

Year 2

A big thank you to all the parents that were able to attend the Year 2 meeting on Tuesday, we hope you found it useful 😊

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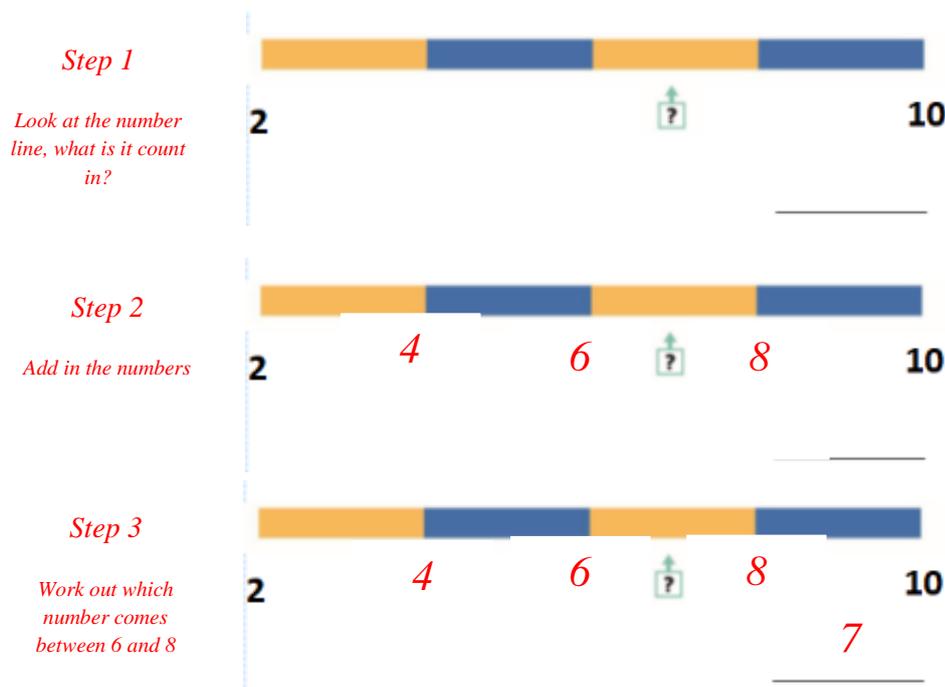
In RE this week, the children have thought about St Paul and the message he gave the Ephesus:

God loved us and chose us before the world was made to be holy.
Because he loved us, God decided to make us his own children.

They thought about this message and wrote letters to a person of their choice, describing how much God loves them.

Maths:

In maths this week, the children have been thinking about number magnitude and placing numbers on a number line. Some of the number lines only had the first and last number and children had to work out if it was counting in steps of 1, 2, 5 and 10 before working out the number. See below:



The children then went on to adding 3 one digit numbers together and using strategies like doubles and number bonds when required to support this

English:

The children were shocked on Monday to receive an email from Max Velthuijs the author of 'The Frog and the stranger', stating a page was missing from the story! They had to use their conjunction skills to write the missing page explaining how the Pig's fire started.

On Thursday, it was ‘National Poetry Day’ and the theme was choice. We chose to use ‘The black book of colours’ to inspire our poetry writing. This book is written in braille and we discussed the importance of the vocabulary we use and the choice of words authors and poets use. Each table had a black box filled with different items on their table. They had to feel the objects inside their box, without looking, to guess the colour. They then worked in groups to write and perform their poems.

We have decided to not send a comprehension home this weekend, instead, please take time to read a poem with your child.

Extra Information:

- Go Green for CAFOD day on **Monday** 11th October. Children to wear green clothes with a £1 donation for CAFOD.
- Grandparents or Senior Citizen neighbours are very welcome to our community afternoon on **Wednesday** 13th October at 1.45pm. The children will perform songs/dances and tea and cake will be served afterwards. If you know anyone who would like to attend, please phone the office with their name so we have an idea of numbers. Thank you. On **Thursday** 14th October 2021 at 9:15am, you are welcome to come and watch the children’s harvest performance
- Padua are still looking for a parent volunteer, if you are able to help change books on a Monday, please let us know.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Amy and Megan ☺



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Keep learning: Can you find out about CAFOD’s “Go Green” campaign?