



A message from the Year 2 team

We hope you had a lovely restful break over the half term and that the children are ready for a fun term of learning. We have lots coming up this half term, so please come and speak to us if you have any queries.

Writing

Throughout the half term, we will study a range of texts, and will have a huge focus on our 'Brilliant Basics'. We will secure our understanding of what makes a sentence and will learn to extend these through a range of conjunctions. We will continue to create powerful character descriptions, letters, stories and recounts.

Reading

Children who enjoy reading regularly thrive in their learning and therefore children are asked to read with an adult for 5- 10 minutes every day to rehearse this skill and develop a love of reading. This could be school books, library books as well as own reading books.

Reading books will be changed once a week to allow children to develop fluency and a good understanding of the vocabulary within the book. They will read this book three times in school before it is sent home.

Maths

In maths this half term, we will continue to build on our knowledge of addition and subtraction and will deepen our understanding by learning how to solve word problems. We will then move on to multiplication and division. Alongside these units, we will continue to embed our understanding of the number system within 100.

Art

In art we will continue to learn about the 7 elements and focus on tone and line, whilst completing our beach hut charcoal pieces. We would love to showcase the art children have produced so please keep an eye on WNTKW for an upcoming date.

PSHE

In PSHE we will learn all about how to stay healthy including understanding diet, the role of medicine and how physical activity can impact our health.

Investigations

In our investigation lessons, we will explore our understanding of money by learning the coins and notes and how to pay for something and receive change. We will also begin to learn telling the time to the nearest 15 minutes.

Dates

Parents evening- week beginning 2/3/26

5th March- World Book Day

6th March- Inset Day

26th March- Class photos

PE

We will have 2 PE lessons every week so please ensure that your child comes into school in their PE kit.

PE days this half term will be Monday and Wednesday and we will be working on target games as well as net & wall skills.

RE

In RE we will study Christianity and resurrection in the lead up to Easter. We will have our Easter experience at the church which will deepen our understanding.