

Dates for your diary

- Earth Day – Thursday 17th June
- Keeping Healthy Week - wb: 28th June
- Parents Evening – Thursday 8th July
- Hispanic Day – Monday 12th July

Olive Class PE day is Friday.

Rowan Class PE day is Monday.

Willow Class PE day is Friday.

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school on their timetabled PE days. It is advised your child keeps their kit in school throughout the week in case of any timetable changes. Children must have a full PE kit (a white t-shirt, green or black shorts and plimsolls).

As the weather becomes warmer please make sure your child's jumper is labelled with their name and they bring a water bottle each day.

Homework

Children in Year 2 should spend a set time each day completing homework to ensure good routine. This should include:

- Complete the weekly literacy and numeracy tasks which will be set on Thursday and should be returned on Monday.
- Reading their home reading book for 15 minutes each evening (please sign the diary to show this has been completed).
- Learn their weekly spellings which will be set on Thursday and tested on Monday.
- Learn their 2, 3, 5, 6 and 10 times tables.
- Access the home learning sites Rockstars and Mathletics

Year Two Summer 2 Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope that you all had a restful half term break and we welcome you back for the final half term of Year 2!

Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet. As always, we look forward to working with you and your child.

Best wishes,

Year 2 Team

Our topic this half term is 'Into Africa'

Literacy

As writers, we will create characters and settings when writing stories, thinking carefully about the order and language we choose. We will also be writing a set of instructions around healthy lifestyles. Our poetry focus will be performing poems to bring them to life for an audience.

Mathematics

As mathematicians, we will be consolidating our number knowledge focusing on place value, money, measure, shape and the four operations (+, -, x and ÷). We will be completing both one-step and two-step problems and focussing on using mathematical language to explain our calculations and reasoning.

Science

As scientists, we will be noticing that animals, including humans, have offspring, which grow into adults. We will be finding out about the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival as well as describing the importance of exercise for humans, eating the right amounts of different food and considering hygiene too.

Recommended Reads

Too Small Tolo by Atinuke
Africa, Amazing Africa: Country by Country by Atinuke
Rosa Parks by Lisbeth Kaiser

Music:

As musicians, we will be singing, performing and listening.



RE:

What does Ramadan and Eid-ul-Fitr mean to Muslims?

PSHCE: Being Healthy

ICT

We will be working on our Coding to give instructions to make things move on a program.

Art and Design Technology

As artists, we will use mixed media to create an African landscape. We will use different materials to create sunsets and silhouettes and experiment with colours and shapes.

History

As historians, we will be finding out about the life of Rosa Parks. We will be asking questions about the past and using the internet as a source to find out about key events to create a timeline of her life. We will also consider the impact of her life on America today.

Physical Education

This half term we will be learning to play Kwik Cricket. We will work as individuals and as part of a team to master the rules and skills needed. We will practise underarm throwing, striking a ball with a bat using control and catching to field.