



Year 2 Newsletter

Autumn 2

Welcome back after the October break! We're ready for a busy and engaging term ahead, with lots of exciting lessons and activities to look forward to. It's going to be a great few weeks as we continue to explore, learn, and grow together.

Curriculum Map

If you would like to see what we are learning this term, please **see our Curriculum Map**. Our theme this term will be **'Frozen Kingdom'**.

Read, Write Inc.

We'll continue with our reading and phonics programme, and children will bring home a 'book bag' book based on their Year 2 colour level. Please ensure these books stay in their new plastic wallets to avoid damage. Throughout the term, the children will be reassessed. Once they complete the Read, Write Inc. programme, they'll transition to whole-class guided reading.

Guided Reading: During this, we'll explore a variety of texts, focusing on developing skills like making inferences, predicting outcomes, identifying key themes, and making connections between different stories. This will help deepen their understanding of texts and build confidence as readers. As a reminder, our Home School Agreement asks parents to hear their child read at **least three times a week**, with reading records kept up to date. Book changes will follow the timetable for each colour group.

Medical

Please ensure that you have spoken to the school office if your child requires medication during the school day (inhalers) and that you have told your class teacher.

PE and Library

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Tuesday with 360: Games - Jogging bottoms/ shorts and school jumpers

Wednesday: -Jogging bottoms/ shorts and school jumpers

Library: Friday afternoon

Please ensure the children's library books are in their book bags to ensure they can change their books on the correct day. We will only be able to issue a new book if the previous one has been returned. A charge of £5.00 is made for lost books.

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'Frozen Kingdom'



Look at our Autumn 2 topic web, to see what areas of the curriculum we will be covering this half term.

Key Dates

Geography walk around the local area
Friday 7th November

Farnborough Vue Cinema trip
Thursday 13th November

Opal Parent Play Session
Friday 28th November at 13:30pm

Year 2 Christmas Carol Concert -
St Peter's Church
Monday 15th December at 14:15pm
(Children can be taken home from the church after the carol service)

Christmas Craft afternoon for parents and children
Wednesday 17th December at 15:15pm

End of term (finish at 13:15pm)
Friday 19th December

Thank You!
for your continued support
From
Year 2 Team