

Week beginning
13.03.2023

Year 2 Newsletter

Important Notice:

Please note that there will be industrial action this week. Make sure to check Parentmail for further information regarding any school closure. We are shut on Wednesday 15th March and open on Thursday 16th March. Congratulations to our golden lunches this week Ibtehaj (2S) Lydia (2U) Aida (2P) Aisha (2V)

Star Moments

This term our happy leaves will focus on Happiness & Achievement and Success

This week our happy leaves go to:

1S: Ethan - has shown great achievement and progress in his academic work but also in being a great playground leader by leading by example. He is making good choices and cares for his friends inside and outside the classroom.

1U: Emily - you come into school with a smile each and every morning. It's lovely to hear you say 'good morning' with a loud cheery voice! It brings utter joy to the adults and also your peers. You're also trying super hard to become more confident during our carpet sessions and contribute more. Well done and keep it up!

1P: Samuel - I have noticed that you are trying your best to be successful in your writing in English as well as other subjects. Your ambitious vocabulary coupled with your creativity have shone through. I am so proud of you! Keep up this fantastic work!

1V: Isabel - You have been a superb mathematician. You are attempting word problems more confidently and logically. You have also been successful in using reasoning to explain and backup your answers. Well done you star!

Congratulations to the children who received happy leaves this week! We are very proud of your resilience and dedication to your education!

Our learning...



This term our theme is **Express Yourself**. This week in year 2 we have lots of exciting lessons planned.

Phonics/English:

We will be continuing our Read Write Inc phonics scheme where children will build their phonological knowledge and apply their writing skills to different genres of writing each week in our groups. Some groups will be continuing with the Writing Cycle where they will be focusing on storytelling based on the amazing book - Door.



Maths:

As mathematicians we will begin to explore shape, lines of symmetry and identifying patterns!

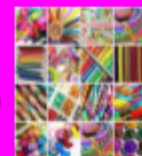


RE:

We will continue to focus our learning on Christianity and their important religious symbols, like the cross, especially in Easter time. We will learn about what they represent.

Art:

We will continue to use our artistic skills of painting, drawing and collage to express ourselves! We will be creating our very own self-portraits! We hope to enter some of our portraits into the Star Pupil Portrait Competition!



Don't forget!

Please join us on Friday 17th March at 8:00 for a Year 2 SATs information meeting.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Home learning

Please remember to read every day with your child particularly over half term, 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. Children will also be given weekly spellings and their homework which needs to be completed by Friday!

By the end of Year 2, children 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!

Mathletics

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