Year 2 Autumn Newsletter

Welcome back to a new school year and welcome to Year 2. I hope you all had a lovely and restful summer. In this newsletter is an outline of the topics that we will be covering this term. If you have any questions please come and ask.

Important days: Trampolining and Library (Tuesdays), PE (Wednesdays).

Class Assembly: Thursday 15th October 2026

Many Thanks: Miss Marshall and Mrs Peiris

English

This term we will be looking at the following units: Narrative, Instructions, Poetry and Letters and Postcards. We will be learning how to write to entertain and inform.

Maths

This term will be a recap of the work they did in Year 1. We will also begin to look at place value and adding and subtracting of 2 digit and 1 digit numbers.

Science

Our first science topic will be Living things and their habitats. This will be followed by the topic Materials.

Art and DT

In art this term we will be looking at Portraits and drawing some of our own. In DT we will be looking at and creating puppets.

History/Geography

The first half term our focus will be Geography will be on the Polar Regions and where they are. In History after half term we will be learning about the Polar explorers who visited Antarctica and Arctic

PE

This term children will be doing multi-sports and Trampolining. Please ensure hair is tied back and jewellery taped or removed.

RSHE

This terms topics will be Being me in my world and Celebrating Differences.

Computing

In Computing we will be learning how to create pictures and programming robots.

RE

During our RE lessons we will be finding out about Signs and Symbols of different religions followed by learning about Christmas.

Reading

Please remember to read **at least 3 times** a week! If you read 3 times a week every week each month, your name will appear in the school newsletter. Reading books and Library books will be changed on a Tuesday.

Homework

Consists of Reading and Spellings. Please see each section for more information. Spellings will go out on a Friday and be tested the following Friday.

Spellings

Spellings are linked to our Phonics/spelling lessons throughout the week. Children should be able to apply their spellings in all their work. Spellings will be repeated if the majority of the class are misusing the spelling pattern.