

**Maths** We have learned about fractions this week looking mostly at halves and quarters. Can you help your child to divide things into halves and quarters, and think about when fractions are helpful in real life.

We have also been solving word problems using fractions. Why not try to make up some at home. e.g. I have got 8 biscuits. If I eat half of them, how many are left?

## Year 2 News

**Cake Sale**—The Children's cake sale will be **Friday 3rd February** during the school day. Please look in the newsletter for more details.

**Bedtime Stories**—will be **Tuesday 7th February 5:15pm—6pm.**

**Bibles**—The children will be presented with their own Bibles next week on **Thursday.** We'll keep them at school.

Planning the menu for an Antarctic expedition. What would be good to take, and why?



## English/Topic

This week we visited Antarctica on an ice-breaker ship! The children went on to write wonderful descriptions of the Antarctic landscape imagining what we might/see/hear/feel and smell. We learnt all about the equipment needed to survive Antarctica. We looked at transport/food/shelter and clothing.

