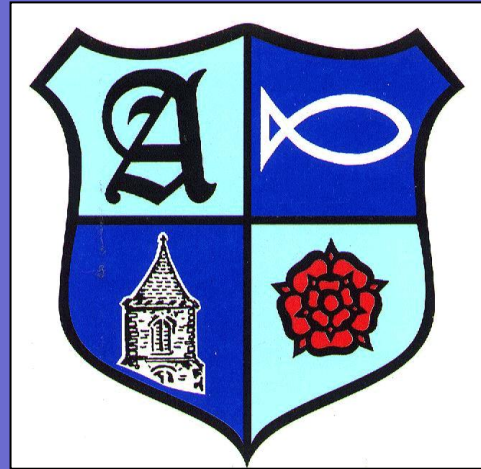


Welcome to Year 2



Information

- The Year 2 team
- Curriculum themes
- Reading
- Handwriting
- Mathematics
- Homework
- General information



Year 2 Team

- Mrs Hewitson – Class 5
- Miss Bailie – Class 6
- Miss Williams - Year 2



Autumn Term

Healthy Bodies

Healthy Minds



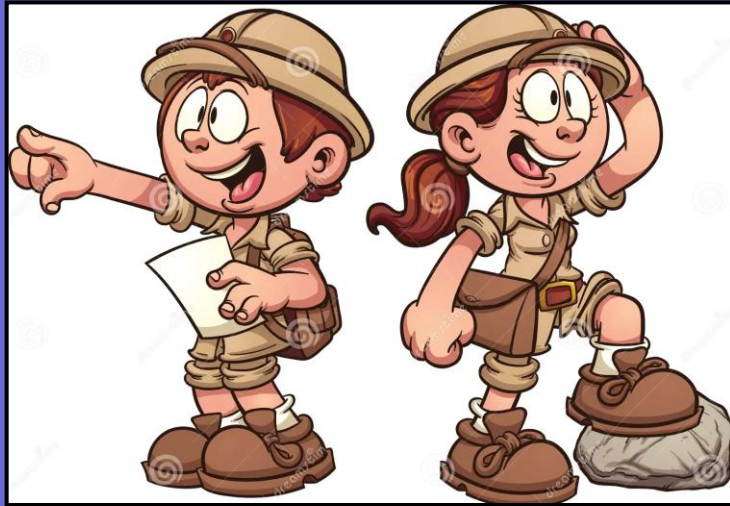
Our World





Spring Term

We are Explorers



Animal Kingdom





Summer Term

We are Scientists



We are Creative



Home Reading

- A **love of reading** is of vital importance – a little each day
- Share and model reading
- Books sent home should build confidence
- Focus on language and comprehension skills
- Two books will be sent home every Wednesday
- Please return each week
- Reading record books
- 'Reading Challenge' – 20 books per term



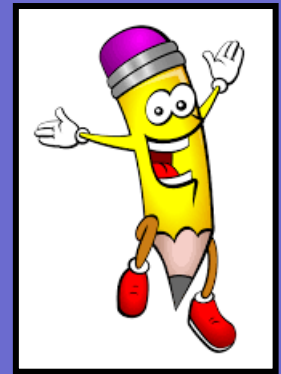
School Reading



- Guided reading sessions - the teaching of reading
- Books are a level higher than home reading books
- Focus objectives – comprehension and language
- Independent tasks: pre-read and reading response
- Individual reading with a teacher
- Independent reading – books from home welcome
- Book Swap basket

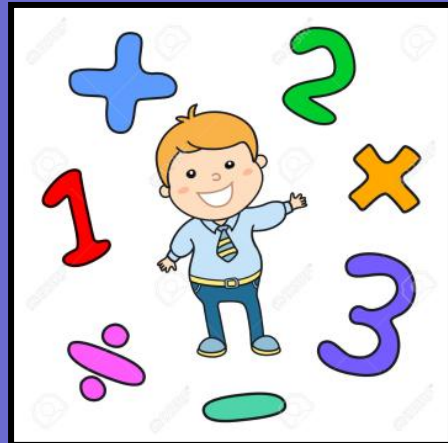
Handwriting

- Training children to take pride in their presentation
- Daily handwriting sessions
- Moving towards cursive/joined handwriting
- Encourage use of correct pencil grip at home



Maths

- A challenging curriculum through White Rose Maths
- Confidence with numbers to at least 100
- Written and mental strategies for $+$ $-$ \div \times calculations
- Children encouraged to apply their knowledge in *problem solving* and *reasoning*.
- Practical and written activities
- 4 a day and Afternoon Maths
- Times tables (2, 5, 10)





- Reading Books - each Wednesday
- Maths on Ed Shed - each Friday, completed by Wednesday
- Spellings to learn – each Friday
- Spelling results home – each Friday, return book Wednesday
- TT Rock Stars – more information soon!



General Information

- Names on children's clothes, book bags, water bottles
- Colouring books for wet play welcome – named please
- PE is on Wednesday and Thursday for both classes
- Children can come to school in PE kits, no jewellery please
- Milk available
- Fruit and vegetables available
- Healthy snacks only please and no juice

Communication



- We will email updates and information
- Curriculum newsletter – each half term
- School website for curriculum information:

www.st-anne-src.lancs.sch.uk

- Weekly newsletter
- X – celebration of awards etc

Our number one aim is to ensure all children are happy as we help them to learn and grow.

We really do care so please feel free to contact us via office email, or face to face if we can help in any way.



With thanks

Mrs Hewitson, Miss Bailie and Miss Williams

Year 2 Team