



Year 2 Newsletter

Autumn 1

Welcome

Hello and welcome to Year 2. I am Miss Patel, Miss Moore will be our wonderful teaching assistant this year. Mrs Oldham will also spend some time in our class on a Wednesday morning. This year we are lucky to have a specialist sports coach and specialist music teacher from Tameside Music Service on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Dates

4/9/22 — First day back
20/10/22 — Last day of term
23/10/23 – 30/10/23 — Half Term Holiday
30/10/23 — Staff Inset Day (school closed)

PE

PE is on a **Wednesday** and **Thursday**.
Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our Kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Please remember no earrings on PE days.



Curriculum

Our author of the half term is Alex T Smith.
In History will be learning about 'The Great Fire of London'.
In Science we will be learning about materials and their properties.
In RE we will be learning about the Jewish faith.
In Art we are focusing on drawing and using our sketchbooks.
In PSHE we will learn about relationships.
In Music we will play hand held percussion.
In Computing we will be learning about E-Safety.

Homework

Reading

Reading is the most important thing you can do at home to help your child succeed. Little and often is best– aim for 10 minutes daily. Your child will bring their book home with a bookmark inside with their name on. Please use this bookmark and return it to school with their reading book so we know it's their book. We will use them all year. When your child returns their book to school they will choose their next book. Please log your child's reading on go read so we can add dojos.

Maths

Children will have a weekly Sumdog challenge. Dojo points will be added for those children who complete the challenges.

Spellings

The children need to learn their half termly spelling words. We regularly use them in our lessons.



Communication

Please make sure that you are signed up to Class Dojo for class and whole school messages!



You can see what we are up to on our Twitter page [@Y2Bradleygreen](#)

If you have an questions please don't hesitate to contact me through Class Dojo or come and see me on the playground after school.