



YEAR 2

Welcome to Term 1

Welcome to Year 2! We are very excited to get to know you and your children. We will be working hard to help the children settle into their new routines and will be setting high expectations to ensure that they get the most out of their learning.

It is essential that children have the opportunity to read with you each day to help develop their fluency and comprehension skills. When your child reads to you, please remember to sign their reading record. In the Year 2 section of our school website, we have added helpful resources and websites to support your child's reading and phonics development.

Please also remember to help your child develop a love of maths. There are lots of simple ways to practise maths skills at home while making it fun and part of everyday life. Encourage your child to practise their number facts, particularly their 2, 5, and 10 times table.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss how your child is getting on, please feel free to speak to us.

Miss Mulholland, Mrs Middleton, Miss Winbolt, Mr Brett, Miss Brown

What are we learning about across the Curriculum?

RE: Creation and Covenant

Science: Animals' needs for survival

History: Castles, Crowns, Kings, and Knights

Music: Musical me – singing and playing a song

DT: Structures – building a throne

PSHE/RHE: Let the children come

P.E: Striking and fielding

What are we learning?

Key Areas:

English:

Reading:

The Snail and The Whale

The Lonely Beast



Writing:

Descriptive writing

Postcard

Information notice

Descriptive poem

Diary entry

Recount

Alternative ending

Handwriting:

Using common exception words and topic vocabulary to practice forming letters correctly.

Maths:

Place value

Addition and subtraction

Homework

Homework will be sent home on Friday and will be collected back in by Wednesday.

The homework set is based on the learning that has taken place that week and will be a combination of an English and a Math task. There will also be 10 spellings to learn based on the spelling rules learnt over the week.

