

Year 2 Half Term

Hello Africa class! We have now reached the end of another term. We know that it has been really challenging having to adapt to learning at home but we are so incredibly proud of your resilience, patience and hard work. We hope you enjoy a well-earned break over half term and spend plenty of time in your garden enjoying the sunshine and on bike rides and picnics! We are looking forward to seeing all of your faces again soon and know it won't be too much longer. If you would like some activities to do over half term, we have listed a few lighter ideas below. We believe it's important that you all have a break this week.

Writing

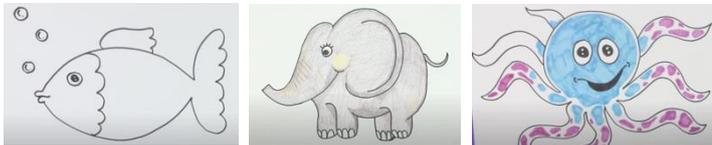
If you would like to do some writing over half term, why not write a recount of one of your day's activities. Think carefully about your past tense verbs and use of suffixes. What did you do? How did you feel? Sequence your recount with sentences openers like after that, then and next. If you want to make your recount more exciting, you could try making up some ideas of activities you've done like taking a rocket to space or deep sea diving.



Sketching

Animals can be really difficult to draw and something we have been practising in Year 2 this year. If you'd like to improve your sketching skills, watch this video and have a go at following the steps to draw some of the animals! Make sure you send us some of your drawings!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7SWvIUd2at8>



Measuring

Baking is always a great way to practise your measuring. Over half term, why not try baking some cakes or cookies. Think about the different ingredients and weigh them out carefully! Make sure you post some photos on our class blog!



Reading

Over half term, read your favourite books to an adult. Which are your favourite books and why? Who are the authors? If you can't think of any, try having a look at our Year 2 Reading Spine. If you'd like to share your favourite books with us, you could use some of the templates on Twinkl to create a book review. Sketch a picture of the front cover and write a short summary of the book.



Have a look at some of the brilliant learning that has been going on over the past week!

