



## Year 2 Westacre Warm-ups



These are the areas of learning your child will be covering over the next **two** weeks. You might be able to support your child with these through practical activities, by talking to them about what they are learning and helping to develop their understanding.

### **Weeks beginning 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

#### Maths

We will be beginning a unit of work on mass, capacity and temperature. The small steps of learning we will be covering are:

- Compare mass
- Measure in grams
- Measure in kilograms
- Four operations with mass
- Compare volume and capacity

You can find the video link for each of these small steps here:

[Maths home learning](#) | [Home learning](#) | [White Rose Education](#)

#### Supporting activities:

- Reading Scales – Mass - <https://www.teacherled.com/2015/02/04/reading-scales-mass/>
- Mass vs Capacity - <https://wordwall.net/resource/1534876/math/measurement>
- Capacity BBC - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zp8crdm>
- Comparing volume and capacity - [https://www.bentleycopdock.co.uk/serve\\_file/529165](https://www.bentleycopdock.co.uk/serve_file/529165)

#### English

In English, we will be completing our unit of work based on the text “The True Story of Mr Wolf” by Jon Scieszka – a traditional tale with a twist.

We will be planning and writing our own stories, firstly by innovating elements within the model text and then by creating and writing our own tales with a twist.

We will be including different types of sentences – statements, commands, exclamations and questions and checking that these are punctuated correctly with capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks. We will continue to practise using similes and apostrophes.

#### Spelling

In spelling we will be learning to write words containing the er and est such as happier, happiest, jollier, silliest, saddest and biggest etc. We will also be looking at the red words – caught, thought, told, whole, old and talk

## Supporting activities

[What is a simile? - BBC Bitesize](#)

[How to use apostrophes in contractions - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Using the four types of sentence - English - Learning with BBC Bitesize](#)