BADSLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Growing Together; Aiming High ♡

Autumn 2

Year 2 Newsletter



Welcome to Autumn 2!

We hope you have had a lovely half term!

We are excited to continue our learning and have lots of fun in Autumn 2.

Our PE Days

This half term, our PE days are:

2SW	2T	2P
Tuesdays & Thursdays	Mondays & Fridays	Wednesdays & Fridays

Please make sure your child comes to school in the correct PE kit on these days.

Please ensure earrings are removed or covered on PE days for safety.

Science – Protecting Our Environment

In Science, we will be learning about pollution, the impact we have on our Earth and how we can work together to protect the planet.

Small changes make a BIG difference!

RE – The Christmas Story

In RE, we will be delving into the Christmas story and why Christians celebrate Christmas.

Reading – Why is it so important?

Reading helps your child to:

- Build their **vocabulary** and learn new words.
- **Develop** their **imagination** and creativity.
- Improve their **concentration** and focus.
- Gain **knowledge** about the world.
- Build **confidence** in their learning.



Did you know?

If your child is in a Read, Write, Inc. group they have access to all of their books that they read in school and can complete fun quizzes linked to the stories? Ask your child's class teacher for their login details if you don't already have them.

Geography – Planet Earth

This half term, we will be continuing our Planet Earth topic. We will be learning about the continents of Africa, Asia and Antarctica and why some places are hot and cold.

DT – Moving Mechanisms

We will be making our own moving mechanism and designing, making and evaluating our sliding Christmas card.



Music

In Music, we will be demonstrating an understanding of dynamics and tempo following visual instructions.

Water Bottles

Please remember to bring your water bottle every day.

Our Doors Open

Doors open at **8.40am and home time is 3.10pm.**

Attendance & Punctuality

Every minute counts!

Good attendance helps your child to:

- Make the best progress.
- Build strong friendships.
- Feel confident and settled.
- Avoid missing important learning.

Please ensure your child arrives on time for school.

NUMBOTS

Ask your child's teacher for their login details to this fun maths website that focuses on addition and subtraction skills.

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Keep an eye on the School Dojo story for important dates in Autumn 2.