

Year 2 Newsletter 11

Friday 1st December

Dear Parent/Carers,

Our spellings for Monday's quiz are:

try → tried	cry → cried	dry → dried
copy → copied	hurry → hurried	carry → carried
any	many	money

In English this week, we have been writing our adventure stories. We created an opening that had specific description using prepositions (to describe where nouns are positioned) and an exciting 'hook' to get the reader's attention. We then wrote the middle of the story which included action and tension. Finally, we wrote an ending that satisfied the reader by linking back to the beginning.

In our Maths lessons this week, we have continued to explore the column method by applying our knowledge to subtraction number sentences. We have explored how to transfer this knowledge from our packets to paper, following the layout below.

e)	T	O			f)	T	O			g)	T	O			h)	T	O		
	1	9				7	8				3	5				7	8		
-	1	9			-	3	4			-	2	3			-	6	2		

We know that whether we are adding or subtracting, we always work with the **ones** first and then the **tens**.



It was great to see lots of children taking part in 'No Pens Day' on Wednesday. We really enjoyed listening to the children speak so passionately about their favourite items, pets, hobbies and family members, to name but a few. They all listened very well to each other, and we were impressed with the confidence that came through when delivering their presentations. Well done Year 2!

Thank you to those who have already sent in the costume items for nativity. We will be wearing our costumes for the first time on Monday 4th December, so can we please ask that any last-minute costume items come to school with your child on Monday, in a clearly labelled carrier bag.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to seeing you at our Nativity performances next week.

Mrs Collins, Mr Bale, Mrs Gooseman and the Year 2 team 😊