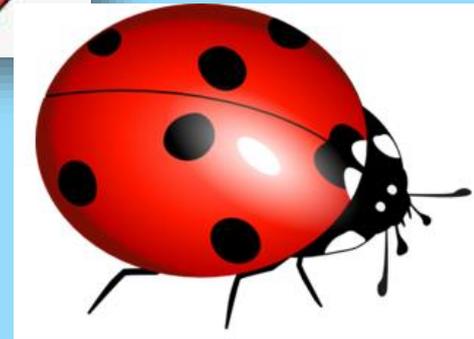


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Year 2 Newsletter



Monday 4th May 2020

Hello Butterflies and Ladybirds!

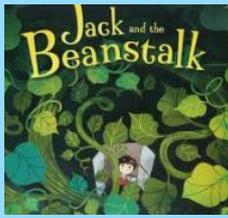
We hope that you are all still keeping safe and well. We really miss teaching you all and seeing you every day but we have loved seeing all your work on Purple Mash, please keep sending it in and don't forget to go back and see the comments that we have sent you too!

A few of you have asked about Fish and Tango- our Year group pets. They are happy and well at home now to make sure that they are being fed every day, and although the cats are very interested in them, we will keep them safe!

We have been working hard on creating a new Unexpected Adventure Trail for our new topic- *'It's a wonderful life'*, and although things are different right now, there is still lots to do and enjoy! For Terms 5 and 6 we will be focusing on the world around us and the plants and animals we may come across, so if you can, get outside and explore...see what you can discover!

Take care and stay safe,
Love from Miss Moss and Mrs Walker.





This term we are starting to look at Traditional Tales. Watch [Jack and the Beanstalk](#) or read it if you have the story at home.

Use the link for a guide on [how to create a story map and information for setting descriptions](#).

Read the [short version](#) of the story and see if you can answer the questions- make sure you use a full sentence!

Traditional Tale Quiz

Follow the [link...](#) how good is your Traditional and Fairy Tale knowledge?

Find some information on [George Forrest](#) here to get you started...

Take care of yourself

There is lots going on in the World at the moment and some big changes for all of us. Make sure you talk to your adults about your worries or write them down to help you explain them. Write down all of the things you are missing doing when you think of them and put them in a jar. When we are back to normal you can open one a day and see if you are able to do it, then it will give you something to look forward to!



For Maths we are focusing on telling the time, use the [attached guide](#) if you need any help.

For an additional maths challenge you could log on to White Rose every week day, watch the lesson and complete the activity at <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/>.

If you find the Year 2 work tricky, have a look at what Year 1 are doing and try their work instead and/or you could also have a go at some of the BBC bitesize lessons:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

There are all sorts of different lessons for different subjects- try them out!

Be creative!

We have recycled some plastic drinks bottles to make these colourful bottle planters:



You could make one too!

Ask an adult to cut the side off of the bottle and then choose your design!

We used acrylic paints (to make sure that the rain doesn't wash our painting off) to decorate them. Soon we will be putting some plants in them and hanging them in the garden to brighten it up- What design will you choose? Find the information on how to grow healthy plants [here...](#)