

Year Two Newsletter

Term : Autumn 1

Welcome to Year 2!



Message from your teachers

We are thrilled to start this new academic Year 2022/23 with you all and celebrate your final year of Key Stage 1. We have an exciting but busy year ahead! Jam packed with new learning and sensational opportunities, we really have a lot to look forward too. We can't wait to explore the Year 2 curriculum with you and hope you enjoy our topics, stories and CSI² days as much as us!

Miss Johnson and Mrs Dixon

We will be learning this term...

We are starting the year by delving in our topic "Where in the World is... China". We will look into the fascinating past 100 years of Chinese History. You will learn where China is on a map and be able to compare the UK and China using geographical similarities.

As part of our English, We will focus on the story "The Magic Paintbrush" by Julia Donaldson and Poem "Cleversticks" by Bernard Ashley. We will continue in our Read Write Inc. and you will be introduced to Active Spelling and developing your cursive handwriting.

In Maths, we will be kicking off the new term with Number Place Value up to 100. Including comparing, sorting, and counting forwards and backwards in steps of 2, 3, and 5 from 0. You will be encouraged to 'Speak like a Mathematician' to reason your problem solving.

Our Art learning will be inspired by Edvard Munch's 1893 The Scream. We will use drawing & line, colour and painting to capture our chosen emotion in your magnificent masterpiece!

Lastly, in DT we will be learning to prepare simple dishes safely and hygienically, using the cooking techniques: cutting, peeling, grating, chopping and slicing.



Reminders/Important Dates

- PE is every Wednesday. Please ensure that children come dressed in Black/White kit on this day and that jewellery have been removed.
- Homework is sent out every Friday, please make it is completed and returned by the following Wednesday
- Please make sure your child is reading every day

Useful pages/Contact us

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