

# Year Group Newsletter 10th September 2021

YEAR TWO YEAR GROUP NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the first newsletter of the year! What a great start to the term we've had! The children have done fantastically well at settling into Year Two, coming in each morning with lovely smiles and great attitudes!

## This week/next week we are learning about.....

**Maths**: In Maths, we will be focusing on counting forwards and backwards (within 50), recognising the tens and ones in a number and comparing numbers.

**English:** The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch will be the story we will be using throughout our English learning this half term. Next week, we will be learning a WAGOLL to help us remember a shortened version of the story and composing and writing some sentences.

**Reading:** This half term, we will be focusing on George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl. We will be introducing the book to the children and completing some activities linked to our reading.

**Science:** Our topic is 'Materials' and next week, we will be exploring the materials everyday objects are made from.

**Geography:** As part of our topic 'Transport Me To The Seaside', we will begin by exploring the physical and human features found at the seaside.

**RE:** Our enquiry for this half term is 'Can Christians be Kind to Everyone All of the Time?'

Star of the week: 2A - Jake 2RB - James

2CA - Isla

### Homework

We won't be setting homework this week. Instead, please enjoy the book your child has brought home (plus any other books you might have at home/from the library). More information will follow at the Parent's Information Evening about expectations around homework.

## **Important Dates For Your Diary**

#### Parent Information Meeting

We hope you can join us next Wednesday (15th) at 5.30pm so we can share with you more information about Year Two. This will include some of the teaching and learning we'll be doing, practicalities about Year Two and behaviour expectations to name but a few. (You will have seen on the main school newsletter that this short meeting is for adults only so children do not need to attend)

<u>PE</u>

On PE days, children should come to school in their PE kits (please refer to the uniform policy for clarification of what children should wear). PE days are as follows:

2CA - Monday and Thursday

2A - Monday and Friday

2RB - Monday and Thursday

#### Forest Rangers

Year Two will be visiting Forest Rangers once every half term. We will notify you in advance (via the Year Two newsletter) the date we will be visiting the site.

## Reminders/messages

#### Reading Books

Today, your child has chosen a book from our reading area to bring home and share with you. Over the coming weeks, we will be assessing the children's reading skills and they will be allocated an appropriate text.

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