Welcome to 2E!

September 2025



Class 2E Mr Phillips

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In September I will be in 2E, which is a mixed class of year 5 and year 6. These is my teacher:



Mr Phillips (full-time)

Year 5 and year 6 will be supported by the following teaching assistants:









Mrs Bullen (full-time)
Miss Fletcher (full-time)
Miss Barker (Monday, Tuesday and Thursday)
Mrs Murray (Wednesday, Thursday and Friday)

This is the classroom where I will learn. The outside door is next to the green gate opposite the bin area.



We arrive at school at 8.50am. We finish at 3.30pm.

We have P.E. on Thursdays and Fridays. On Thursdays, we would like you to come to school in PE kit.

Some parts of Y5 are different to the rest of the school such as harvest assembly and D.A.a.R.T.,

Some parts of Y6 are different to the rest of the school such as the SATs, production and transition work with secondary schools.

We set homework and send out messages via MS Teams. You can download this APP on a device at home so that you don't miss important information. You can contact your teachers on Teams by using the @ symbol followed by their name e.g., @Joseph Phillips. Remember that the posts on our class team are to be used for questions about school only and are not a chatroom. You can also email the teachers if you need to contact them.

Teacher - Mr Phillips- jphillips@arnoldmill.notts.sch.uk

Children are allowed to walk home from school at the end of the day but parents must sign for permission in the back of children's diaries. In accordance with our new mobile phone policy, children will not be allowed to bring phones to school.

A message from my teachers about our Autumn learning:

Some of the topics I will be learning about are:

- World War 2
- Location, Location, Location
- Crime and Punishment
- Mexico and the Mayans

Our focus for the first part of the autumn term will be based on our history work on 'World War 2' (and its significance as a turning point in British history). Linked to this, in R.E, the children will study the Holocaust and Judaism and we will visit the Holocaust Centre in Ollerton. In geography, we will look at the countries involved in WW2 and their locations on a map. In English, the children will study the text 'Rose Blanche'. As well as this area of learning, in science, the children will study light and sound and, after half term, electricity linked to the Blitz. Our maths study will focus on place value and the four operations.

In PE, the children will be focusing on developing skills in competitive games. In computing, we will be learning about what the internet actually is and how information can be shared.

After half term, we will be doing some video editing.

A note from us to you...

We would greatly appreciate your support with weekly homework which is spellings, times tables and reading. Your child is expected to read their banded book three times per week and get this signed off by an adult at home in their diary. Your child will get a square marked off on their

'reading pin' challenge. This is checked on a Friday. We also test times tables once a week and a reward is given for improving their score or passing a challenge level. We no longer test spellings weekly. Spellings are now taught and practiced in class three times per week!

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

Mr Phillips and the team