

Year 2 Parent Information



September 2018

Welcome back to another busy school year. Your children have made a great start to Year 2 and are beginning to become familiar with the routines. The following information should help you support them over the coming year and answer any questions you may have.

Children should aim to read their home reading book every day so they can change their own book independently the following day. Please ensure that you sign your child's reading diary each day.

Please don't hesitate to write down any questions or requests in the reading record, as it will be checked by a teacher on a daily basis.

Your child will receive an item of maths or literacy homework on a Friday. This is to be returned by Monday.

Spellings will also be given out every Monday and be tested on the following Monday. The children will have a Mental Maths test each Monday. Please help them learn their number bonds to 10 and 20 and the 2,3,5 and 10 times tables.

There will be occasional RE/Science/ History/Geography/Art homework set to support the topic we are working on.

For your information, the school website has an outline of all of the topics we will be learning about during each term.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Many thanks

**Miss. Trodden, Mrs. Felton, Miss. Byrne,
Mrs. Duffy, Mrs. Goodban and Mrs.
Leedham.**

(The Year 2 Team)

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REMINDERS

P.E is on Friday afternoons, so each child needs a full kit in school for this. During the winter months, please can you make sure they have dark jogging bottoms as we may still do PE outside. The kits will be sent home at the end of each half term for washing.

The children will to bring a piece of empty, clean safe recycling each week for their Art lesson.

Please can you make sure that your child's name is clearly labelled on all their uniform. Also a named drinks bottle is required daily.

Reading folders, reading books and reading diaries are expected every day in school.

If you would like to speak to a member of the year 2 staff we are always available to speak to you after the school day. You can also ring school and make an appointment to see us or pop into the office and pass on a message.

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At home time the children will stand outside the white door on the step. Please wait until all the children from that class are out and standing in the correct place before calling your child over. Please make sure that you have made eye contact with a member of our staff and your child has told us they have seen you. Please be patient with us as we get to know family members coming to collect the children.