

# Year 2 Newsletter

Spring 2 2025-2026

## English

This half term we will be using a range of stimulus to produce creative writing. We will also be looking at 'The Couch Potato' and 'Meerkat Mail' to inspire writing in different text types.

Our grammar focuses this half term are different types and past/present tense.



## Science

This half term, we will be studying different materials in our world. Our topic is 'materials matter'. Through this topic, we will be looking at how materials have different properties.



## Maths



This half term, we will be focusing on 'Money'. We will learn to recognise British coins and notes, calculate costs of items and understand giving change.

We will also be learning about 'Multiplication and Division'. During this unit, we will learn about grouping and sharing, focusing on the 2/5/10 times tables.

## Beyond Living Memory

This half term, we will be learning about the Royal Family and William Shakespeare. We will think about certain members of the Royal Family and their family tree. We will also look at the life of Shakespeare and some of his most famous pieces of writing.



## P.E



This half term's PE focus 'Dance' and 'Invasion Games'.

# R.E

Through our RE lessons we will be learning about belonging to a group. We will be identifying faith groups that people might belong to and we will think about activities in faith communities.



# P.S.H.E

Our topic this half term is 'Healthy Me':

- Understanding what it means to be healthy.
- How to relax and unwind.
- Healthy and balanced diets.



# Music

This half term we will be continuing to learn percussion instruments.



# Computing

This half term we will be creating media and how it can be used in different ways. There will be many opportunities to take photographs using IT.

- Please remember to read your books at least 3x weekly and record this in your reading record. Reading records are due in on a **Monday**.
- Spelling tests are on a **Friday**.
- PE days are every **Monday**.

# Key Dates

- ★ Tuesday 3rd March—Film Night (after school)
- ★ Thursday 5th March—World Book Day (character dress up)
- ★ Thursday 12th March/Friday 13th March —Mother's Day Sales
- ★ Wednesday 25th March/Thursday 26th March—Parent's Evenings
- ★ Friday 27th March—Easter activities (Year 1/2 egg decoration)