



Monday 22nd February

Year 2 Home learning

Hello Year 2!

We hope you had a nice half term, and a good rest from your school work. It was Shrove Tuesday wasn't it - did any of you have a pancake or two? This half term we are continuing our Victorians topic. Do you remember learning about Victorian schools before half term? What did you think - would you fancy going to one of those schools? Well this week we will be finding out what it was like for children who did not have the opportunity to go to school, but had to go to work instead. You might change your mind about those schools!

Have a look below to see what we would like you to do today.

Mrs Hill and Mrs Garner

Handwriting

This half term we are going to put some of the letters that we have already practised, into words, remembering the patterns and letter families that are formed in the same way.

This week we are particularly remembering the transformer letters c o a g q d

Today write the words:

cat coat chair old once organ

(these are on the handwriting sheets if you want to use them)

Reading - Try to do some reading today. Remember that you can pop up to the music room every week on Thursdays to collect new books. Please phone Mrs Dunbar and she will be happy to arrange a time.

English - This week we will be practising our sentence skills and spelling skills.

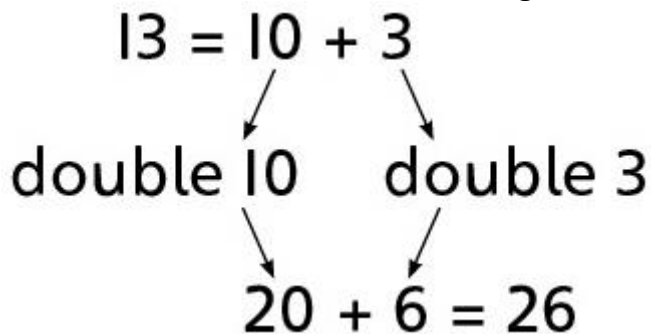
Today, can you find the mistakes in the sentences? Correct the sentences by adding capital letters and full stops. Remember that capital letters are for the beginning of sentences, as well as names of people and places. You don't have to write out all of the sentences; try to do some, but you can highlight the mistakes and correct them on some of the others.

Maths - Doubles and halves

Today we are doubling numbers to 12 and finding half of numbers to 24.

Do a quick recap - use your 2 hands to double your fingers. How quickly can you show 2 fingers, then double it? Then, when you have four fingers up, halve it. Try with different numbers, doubling and halving.

Next, have a look at how to double 2 digit numbers, below:



Have a go at the work book page, doubling and halving numbers. If you need to, gather some small toys or objects to use as counters to help you.

This afternoon.... Victorian children at work.

Well, you thought that Victorian school was bad enough, but actually, if you were a Victorian child you would be very glad to be at school, because if you were not then you would be at work. Work for children was very hard, as they were given the worst and often most dangerous jobs. This was usually because they were smaller than adults and had smaller hands, so could fit into spaces that adults could not. Have a look at the Powerpoint/PDF showing some of the jobs that children had to do. You might want to draw a picture afterwards of the job which you think was the worst.