Hello Year 2,



I hope that you had a nice time at the weekend and gave your Father's Day card to someone special in your family.

Last week I found out that we have a new girl joining our class called Luiza, after speaking to her I am sure you will all want to be friends with her. When we come back to school, I hope that you can show Luiza all of our school values. Can you remember what they are called? We looked at some of them last week.

Maths

This week we will be going back over some familiar areas of measurement, but we will also be looking at some new areas of measure too. The nice thing about this subject is that we can use it in a practical way.

Here is the link for the video today.

https://vimeo.com/430299105

English

This week we are going to be thinking about writing in a different way. We are looking at instructions. Can you think of any piece of writing that you have ever seen that gives you instructions?

Instructions are important so that we can follow them to make/do something correctly. They are usually created by someone that has had a go at making or doing something first then written down how to do it.

Our first job of the week is to look at some different instructions and see what the features are. I have given you some to look at here or you could try and find your own, maybe from a recipe book or with a new toy or game.

Can you spot the instruction words? Can you remember that these are called imperative verbs (or bossy verbs), because they tell us what to do. In the first one I have highlighted the imperative verbs to help you.

Activity: Look at some instructions, see how they are different to other types of writing. How does it look compared to a letter or a story?



How to Catch an Alien

Do you need to capture a pesky alien living in your garden? Use these instructions to help you!

- You Will Need:

 A pair of unused underpants
 A rope
 A stick
 A large cardboard box without a lid
 A big fishing net



- 1. Make a small hole in the top of the box.
- 2. Push the rope through the hole.
- 3. Tie the rope in a knot.
- 4. Put the box outside.
- 5. Use the stick to prop up the box.
- 6. Place the underpants underneath the box.
- 7. Pick up the end of the rope.
- 8. Wait for the alien to come.
- 9. Pull the rope hard.
- 10. Now you have caught an alien.

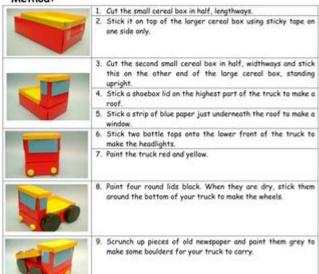
How to make a dump truck

You will need:

- 1 large cereal box
- · 2 small cereal boxes
- Shoe box lid
- Thin strip of blue paper
- 4 bottle tops
- Red and yellow paint to decorate
- 4 round lids
- · Scrunched up newspaper
- Grey paint
- Black paint
- Sticky tope



Method:



Rainbow Fruit Kebabs



Ingredients

- · 1 kiwi fruit (peeled and chopped)
- · ½ mango (peeled and chopped)
- strawberries
- red grapes
- blueberries

Method

Wash the strawberries, grapes and blueberries in cold water.

Cut the tops off the strawberries.

If the strawberries are big, cut them in half.

Put all the fruit into bowls.

Arrange bowls by fruit colour.

Thread onto skewers.

Serve and enjoy!

