity and independence.

In English, we have been writing a letter from a First-Class passenger on board the Titanic, focussing on the four different sentence types: question, exclamation, command and statement. Next week they will be writing a letter as if they were a Third-Class passenger on board the Titanic, with a continued focus on the four sentence types.

In Maths, we have been focusing this week on money. The children have been counting amounts of money, selecting money to pay for items and comparing amounts of money. The children (with the help of Mrs MacAskill), have also set up a shop that they are enjoying playing with at playtimes to practise their money skills. Next week we will be continuing our topic of money. Money is a great topic for you to support at home, allowing your child to count amounts of money (coins or notes) or pay for things with cash in a shop.

### **Christmas Play**

This week, we have started practising for our Christmas play. Thank you for all your hard work at home helping your child to learn their lines. We will continue to practise this ahead of our upcoming dress rehearsal. The performances are on: Monday 13th December (2pm) and Tuesday 14th December (9:20am). Please could your child bring their costume into school in a named bag by **Wednesday 8th December**.

### **History**

In the next few weeks (date tbc) we would like to teach an immersive history lesson where the children experience what life would have been like on the Titanic in first and third class. For this we would like to provide some food. Please let your class teacher know any dietary requirements so we are able to accommodate these. We would love for this lesson to be a surprise so we would appreciate you not sharing this information with the children.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions. Our email addresses are below.

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Thank you for all your ongoing support,

The Year 2 Team.