

Welcome back! We hope you have had a lovely Easter holiday and enjoyed the sunshine. We have an action packed term ahead. Please keep your eyes peeled for dates for your children.



What we will be learning about:

Maths: Year 4: Decimals, money, time and shape. Year 5/6: Area, perimeter and volume as well as consolidation of knowledge of decimals and fractions. We will then look at ratio, algebra and shape.

English: We will complete our work on 'The Varmints.' Our next book is 'The Last Bear' which will give us writing opportunities in narrative and newspaper reports.

Science: Year 4: States of Matter and Electricity. Year 5/6: Evolution and Inheritance.

RE: Class 2 will be looking at significant experiences which mark journeys in life and thinking about how different religions deal with difficult experiences in life.

History: Ancient Maya.

Geography: After half term, we will be learning about Climate Change.

Spanish: The weather.

ICT: We will be learning how to take photos and edit them using editing software whilst learning about the ethical side to editing photos for use in the media.

Art: Mayan art and mask design.

DT: During our DT week, Year 4 will be looking at healthy and varied food and diet. Year 5/6 will be investigating structures.

PE: Kwik Cricket, tennis, rounders and athletics. We will also have a professional cricket coach in for five weeks.

PSHE: Physical health and wellbeing.

Music: Preparation for the summer performance!

Important days to note:

Monday - PE

Tuesday -

Wednesday -

Thursday - Cricket for five weeks from 5th June.

Friday - Spelling test. PE up until May half term.

(Children come to school in PE kits on PE/cricket days)



The Class 2 Team — who and when:

Mrs McHardy teaches Class 2 on a Monday morning, Wednesday afternoon (Y5/6), and all day on a Friday.

Mrs Bentley will teach Class 2 on a Tuesday morning, Wednesday morning, Wednesday afternoon (Y4) and a Thursday all day.

Class 2 will have ICT with Miss

Thistlethwaite and PE with Kanga on a Monday afternoon, then Music with Mr Shaw and Spanish with Miss Allan on a Tuesday afternoon.

We are lucky to have Mrs Craddock in Class 2 four mornings per week.

Reading -

Please always ensure you have a waterproof coat and a water bottle in school every day. Sun hats and sun cream (applied at home) when necessary. Don't forget to bring your reading book and reading record.

What to bring:

Finally...If you have any questions, please get in touch via Mrs Wright in the school office. Thanks.

Homework:

Reading - Daily

Spellings - Spellings will be given out on a Friday to be tested the following Friday.

Maths—Y 5/6 Maths homework will be given out on a Tuesday and handed in the following Tuesday. Y4s will be focusing on times tables practice. And arithmetic.

Topic - Themed homework will be given out when appropriate.