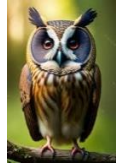




# OWLS CLASS (Year 2) - Weekly overview



## Term 3 Week 1

HAPPY NEW YEAR! We hope you all had a good break over Christmas. It was lovely to see you all back in school on Wednesday and we've had a busy first few days back.

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2024

This week we have been learning about:

English	Reading: answering retrieval questions on the topic of coats. Planning and writing a descriptive paragraph - my outfit designed by Halibut Jackson. Using 'because' in a sentence. Friday diary about 'Epiphany around the world' with a focus on capital letters.
Maths	Started a new unit on money and measurement. Counting coins Counting pounds Measuring in centimeters
Science	Testing materials for a gym mat - why is foam the best material? Testing permeability of material - which fabrics are waterproof? Predicting Recording findings in a table and writing a concluding sentence.
Other Subjects:	PE: introduction to dance - animals movement Art: Taking photos of objects around school with different textures - we will draw them next week. Music: How music makes me feel - listening to Holst Venus and Mars. Identifying instruments and sharing feelings. RE: Beginning 'Gospel' topic: What did Jesus' good news mean for Matthew in the Bible story? Handwriting: we are focusing on the 'ea' join - diagonal join to anticlockwise letters this week.
Other information	<b>SPELLING SHED</b> - please continue to practise spelling rules with fun games and challenges. PE days are Tuesday (gymnastics with coaches) and Thursday(dance). Please come to school wearing PE kits on both days. As the weather continues to get cooler please remember to wear a waterproof coat, bring wellies and hats & gloves too!

### Home learning Task

READING - please continue to read daily and record this in reading records. A mymaths task was set with a focus on money. You might also like to play any board games that you have at home with money and I've given a challenge to match the price of an item with coins. Are there different ways to make it? Photos of this can be uploaded to seesaw.

Our computing focus is on composing digital music this term so if you have a pair of headphones can they please be brought to school (labelled) on Thursdays.