## Parents in Partnership

## Year 2

Date set: 02.11.2018 Date due: 09.11.2018



I hope that you all had an enjoyable half-term break. The children have returned to school with very positive attitudes towards their learning and are all looking very smart in their shirts and ties. A quick reminder to make sure that all Winter clothing is named please - hats, scarves and gloves. Now that we are all experts at writing instructions, we have moved on to looking at poetry this week. We have begun reading "Where the poppies now grow" by Hilary Robinson, and have looked at how the poem develops, gradually revealing more information about the two friends.

In maths we have continued our work on subtraction and have looked at the link to addition. We have started our new topic on War and Remembrance and have spent an afternoon finding out about the life of Walter Tull and his important contribution to the First World War.

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## Homework Tasks

Spellings: We will be learning words with "l" sound spelt with "el" at the end of words. Words to learn this week:

camel	
tunnel	
squirrel	
travel	
towel	

Your child's spelling result for "le" sound:

Your child has also been given a list of FIVE extra words to learn, taken from the common exception words for Year 1 and 2.

Maths: Practise the 2, 5 and 10 times tables with the EMOJI MOSAIC CHALLENGE! The children will be tested on their 2 times table next week.

Reading: Can you find any poetry books in your house? Can you find rhyming words?

Topic project (optional): Create your own poppy (either 2D or 3D, using materials of your choice).

My child's response to the tasks.

Extreme Reading, Caught Writing