

# Week beginning

03/05/21

# Year 2 Newsletter



Don't forget its Bank holiday Monday this week and school is also closed on Thursday for the elections, children will receive a pack to complete on Thursday.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE - BOOK BAGS

Please make sure that your child is reading every night and that they bring their book and reading record into school every day. Thank you.

## Star Moments

All the children had an amazing term of learning. The Year 2 team are super proud of each and every child for their hard work and great effort in the previous term.

This week our happy leaves go to:

2B: Israel, you have made me a very proud teacher! You made such a great effort in being confident in yourself when getting into character for our English lessons. You used a loud clear voice and also further impressed me by using some amazing actions! Well done for being so confident in your abilities.

2H: Cavanni displays great support to his class mates. He is always kind, considerate and very helpful towards others. He is a great role model. Well done Cavanni.

2S: Sublime has displayed confidence when narrating a scene in English last week. She was able to work well with her partner and speak in a clear loud voice when recording her part. I am very proud of you Sublime!

2R: Ariana has shown confidence building up a stamina for writing. She has been contributing with fantastic ideas in her English lessons and supporting her friend to describe Lysander. Keep up the hard work Ariana!

Congratulations to the children who got the happy leaves this week!



## Our learning..



This week, we will be starting our new termly topic 'Global Treasures'.

In English we will be exploring Shakespeare's fantastic 'A Midsummer's Night Dream' focusing on the emotions and relationships of the characters.



As mathematicians we will be learning all about time. The children will be reading clocks with times on the hour, half past, quarter to and quarter past.

In History, Year 2 will be exploring transport and how it has changed and developed since the stone age. As scientists we are looking at plants and investigating how plants grow and what they need to grow. Ask your child about our experiment. RSHE will focus on 'support' especially what is meant by support, positive relationships we have with a variety of people and who can we go to for support.

**P.E and Music will be scheduled for Tuesday afternoon each week as normal so remember to come dressed in your PE kit.**

**Please continue to encourage your child to complete their tasks on our online learning platforms including Mathletics, Bug Club and Times Table Rockstars.**

# Don't forget!

P.E is on Tuesdays - please wear your PE kit to school. Fit Friday is every Friday. Spellings are tested on Fridays.

**Star's lockdown poetry anthology is coming together now but we would love our Year 2 children to create pictures representing their lockdown experience to illustrate the book. Just bring them to your class teacher.**

## Home learning

Please remember to read every day with your child this should be kept record of in their Reading Record Books. Children will be sent home with books and will be asked to keep them in their book bags which they can now bring to school daily.

**At this point of the year children, you need to know your 2,5 and 10 times tables by heart. So, please log in to Mathletics and TTRS to help you secure a Bronze Badge before the end of this academic year!**

Our fun Online Spelling platform can also be used to build on our spelling strategies. <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> Read all your books at home? No problem! Don't forget about the E books and E Audio books! Keep writing your super book reviews. We can't wait to read them!

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