

Year 2 Newsletter



Happy New Year from the
Year 2 team!

Term 2
Spring Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope that you had lovely holiday and a great start to the New Year. This newsletter contains information about your child's learning over the Spring term. If you have any questions, we are always here to help.

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Curriculum areas:

Topics — Town and Country and Seaside Holidays

History/Geography — Town and Country and Seaside Holidays

Art — Painting, drawing and collage.

DT — Textiles—creating a puppet.

Science — Living things and their habitats, Everyday Materials.

ICT- iSearch, iAnimate, iPublish

RE — Beginning to learn about Islamic culture.

PE - Dance and gymnastics.

Music — Visiting specialist teaching children how to play the recorder.

PE Kit

PE is every **Wednesday**. Please ensure that your child has a school uniform PE kit on to come to school in. Please see the uniform policy on the website if you are unsure. No earrings are allowed for PE.

WATER BOTTLES

Please make sure your child is bringing a **FULL water** bottle to school everyday, and that it is named. We prefer bottles with sports caps to reduce spillages.

Book Bags

Please send book bags, with books in, to school every day. Different groups of children will change their books on different days, depending on their reading group.



Maths

- Multiplication
- Division
- Addition and subtraction
- Fractions
- 2D Shapes
- 3D Shapes
- Position and direction
- Money
- Picture graphs

English

To use capital letters and full stops consistently, and other punctuation such as question marks.

To retell and write stories with a beginning, middle and end.

To use the conjunctions: and, but, so and because, to vary sentences.

To practice reading familiar texts to build fluency.

To develop comprehension skills by answering retrieval questions— finding the answer in the text.

PTO for important dates and additional information.

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Important dates:


- NSPCC Number Day: 7/2/25
- Parents' Evening: 12/2/25 & 13/12/25
- Half Term: Week commencing 17/2/25
- World Book Day: 6/3/25
- Maths Inspire Workshop: 10/3/25
- Year 2 Open Morning: 7/4/25
- Break up for Easter: 11/4/25



Topic Homework – Please send in your topic homework projects (creative work, 3D models, art work) as shown on the knowledge organiser. We would love to see them and display them!

<u>Homework</u>				
	Reading	Mathletics Online (Year 2)	Spelling Shed Online	Topic homework
Monday	Reading should take place at home daily.	Can be used throughout the week, but a minimum of once a week.	Can be used throughout the week, but a minimum of once a week.	Work from the knowledge organisers may be completed at any time.
Tuesday				
Wednesday				
Thursday				
Friday				

Please note that this is the minimum amount of homework given out each week. There may be occasions when your child receives additional homework to this.


 The **MORE** that you **READ**, the more things you will **KNOW**.
 The **MORE** that you **LEARN**, the more places you'll **GO**.

"Reading is a Passport to Countless Adventures"
 -Margaret Pope Osborne



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