



Year 2 News



Autumn 1

A message from your teacher

We are all really looking forward to a wonderful first term in Year Two!

We have lots of exciting things to learn about this half term.

I am really looking forward to an exciting year with you all.

Staff

Miss Tromans

Mrs Townsend

Homework

Children will have a small piece of homework each week linked with our class learning. This will be given out on a Friday and is to be returned the following Wednesday.

Spellings will be a revision of the phonics sounds that the children are learning and will be given out on a Friday for a test the following Friday. Reading should also be done at home most nights.

Reminders

Please bring your water bottle, planner and reading book every day and remember we are a nut free school.

PE

In Year Two our PE lessons will be on Monday pm and Wednesday pm. Please remember to take out earrings and remember to bring PE kits.

As the weather gets colder please make sure an outdoor PE kit is in school too.

Birthdays

Samuel

Harley

Paul

Findlay

Oliver

Dillon

Leah

Dates to remember

26th September—Photos

3rd-4th October—Parents' Evening

5th October—Harvest

16th October—INSET

27th October—Break Up

English

This term we will be using the text 'The Owl and the Pussy Cat' as a focus for our work in English.

We will be focussing on using the correct punctuation, different sentence openers and adjectives, nouns and verbs.

Maths

This term we will focus on reading and writing numbers to 100, recognising place value of each digit in two digit numbers, comparing and ordering numbers to 100 and recalling and using addition and subtraction facts to 10. We will also be adding and subtracting one and two digit numbers.

Science

In Science we will be learning about living things and their habitats. We will be discussing which animals would be best suited to a particular habitat. We will also explore simple food chains within different habitats.

RE

In our RE lessons this half term we will be focussing on the religion Islam. Children will be learning about the important beliefs in Islam.

PE

In PE, we will be focusing on Athletics and Racket skills. We will be practising our running, jumping and throwing skills. We will be focusing on using control and accuracy.

History

Our History topic this half term focuses on the big question 'how have we learnt more about our world?'

We will be learning about the explorers Neil Armstrong, Christopher Columbus, Captain Scott and David Livingstone.

Geography

Our Geography topic this half term focuses on skills and fieldwork in our surrounding environment. We will be looking at maps, using geographical vocabulary and describing the human and physical features.

Music

In our Music lessons this half term we will be finding out all about South African music. We will be listening to and appraising a range of songs and then combining our own sounds to make our own style of music.

ART

In Art we will be focussing on colour mixing, shading, tinting and creating art work based on animals. We will be looking at a range of artists work and comparing based on the skills we have learnt.

Computing

In computing this half term, we will be learning how to stay safe online. We will also be focussing on how to search effectively.