

## OVERVIEW

The following activity sheets meet the achievement standard for **Year 2** in the following areas:

- **English** - many of the activity sheets support:
  - a) a knowledge of sentence structure, and a number of high frequency sight words.
  - b) the ability to listen for and manipulate sound combinations and rhyme sound patterns.
  - c) the ability to spell familiar words and attempt unfamiliar words.

**Specific examples include:** Phonics, missing words, rhyming words, jumbled letters (spelling), matching beginnings to endings.

- **Mathematics** - many of the activity sheets support students in:
  - a) recognizing and using number sequences.
  - b) solving simple addition and subtraction problems using a range of mental and written strategies.
  - c) recognizing multiplication as repeated addition and groups.
  - d) counting collections of coins and notes to make up a particular value.

**Specific examples include:** Counting, addition, subtraction, grouping, graph comprehension, matching activities.

- **Science** - many of the activity sheets support:
  - a) the idea that living things grow, change and have offspring similar to themselves.
  - b) participation in different types of investigations to explore and answer questions.
  - c) a range of methods of sorting information, including drawings and the completion of tables.

**Specific examples include:** Animal theme days (see format for having an "Animal Theme Day").

**"Henny Penny" - Year 2** has been specifically written to assist young children with learning and understanding the basic concepts that are required as formal education commences.