

## What am I learning this half term?

In Y1 and 2 this half term, we will be looking at a variety of different subjects. In maths, we will be solving problems involving all 4 operations and finding fractions of numbers. In English, we will be writing stories using the structure of well-known children's tales. In Science, we will be learning different habitats and the animals that live there.

## Early Bird Maths

At Ebor Gardens, we want to make every second of learning time count. From 8:30, we will be starting our Early Bird Maths, aimed at strengthening maths skills through recall games and fun competitions.



## P.E Dates

In P.E this half term, we will be taking part in athletics. Please ensure your child comes to school in full P.E kit, which is t-shirt, tracksuit bottoms and a top for cooler weather, pumps or trainers.

This will take place on the following days.

Friday – 1AD and 1JD/HS

Monday - 2HW

Friday- 2FA

## Homework

Each Friday, Spellings and homework will be set and children will have until Wednesday to complete the tasks set. Dojo points will be awarded for completed work.

## Reading Book

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home and initial their bookmark. These will also be accompanied by a banded book from our collection which will be changed once the child has finished the text.

## Topic

Our topic this half term is 'Animal Kingdoms'. We will explore and look at different places and biomes around the world and compare these. We will also think about how we can care for our world.