

Talk to me about...

Year Group: Year Two

Date: 24th April 2026

Our Learning Journey - Living in England



What we wanted to learn:	What we did:	What could I do at home to help me with my learning?
<p>Literacy</p> <p>To identify a noun. To identify an adjective. To use an adverb. To write a descriptive sentence.</p>	<p>We read a story called 'The Disgusting Sandwich' by Gareth Edwards. It was about a sandwich that had been dropped in the dirt, crawled on by slugs and many other unfortunate events. We identified the nouns and adjectives in the text. We thought about how the adjectives made us feel as we were reading it.</p> <p>We made our own disgusting sandwich and described the different nouns we had added to it. We wrote full sentences to describe our disgusting sandwich. We edited the writing to make sure it included punctuation and great adjectives.</p>	<p>With my adult, I could follow a recipe to make something delicious. I could then describe it using lovely adjectives to encourage your family to eat it.</p> <p>I could do a giant spelling test on the words below to make sure I can spell them. Pick 3 words that you found tricky and find a way to remember the tricky spellings.</p>
<p>Mathematics</p> <p>To find half of a shape and number.</p> <p>To find a quarter of a shape.</p> <p>To find a third of a number.</p>	<p>We looked at different fractions and learnt about the numerator (the number at the top of the fraction that tells us how many parts of the fraction we have) and denominator (the number at the bottom of the fraction which tells us how many pieces the whole has been cut into). We learnt that if the numerator is just one, it is called a unit fraction but if the numerator is a different number, it is called a non-unit fraction.</p> <p>We have been finding a half and a quarter of shapes.</p> <p>We shared out counters into 3 equal groups. We found out that some numbers could not be split into thirds and some numbers could.</p>	<p>I could find a half, quarter, a third of shapes. You may be able to find half of your lunch or dinner such as half a sandwich or half of a pizza!</p>
<p><u>Words for this week:</u> wild, child, behind, find</p>		
<p><u>Word Aware Words:</u> disgusting, greedy, knead</p>		
<p><u>Maths Mental Fluency:</u> taking away a single digit from any 2 digit number e.g. $23 - 4 =$ $36 - 3 =$ $21 - 8 =$</p>		
<p>Reminders and Notices:</p> <p>Please can children coming into the playground in the morning not play with the equipment and they are the parent's responsibility until 8.50, thank you.</p> <p>Please check Parentmail for Southway transition dates and if you can help with walks, please let your child's class teacher know. Thank you.</p> <p>Bank holiday - 4th May- Back to school Tuesday 5th May.</p> <p>The Year 2 Team</p>		