

Welcome to Year 2

'Meet the Teacher'

Welcome Parents & Carers!

- All about the Year 2 classroom...
- Meet the team...

Mrs Balderstone



Mrs Jackson



Miss Longman



Miss Tariq



Growing independence in Year 2

- personal independence
- independence as learners
- independent decision makers

The Year 2 Curriculum...

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
English	Katie Morag Letters and postcards	Recounts Edward Lear poetry	Diaries Lauren Child	Instructions Red Riding Hood	Wild Information texts	Non-Chronological Reports Imaginary Creatures	
Maths	Place Value Money Multiplication & Division Addition & Subtraction Statistics	Multiplication & Division Shape Properties Fractions Measure – Length Measure – Mass, Capacity, Temperature	Shape Properties Shape – Position & Direction Time Measure – Mass, Capacity, Temperature	Place Value Money Multiplication & Division Shape Properties Multiplication & Division Multiplication & Division Shape Properties Shape – Position Direction Time Addition & Subtraction Statistics Measure – Length Measure – Mass, Capacity, Temperature			
Geography	Coll			Wonderful World & Australia			
History		Skipton Castle & Significant person	Fire of London				
Art	Pattern & Shape William De Morgan, link to Coll	Painting Link to Castles - Mixing colours and creating tints		Drawing Link to Landmarks — using pencils, charcoal and limited colours Local Artist Appreciation Link to Australia — local art work compared to Australian art work			
DT			Moving pictures		Wheeled Vehicles		

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Science	Animals incl Humans	Materials		ints	Living Things and Their Habitats		
ICT	Purple Mash Scheme 2.2 Online Safety 2.5 Effective Searching (I Science) 2.8 Presenting Ideas (link		Purple Mash Scheme 2.3 Spreadsheets (link to 2.6 Creating Pictures (link to 2.7 Making Music (link to	to History)	Purple Mash Scheme 2.1 Coding (link to DT) 2.4 Questioning (link to Science)		
Music	Playing with patterns 1	Finding the Beat Exploring the 4 beats in a <u>4 beat</u> pulse	Using sound to describe Animal magic		Performing Together I want to play in a band Boomwhacker Band		
Physical Education	Multi-Skills / Games Fundamental Movement Dance	† Skills	Multi-Skills / Ga <u>mes</u> Gymnastics Yoga		Multi-Skills / Games Athletics Games		
Religious Education	North Yorkshire Scheme What is a Muslim and wh Muslim 1.6 How and why do we sacred times? Muslim	at do they believe?	North Yorkshire Scheme What can we learn from & Muslim		North Yorkshire Scheme 1.8 How should we care for others and the world? Christian & Jewish		
Personal Social, Health & Citizenship PSHCE	Becoming an active citiz Me and my relationships	en	Keeping myself safe Healthy lifestyles		Me and my future		

Year 2 timetable and routine

	8.4 5	9.00	10.00		10.35	11:40		1:00		2:15
Monday		English <i>incl</i> Phonics & Spelling	KS1 Singing Assembly		Maths	Guided Reading		Geography / History		RE
Tuesday	Registration	English	Phonics & Spelling	20)	Maths	Guided Reading	(£	Art / DT		PE (coach + RG)
Wednesday	Maths Early work - Regis	English	Phonics & Spelling	MORNING BREAK (10.20)	Maths	Guided Reading	LUNCH TIME (12noon)	Music	(2:00)	PHSE
Thursday	Maths E	English <i>incl</i> Guided Reading	Phonics & Spelling	MOR	KS1 Maths Assembly (SA) 10:40-11		LUI	Science	AFTER NOON BREAK	ICT
Friday		9:15 Star Books Assembly Handwriting	Phonics & Spelling		Maths	Guided Reading		English	AFTER	PE

Homework

Reading:

- Little and often; a bit every day; they read to you; you share books with them
- Record what you read in the Reading Log
- In class, books are checked and changed on Tuesdays and Thursdays



Homework

Maths:

- Numbots consolidates and speeds up quick recall of key facts
- 10 minute tasks
- Given on Fridays into reading folders, collected on Thursdays
- Rehearses what we have done in class
- Develops self confidence and 'thinking around' skills
- Allows them to 'be the teacher'!



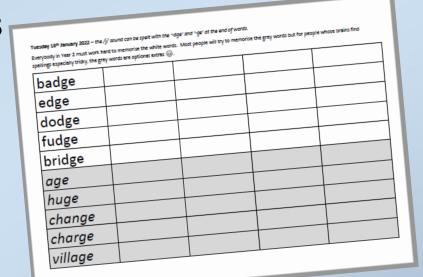


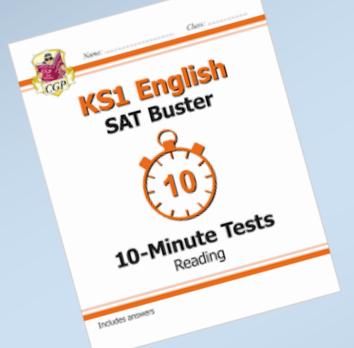
Homework

English:

- Spellings to learn
- The pattern or rule is the most important part
- Given on Tuesdays into reading folders, collected on

Mondays





- Ten minute reading task
- Enjoyment and success!
- Given on Tuesdays into reading folders, collected on Mondays
- To start after October half term

Special Events in Year 2:

- Visits to Skipton Castle and Harlow Carr Gardens
- Friends of Water Street Primary school discos
- Christmas events: Nativity / party
- Performing at the Skipton Music Festival
- Sports day
- Class assembly
- And...

Key Stage 1 Assessment:

- A set of criteria for Reading, Writing and Maths
- Continuously working on the criteria throughout the year
- Statutory Reading and Maths tests during May
- Test scores used as a small part of the overall picture
- Overall assessment reported to parents in the end of year school report
- We want them to do well... as we do in every part of their growth and development ☺

Internet Safety

- A huge priority through all of our teaching
- Information websites under the 'parents' tab on the school website.
- SMART



What can you do?

- let them make mistakes
- prompt them towards independence (when you can bare it!)
- enable them to take responsibility (for the good and the bad)
- help support them to complete homework each week
- insist on good use of spoken language
- Stay in touch