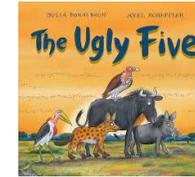




## Summer 2 - Year 2



### Handwriting



We are continuing to practise the correct formation of letters, ensuring they are sitting on the line with clear distinction between ascenders and descenders.

- During our English learning, we will be focussing on the story 'The Ugly Five' by Julia Donaldson. . This is a wonderful story that allows the children to learn about a variety of animals. We will be writing to inform by creating our own fact files and writing to entertain by creating our own stories based on the book.
- In Maths, we will be focussing on statistics, position and direction, as well as solving one-step and two-step word problems. We will also re-visit prior year 2 learning in preparation for Year 3, in September!
- In Science, our topic will be animals including humans! We will be finding out about different parts of the body and notice that animals, including humans have offspring that turn into adults. In our classroom, we will be looking very closely at a life cycle of a butterfly! We will also be finding out about food chains.
- In Art, we will be looking at shades and tints.. We will also be learning how to paint with texture and choose an appropriate brush size. We will be creating our own line drawings on a small and large scale and create our own animal masks.

Have you explored these Maths money games...?

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/money/toy-shop-money>

<https://natwest.mymoneysense.com/students/students-5-8/coin-cruncher/>

### Maths Fluency

- Bonds to 100
- Counting in 2's, 3's, 5's & 10's
- Missing Numbers
- Addition & Subtraction
- Multiplication & Division

### Spelling Rules



The rule for adding suffixes -ing, -ed, -est, -er and -y to root words of one syllable, ending with a single consonant letter next to a single vowel letter e.g. hop becomes hopping, hot becomes hottest, tap becomes tapped etc.

### Vocabulary & Focus Areas

Capacity, ml, l, full, empty, half full/half empty, city, town, exploring, adventure, dreams, goals, aspiration, mini beast, habitat, life cycle, food chains, location, environment, surrounding

### Remember...

- Remember to read the books that are sent home weekly & read bug club books online.
- Complete one piece of home learning each week on Purple Mash.
- It will be PE this half term so remember to wear the correct item of clothing!

