Homework

Your child will receive a piece of maths or English homework on a Friday, via Dojo, that we expect to be completed by the following Friday. Please upload a picture or video of their homework onto Dojo. If you have any issues with Dojo or the homework, please let us know. You can alternatively, request a printed copy of the homework and return this version to school.

Dojo

We will be sending out most communication via ClassDojo. If you are having difficulties accessing Dojo please contact the school office or speak to a member of staff who will be happy to assist.

Reading

Please ask your child to bring their reading book to school **every day** so that they can practise and we can read with them at different times during the. Week. Reading books will be changed at least once a week and new books given out each Monday during our library lesson,

PE

Our PE day will be on a <u>Wednesday</u> with myself until half term. This half term we will be learning dance and choreographing our own dance routines. Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their full PE kit, hair tied back and earrings removed or taped up.

Water bottles

Please make sure that your child has a named, water bottle - filled with clean water - in school, every day.

RWI Spelling

In year 2 and 3, children will be taught a 'Read, Write Inc' spelling programme to help them learn spelling rules and patterns. Each week we will focus on a new spelling rule and complete activities to help children practise and apply this rule to spell words correctly.

Some children will continue their daily phonics sessions as they are not quite ready for spelling rules and patterns so they

We are always happy to see you to discuss your child after school. If you want a more private conversation, please send a Dojo message for us to respond to. We will try to do this within school hours or as soon as we can.

Class Information Class 2



Autumn 2 2024

We hope you find the following information helpful in supporting your child this term.

You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for some subject areas along with a more detailed 'knowledge organiser' for other subjects. This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in Class 2 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Jones

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English

The 'Talk for Reading' and 'Talk for Writing' strategies will continue to be studied during this half term.

This half term we will continue from where we left off before the half term looking at writing a recount. We will become familiar with the structure of a recount, the language to use within one and plan and write our own. This will be assisted by reading the text 'Traction Man' The second half of the half term will be dedicated to learning the style of an explanation text.

Grammar/ punctuation sessions will happen daily during our English lessons. We will recap skills preciously taught such as exclamation marks, inverted commas and learn new skills such as adverbs, using commas after fronted adverbials, noun phrases and using time connectives as signposts,.

In addition to spelling/ phonics and English we will have daily handwriting sessions to help children develop a confidence in writing using a cursive joined style.

Maths

During the second half of the term will look at strategies to solve addition and subtraction, including not exchanging and exchanging across 10s and 100s.

We will continue our learning by studying shape which includes times tables, strategies will be learnt to solve calculations quickly and efficiently.

Times tables will be taught regularly using 'Tackling Tables' By the end of Year 2 children should know their multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 times table. By the end of Year 3 children should know their multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 times table.

At the beginning of each daily maths lesson we will have an arithmetic session to help them build the four key skills of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. On Fridays the children will have a chance to apply these skills independently in their arithmetic tests. Misconceptions from the arithmetic tests will be focused upon and discussed to plug these gaps.