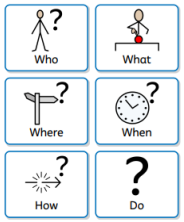
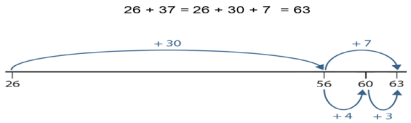
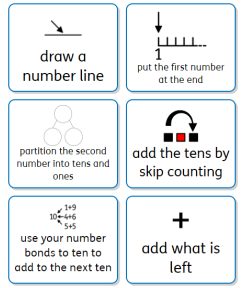
Year Group: **Year Two**

Talk to me about

Date: Spring Term 6th March 2026

Our Learning Journey – This week we have begun our explorer topic across the curriculum and celebrated World Book Day.

What we wanted to learn:	What we did:	What could I do at home to help me with my learning?
To use an exclamation mark To retell the story using exciting phrases To use question phrases and question marks correctly.	We learnt about a fictional character called Tom, whose dad got lost in the Arctic. We used exclamation marks to describe what was happening during exciting points in the story. We met Tom at the end of the week and got to ask him questions about his adventure, we then wrote our questions down and used a ? correctly in sentences.	I could think of questions I would like to ask and use the question mark correctly. I could write some exciting adventures which would include an exclamation mark in my writing. 
Mathematics We are learning to add a two digit number to a two digit number on a number line. We are learning to cross ten.	We added two digit numbers together - we used a clever method shown here. We have been using counting on a number line to help us mostly and using skip counting in 10s to help us.  	22 + 49 = 22 + 29 = 23 + 38 = 24 + 57 = 25 + 46 = 26 + 25 = 27 + 34 = 28 + 54 = 29 + 47 = 35 + 28 = 32 + 39 = 33 + 59 = 34 + 47 = 35 + 29 = 36 + 38 = 37 + 44 = 38 + 48 = 39 + 23 = 44 + 37 = 42 + 39 = 43 + 49 = 44 + 27 = 45 + 36 = 46 + 45 = 47 + 44 = 48 + 25 = 49 + 33 = 57 + 24 = 52 + 49 = 53 + 28 = 54 + 37 = 55 + 37 = 56 + 47 = 57 + 25 = 58 + 34 = 59 + 26 = Try some of these sums using the numberline method.

Words for this week: **put, pull, full, push.** Word aware: hoist, spectacular

Maths Mental Fluency: quick recall of times tables facts and the **division** facts for 2, 5 and 10.

Reminders and Notices:

Thank you for your incredibly generous donations for the Arctic Artwork – we hope you have enjoyed putting them in pride of place at home. We have adopted a Penguin at Drusilla's Zoo - we hope the children enjoying spotting the plaque with the school's name when they visit Drusillas (Southway host a trip there in Y3).

For our DT workshops - please bring in any unsoiled cardboard boxes smaller than a shoe box please- as many as you would normally recycle.

Thanks for your support.

The Year 2 team.