

Welcome to 2D!

September 2026



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In September, I will be in Year 5 & 6 and my class will be called 2D. My teacher will be Mr Randall.

Mrs Murray, Miss Fletcher and Miss Barker will be the teaching assistants in Y5 & 6. This is the classroom where I will learn.



- We arrive at school at 8.50am. We finish at 3.30pm.
- We have P.E. on Monday and Thursdays.

2D is a mixed year group of Year 5 & 6. Mathematics is taught within year groups and follows the NCETM scheme to ensure consistency and a mastery approach across the school. In Year 5, pupils engage in the DART programme, a PSHE-focused initiative designed to build resilience, while in Year 6 children get ready for SATs, transition work for secondary schools and children focus on their end-of-year production and leavers' events. Communication with families is supported through ClassDojo, which is used to share reminders of key events such as SATs boosters and trips, as well as to celebrate learning through photos, videos and regular updates.

Some of the topics we will be learning about are:

- The Vikings
- Ancient Greece
- Planet Earth and Beyond.



A message from my teachers about our Autumn learning:

In the Autumn term, pupils will study the Vikings through a history-focused topic exploring the struggle between the Vikings and Anglo-Saxons for the Kingdom of England up to the time of Edward the Confessor. To engage and inspire learning, pupils will take part in a specialist visit from a 'real-life Viking'. They will learn where the Vikings originated from and locate this on a map, understand that Vikings and Anglo-Saxons were often in conflict, and explore the reasons why Vikings were frequently successful in battle. In English, key texts will include *Beowulf*, *Shewolf* and *Viking Boy*, with a focus on developing a range of narrative writing skills. In Science, pupils will study Living Things and Their Habitats. They will learn about life cycles, reproduction in plants and animals, how living things are classified, and the reasons for grouping organisms based on their similarities and differences. In Computing, pupils will explore computing systems and networks. In Art, pupils will study Tompsett's London cityscape, using stimuli as a starting point for 3D work. In Religious Education, pupils will explore Christianity and links to Hinduism. In PE, the children will be focusing on developing skills in competitive games.

*We would greatly appreciate your support with weekly spelling, reading and times tables - children should read at home at least **three** times a week and in KS2 this should be their banded book. Your child will get a Class Dojo point for reading at home. For example, if your child reads 3 times at home they will receive 3 Class Dojo points. Class Dojo points will then be used for prizes following our reading reward policy.*

We look forward to working with you and your child next year and wish you all a restful summer holiday!

The UKS2 Team.