

Week beginning
15.05.2023



Year 2 Newsletter



Important events!

In the upcoming weeks the KS1 SATs will be taking place. Please ensure that your children are having a good night sleep and a healthy breakfast. This is a time for our children to shine and show their amazing progress. Give your children time to relax and give them lots of encouragement and praise. Congratulations to our Golden Lunch nominees last week: 2V – Lorennna, 2P – Rose, 2U – Monika, 2S – Bohdan. Keep up the great work!

Star Moments



This term we are modelling trust and self confidence!

2S: Nellie–Lou, I have seen your confidence grow over the last couple weeks thanks to your excellent questioning. You are now asking questions to adults about your day to gauge what will be happening and learning that you can do anything you set your mind to. Well done!

2U: Hannah, I can see how you're now more confident than ever to contribute to our class discussions. You're independently putting your hand up and stating your point. It's lovely to then see this being reflected in your work too. I'm super proud of you, well done and keep it up!

2V: Daniel, your self-confidence is growing, especially during our English topic – A Midsummer Night's Dream! You were so keen to read the story aloud. You were enthusiastic and excited to offer your ideas. Keep it up!

2P: Tricey! I have noticed this week how confident you are becoming with your learning. You are always demonstrating fantastic effort during our lessons, especially in our discussions and when you are with your peers on the carpet and at the table. I am proud of all the effort you put in, keep this up!

Our learning this week...

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 reading "Last stop on Market Street by Matt De La Peña" and writing a description of a character's journey from the book.

Maths:

Now that we are in the Summer Term, we will revisit and revise several of our topics to become Maths Masters!

School Activities:

We are focusing on the wellbeing of children this week. Year 2 have been speaking about what makes each child so amazing and reflecting on how far they have come this year.



Don't forget!

Please encourage your children to practise their spellings for 5 minutes and well as daily reading. Each week children will get a range of homework that needs to be completed and handed in on Friday morning.

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

Home learning

Remember to keep completing your home learning! Here are the apps to download!



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