

## Year 2 Newsletter

Our newsletter is sent out fortnightly to keep you up to date.

Friday 10th September



We have been blown away with how well the children have settled into the new school year and routines. They have all worked incredibly hard and we are proud of each and every one of them. What a fantastic start to the year!

This year PE days are as follows:

Miss Smith's class—Thursday mornings and Friday afternoons.

Miss McIntyre's class—Wednesday mornings and Friday afternoons.



Please remember that PE kit should be fully labelled and in school at all times.



As in Reception and Year 1, reading in Year 2 is closely matched to each individual child's phonological development. This week we have been very busy assessing children's phonics and as such, with the next set of books sent home, you may find that your child's reading stage has changed. This is to ensure that the most appropriate support is in place to best aid reading development. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's reading please do not hesitate to get in touch.

We realise that for many working parents being able to pass on messages or speak to us about concerns can be tricky. To make this a little easier we are available via email. We will of course endeavour to respond as quickly as we can although, for urgent messages, the School Office will always be the fastest way of ensuring we receive your message.

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Spelling Shed is up and running ready with this next week's spellings. You will find login details in the front of your child's Reading Record Book. Attached to this email is a copy of the Parent Guide which you may find useful.



Google Classroom

Whilst we hope that this academic year the in school education of our children is uninterrupted, we need to ensure that we are ready for whatever the year has in store.

Over the next two weeks children will be shown how to access and use Google Classroom which is the platform used by children in Years 2-4 for online home learning in the event of a National Lockdown. We will send out details on how to login, access work and upload with our next newsletter. We will then use Google Classroom to set the weekly maths homework tasks.



Our exciting and very popular reading challenge. Get ready to read in a funny voice, build blanket dens, wear your clothes back to front and a host of other whacky ways to help build reading miles but ultimately a love of reading.