

Class Information

Year 1 and 2

Summer 2 Term 2026

We hope you find the following information helpful in supporting your child this term. You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for some subject areas along with a more detailed 'knowledge organiser' for other subjects.

This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in Year 1 / 2 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.
Miss Cooper

Reading Books

Children are expected to read frequently at home, and this needs recording in their reading record book (which will be sent home soon) at least 3 times per week. We can't stress how important reading is in your child's reading, writing and spelling development. Library books will be changed every Friday. PLEASE send your child's book bag and reading books to school every day. We really appreciate your help with this.

PE - On Monday

For this half term, PE will be on a Monday afternoon. PE kits must be a white top, dark joggers/shorts/leggings and trainers. No coloured tops please. Please can your child bring a named water bottle in each day. Hair must be tied up and earrings removed. Please can all jumpers be labelled with the child's name.

Dojo

We will be sending most communication to you via ClassDojo. If you haven't yet signed up for an account, or haven't logged on recently, please do so.

Homework

Year 1 homework is set weekly on the online platform Learning with Parent. Please complete this homework each week. Year 2 homework will be given to the children each week.

English

In English we will continue to teach reading and writing through Talk for Reading and Talk for Writing strategies. During our first part of this term will be finishing our topic on information texts, using our model text 'Giant Pandas' to aid us in innovating and eventually inventing our own information text relating to Islam.

After that, the children will be learning about non-chronological reports. We will learn about the use of

headings and sub headings, factual language and organising our writing into paragraphs. We will be reading our High Quality Text, "Man on the Moon." by Simon Bartram.

In the second half of the term children will be completing creative writing units.

In grammar lessons, we will be learning to use adjectives to describe an object (eg the fast, shiny car), similes (eg as fast as lightning) to add more detail and we will be learning to construct sentences using parts, eg I reached down, picked the flower and put it in a vase We will continue to consolidate the use capital letter and full stops.

To aid the children with their writing there will also be daily handwriting sessions.

Maths

This term in Maths, the children are focusing on securing their understanding of mathematical concepts. Each week the children will be focusing on a particular skill to ensure they have a concrete understanding. In the week wee back we will be exploring place valued followed by addition and subtraction in week 2. The children will be using a variety of methods and resources.

Following this, we will spend some time looking at fractions, multiplication and division, shape and metacognition.

We will also be continuing with our weekly tackling tables on a Thursday where the children are aiming to beat their best each week.

Throughout the term, we will be practising mental arithmetic and times tables skills to keep our math minds sharp!