

Year 2 Summer 1

Dates for the year. Please add these to your diary. If they change throughout the year we will inform you via the newsletters.

12th April - Inset day

13th April - Children back to school

3rd May - Bank Holiday - school closed

10th May - KS2 SATS week!

4th May - Pajamarama day - Children wear their pjs

28th May - Last day of term

7th June - Inset day

8th June - Children back to school

This term our topic will be explorers. This is a really exciting topic and we will be learning all about Captain James Cook and his voyages and discoveries. We will also be learning about Tim Peake and why he is a significant individual in today's society. We will be looking at different historical sources and learning about cartography.

RE - We will be looking at Sikhism and finding out about some important stories that are told in this religion.

PSHE

We will be focusing on Togetherness Rabbit and we will be continuing with the Zones of Regulations.

Year TWO routine

Monday - BOTH CLASSES

PE day—please come into school wearing your PE kit.

Wednesday—BOTH CLASSES

Reading diaries handed in and books changed

Friday

Juniper SUMMER 1

Hazel SUMMER 2

Swimming— please send in a swimming kit in a named bag. Your child will need a swimming costume/trunks, a towel and a swim hat—all named.

Maths

We will be continuing our catch up with focus on place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and fractions in order to support children to become secure in these areas. We will take part in regular maths investigations to get our brains really working hard!

Science

Our topic will be 'Apprentice Gardener.' We will be learning all about seeds and plants. We will also be completing some interesting science experiments in order to develop our prediction and conclusion skills.

Computing

We will be looking at programming in computing with focus on robot algorithms. During our online safety lessons, we will be learning about health, wellbeing and lifestyle.

WELCOME BACK! WE HOPE YOU HAD A LOVELY BREAK!



Geography and History

We will be learning about significant individuals and begin to learn about the continents and oceans of the world. We will also be looking at the countries of the UK and mapping our local area.

Art and Music

In music, we will be learning and performing the friendship song. We will focus on listening and appraising new music, finding out about different genres of music and enjoy performing a new song.

In art, we will be looking at Colour Chaos with a focus on Mondrian. We will use the skills we developed when we studied Lowry to create interesting pieces of art.

English, spelling and phonics

We will be continuing to focus on capital letters and full stops in our writing and using our phonics to spell words. We will focus on creating interesting and well written sentences in order to prepare the children for year 3. We will continue to learn the year 2 spelling rules and put these into practise in our spelling tests. We will continue to use a range of punctuation, contracted word forms, adjectives and adverbs. We will have a huge push on handwriting this term and there will be prizes for the best improved handwriting.

