

Curriculum Information

English

Our focus for English this half-term will be sentence construction, descriptive writing, use of conjunctions and punctuation. We will be reading “Zeraffa Giraffa” by Diane Hofmeyr. Our focus will be our handwriting and linking our ideas together.

Maths

Over the next half-term, the children will be learning about numbers and place value using numbers up to 100. We will look at adding and subtracting numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and move on to using mental and written methods. We will also be applying our skills and knowledge in the context of measuring.

Topic (Science)

This half-term, our topic is ‘Live and Let Live’. During this topic, in science we will be finding out:

- What animals and humans need to survive and grow
- How living and non-living things are different
- How humans and animals grow and change
- How to carry out a survey of living things
- How to attract wildlife to our environment
- How to sort living things into groups

R.E.

This half term we will explore the question: How do Christians and Muslims celebrate?

P.S.H.E.

During this half term, Year 2 will think about New Beginnings. They will set themselves targets and goals and think about forming friendships.

P.E.

2LB & 2HW have Indoor PE on **Wednesdays**.

If your children wear small studs for school, please ensure they are removed before school on PE days. PE kit must be in school on these days.

Homework

Homework will be sent out on a Tuesday to be returned by the following Monday.

Continuing reading – It is vital that children in Year 2 continue to read at home regularly. Reading books should be taken home from school and changed on a regular basis.

It is the responsibility of parents/carers to ensure home learning takes place.

Important Dates/Events

11th & 12th September – Parent information sessions

Tuesday 2nd October – Parents coffee morning (9am)

Friday 26th October – School closes for half term.

Monday 5th November – School re-opens for Autumn 2.

What do we need?

- School uniform must be worn; this includes sensible black school shoes.
- Be in line for quarter to nine. Learning starts straight away so don't miss out.
- It is important that you check your child's bag and student planner every night for any home learning or letters that have been sent home.

If you have any queries, with regard to your children's learning or well-being, do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Year 2 team.

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Year 2 support staff

Miss L Burley & Miss H Walton

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Class Information

Year 2

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