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Friday 14th December 2018

Year 2 Newsletter: Spring 1 2019

Dear Parent / Carer,

This half term our topic is: **What makes Stoke Special?**

Our topic will focus on thinking about the History of our wonderful city and what special things we have in our area.

On Friday 11th January 2019 we will have our WOW day when we will be visiting Middleport Pottery Museum and exploring a bottle kiln. We will be making something to bring home and having story time on a canal barge. This is very exciting and we are looking forward to it.

- Reading: we ask that you read with your child each night and make a note in their diary with regards to how they have read. To help your child develop their reading skills, we recommend that they read each book at least twice and answer any questions about what they have read to secure their understanding and comprehension. Books are changed on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday and this is completed by an adult. We ask that you write "book finished" when children complete so that we know to change.
- Every Monday your child will also bring home a set of spellings which they should complete daily. These need to be completed as on Friday we will have a spelling test on these words. Please keep your spellings in the plastic wallet and we ask that the front sheet stays with them.
- We have given out TT Rockstars passwords. Please use this to support your home learning. The children will be bringing home times table books and having a focus on it each year.
- PE- please ensure that your child's complete labelled PE kit is in school daily. PE will be on a Wednesday and Thursday.
- No jewellery is to be worn for PE; Earrings should be removed if possible, if not they should be covered with plasters that are provided by home.

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Questions	Where do we get our name from?	What Potters made the Potteries?	How did the unsinkable ship sink?	Why was the spitfire so important?	What made the wizard of dribble an inspiration?	Which famous singers from Stoke could have the X factor?
Maths	Place value	Capacity and volume	2D and 3D shape	Money	Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division

Thank you for your support and if you have any questions please come and speak to us, we are usually available at the end of the day.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Bloor, Miss Lees, Mrs Holmes and Mrs Greensmith.

