



# Year 2

Autumn Term 2024

**Reminders**

Please ensure your child has the following with them in school every day:

- Water bottle
- Reading diary
- Indoor and Outdoor PE kit
- Coat

**Information**

**Year 2 Parents Meeting Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm in the Annex Hall**

**PE days**  
 Badgers – Monday and Wednesday  
 Foxes – Thursday and Friday  
 Otters – Wednesday and Thursday

**English or Maths Home Learning**  
 Home learning will be put on Google Classroom each Thursday and is due back the following Tuesday in your child's home learning book.

**Reading**  
 Please ensure your child reads every day, with a note made in the reading diary.  
 Reading diaries should be in school every day. Books will be changed weekly.

We look forward to a busy and exciting Autumn Term!		
<b>Maths</b>	Place value Addition Subtraction Shape	We will be developing and consolidating a range of mathematical skills to enable your child to be a confident mathematician! <b>Learning will focus on:</b> Recognising place value, identifying tens and ones, comparing numbers and representing numbers. Solving addition and subtraction problems, number bonds to 10, 20 and 100, adding 10 more and 10 less. Identifying 2D and 3D shapes and identifying their properties.
<b>English</b>	Instructions Character description Fictional narrative	Our English learning will be linked to our topics. <b>Learning will focus on:</b> How to use a variety of writing techniques to compose exciting pieces of writing. Application of spelling rules and correct grammar. How to 'magpie' ideas from authors and peers. Reading a variety of books for understanding and pleasure including 'Rex and the Crown Jewels Robbery' and 'Paddington at the Tower'.
<b>Book Study</b>	'The Adventures of Egg Box Dragon' by Richard Adams 'Katie in London' by James Mayhew 'The Tunnel' by Anthony Browne	
<b>Topic</b>	<b>Towers, Tunnels and Turrets</b>	<b>Lessons include:</b> <b>Computing</b> – digital literacy and information technology <b>Science</b> – materials and their properties <b>Geography</b> - the UK and its countries <b>History</b> – The Great Fire of London and The Gunpowder Plot <b>Design technology</b> - axles and wheels <b>Exploring cultures</b> – faith communities and the Christmas story <b>Art</b> – sketching and shading
A more detailed Curriculum Map showing the focus for our lessons in all subjects will be made available shortly on our website. (Parent Resources section - Curriculum information)		
We look forward to welcoming you and your child to Year Two! The Year Two team.		
<p><b>Class teachers</b> - Miss Smith, Mrs Perkins, Miss Acierno, Mr Tagg  <b>Support teachers</b> - Mrs Joyce, Mrs Webb  <b>Teaching assistants</b> - Miss Fisher, Miss Jones, Mrs Greenaway, Mrs Manoharan</p>		