

Newsletter

Term 1



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Welcome to Year 2

Welcome back to the new school year, we hope you had a lovely summer. It was good to be back for a whole academic year with lots of events and experiences organised for the children. This year we have even more planned with trips out being arranged and we will update you regularly about these.

Curriculum

PE

Poppies – Monday

Bluebells – Monday

Children should come in wearing their PE uniform which should consist of house colour T-shirt and black/navy shorts or trousers. Black Trainers or plimsolls.

In our lessons, we will be concentrating on our ball skills.

English



Our book this term is “The Tear Thief” by Carol Ann Duffy and “If I Were in Charge of the World”. We will be focusing on further developing our handwriting technique, comprehension skills as well as building on our knowledge of sentence structure to form engaging sentences.

Maths

To start, we are looking at number, place value, addition and subtraction. We will be using Sumdog throughout the year and would appreciate any support practicing times tables of 2’s, 5’s and 10’s at home.

History

This term we will be looking at our personal history and where we are going. Building the skills needed to place this on a timeline and talk about why it is important to us.

Science

We will be looking at animals including humans, their life cycle, development, milestones and how to live a healthy life.

Reading

Reading will be one of our core focuses this year, children will be receiving Read, Write, Inc phonics lessons every day. To support this, children should read with an adult every night and will be able to select a book from school to take home and record their progress. Reading record books will be collected in daily.

Attendance

Attendance is important to your child’s progress. All classes in KS1 will be competing to see who has the highest attendance. The weekly winners will be allowed to wear their own clothes that Friday.