



Year 2 Curriculum Newsletter



Summer Term 2 2025

9th June 2024

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to the final term of year 2! The children have packed in so much learning this year already and we look forward to seeing them continue to do so in their final weeks of Key Stage 1.

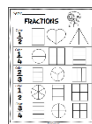
English

This half term, we are focusing our writing skills on the story 'The Journey Home' by Frann Preston-Gannon. The children will be reading and writing about the text and learning to use adverbs in their writing. The written outcome at the end of the unit will be a postcard from the polar bear to his family at home.



Reading

Please ensure that your child has their plastic reading folder with them in class every day. There are opportunities for the children to change their books each day either in class or in their RWI group.



Mathematics

This half term, the children will be revisiting Multiplication, Division, Fractions and Time. They will also be reviewing multiplication and division facts of the 2x, 5x and 10x tables. Please encourage your child to practice the skills they have learnt in class at home.



Science

The children will continue their learning about materials. They will continue their Plant topic including growing and looking after class fruit and vegetables.



PE

Both Year 2 classes have PE on a Wednesday afternoon with their class teachers and continue their lessons on a Friday with Mrs. Boyle.



R.E.

Last half term the children were learning about how Christians put their beliefs into practice in the Church community and their own lives. One way of showing this is by being charitable, which can offer others 'peace' in an area of their life. The Year 2 children decided that they wanted to raise money for some of the homeless people in Jersey through the Grace Trust by holding a book sale and donating what is raised to give some people 'peace' in a small way. The children would like to collect 'good as new' books to sell to the rest of the school. Please ask friends and family for books to support the Year 2 book sale on **Monday 30th June**.



PSHE- Relationships

In JIGSAW, the children will learn about cycles of life in nature. They will learn about the natural process of growing from young to old and given opportunities to understand that this is not in their control. They will also learn to recognise how their body has changed since they were a baby. At the end of the unit we will discuss what they are looking forward to when they move to their next class.



ART

This half of term, the children in Year 2 will be looking at art at different 3D forms including making accurate representations of real-life objects, using a range of methods and materials, and evaluating existing 3D art.

Dates for your Diaries

Monday 30th June- Year 2 Book Sale for the Grace Trust (50p per book)

Thursday 10th July-Parent Drop in for Year 2 2.45-3pm

Friday 11th July- Sports Day Y2-Y6 in the morning at FB Fields

Thursday 17th July- Poetry Performance-Gran Can you Rap 2.45-3pm

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask one of us at drop off or pick up.

Kind regards,

Miss O'Donoghue, Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Brandon