

# Year 2 Newsletter Autumn 1



# **Welcome**

Hello and welcome to Year 2! We hope that you have had a fantastic summer holiday! I am Miss Begum and I am thrilled to be the class teacher in Year 2. Mrs Walton 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.

### Dates

Tuesday 2nd Sept-First day back

Wedn 3rd Sept - Welcome to Y2 (3:15-4:30)

Frid 20th Sept-final day to order Cauliflower Cards

Mon 23rd Sept- Harvest Collection Week

Fri 27th Sept- Macmillan coffee and cake event 2:45pm

Mon 14th Oct- Individual school photos

Mon 21st Oct- Parents evening 3.20 onwards

# <u> PE</u>

PE is on a **Monday** and **Wednesday**. 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 Geography will be learning about the impact of global warming.

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 and information technology.

## 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. We will change the books when needed. Please log your child's reading on go read so we can add dojos.

#### Maths

Children will receive Maths homework each week on a Monday. This needs to be returned the following Monday. We will be adding dojos for those who answer most correctly.

#### Spellings

Children will receive spellings every each week on a Monday. This needs to be returned the following Monday. We will be adding dojos for those who bring their worksheets in and to those who answer most correct on the spelling test.

### <u>Communication</u>

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.

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