

# TWYFORD ST MARY'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Year 2 Weekly Newsletter

Week beginning: 19th September 2022

Our topic is: 'All About Me!'

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Meet the Teacher event, I hope you enjoyed seeing our fabulous new learning space! If you couldn't make it, please don't hesitate to come and 'meet' me on the playground or via phone/email if you would like a chat or have any questions about the year ahead.

It's election week! We have our voting on Thursday morning and result in the afternoon.

The children are really getting into the swing of life in Year 2. Last week, they all worked so hard on their Emily Brown stories. We are so impressed with their focus and perseverance.

Mrs Keating

### Our Curriculum this week:



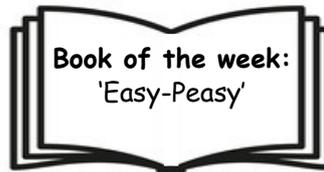
#### Core Subjects (AM)

In English we are learning how to write instruction texts.

In maths we are learning about addition and subtraction.

In reading we are focusing on the skill of predicting what might happen in a text.

In phonics we are recapping all the alternatives for the 'ee' sound: ee/ea/ey/e\_e/ie/y



#### Foundation Subjects (PM)

This week we are continuing to make 'Twyford-opoly' in the form of a 3D map! We will also be beginning our learning about e-safety. P.E. continues to be on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

#### How you can help at home..

- Read our phonics-linked book of the week on Bug Club and notice where you find the sound we learnt last week.
- Play some phonics games linked to the sound we are learning this week (try phonics play or other apps).
- Log into Numbots to practise mental maths skills.
- Use Google maps to look at our local area. What do you notice? Can you use it to go on a virtual tour of the area?
- Chat about: What are some of the written instructions you have around the house? E.g. recipes, game instructions, crafts, etc. What do they all have in common?



#### Spellings:

ea, e\_e, ey, ie

seat  
knead  
these  
delete  
donkey  
chimney  
happy  
party  
chief  
thief