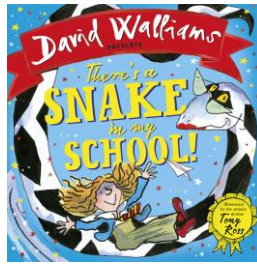


Year 2 Homework
Week ending 29.2.20



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week in English we've looked at a new genre: book reviews. We started our unit looking at examples of book reviews, deciding what a good what looks like (WAGOLL). These were features we decided to include: A title, sub-headings, conjunctions (but, so, because etc) and a range of punctuation. (This could include any/all of the Year 2 punctuation such as commas in lists, question and exclamation marks and apostrophes for contractions – can't and for singular possession – David Walliams's book.) We read, 'There's a Snake in my School' by David Walliams, and wrote reviews on it.

We have continued our learning on time, telling the time to quarter to and five minutes on an analogue clock. Playing lots of games has helped develop and reinforce our skills. We've also answered problems such as: I start reading at five o'clock. I read for twenty-five minutes. What time do I finish?

For a child to be Year Two expected (age related) they have to be able to tell the time to quarter of the hour. For a child to be greater depth, they need to tell the time to five minutes.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Fitzgerald and Miss Adams

Activities

English: Chat challenge! Read a story or a chapter and either make predictions or use inference, referring to the text and/or other similar stories.

Possible inference questions: How can you tell the character is happy/sad etc?

Why are they creeping? Why are they shouting?

Maths: Practise doubles and halves: Start within 20 and then challenge yourself to numbers within 100.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button> (This game is compatible with both laptops and tablets.)