



Autumn Term 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new school year.

Please read below for some important information regarding your child's class. On the reverse side of this sheet you will see an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering in the Autumn Term.

Core Subjects Overview

In **Maths** we will be focusing on 'Place Value' for the first four weeks. We will then move on to 'Addition and Subtraction'. After that, we will be concentrating on Geometry. In **English**, we will learn the skills needed to help us write action descriptions, instructions, recount and biographies. In **Science**, we will start our learning on 'All living things and their habitats'.

PE Times

Brown- Wednesday & Thursday

Hepworth- Wednesday & Thursday

Riley-Wednesday & Thursday

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit (white top, navy bottoms and black shoes) on PE days and bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside. Your child will need a pair of trainers please.

Homework and Reading

Book bags will be sent out on Tuesday and need to be returned on the following Monday.

Spelling homework will be sent out weekly via google Classroom on Friday and we will have a test the following Friday.

For Maths, please download 1 minute maths.

At the beginning of each term, a homework project will be set to be completed by the end of that term. This term our project is on our topic 'Africa'. We will be sending details shortly.

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Hepworth - 6th December

Brown- 7th December

Riley- 8th December

Term dates:

Children break up for half term **at 2:15pm on Friday 21st October**. Children return to school on **Tuesday 1st**

November. They break up for the **Christmas holiday at 2:15pm on Friday 16th December**.

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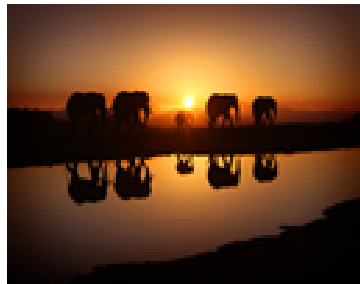
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Kind Regards

Jess Jackson Virk, Mia Magarian and Rosa
Year 2 Class Teachers

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Africa



Science

All living things and their habitats
Things that are living, dead and never alive. Name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including Micro-habitats.

Geography

Understand geographical similarities and Differences: The UK and a contrasting setting

Computing

Computer science:
Debugging (Bee bots-Turtle Logo)

Art

Printing and weaving

Key artist

Esther Mahlangu

Nike Davies-Okundaye

PE and Games

Fitness & Fundamentals
Ball Skills & Dance

RE

Hinduism

What do Hindus believe?

Judaism

What values does Hanukkah teach?

DT

Textiles:

Design & Make an African Mask

PSHE and Citizenship

Class Charter, Health & Wellbeing, Relationships, Living in the wider world

Music

Duration – Some sounds are...
Charanga – Hands Feet and Heart
Winter Concert

Spanish

Balanced Diet: fruits I like
Pets I have/ like
Introducing myself (name, age and where I live)
Maths in Spanish (adding basic numbers)

Themed Weeks

Maths Week

WB 19th September

Black History

WB Monday 3rd October (3 weeks)

Kindness (Anti-bullying) Week

WB 14th November

Dress Up Days

Maths Rock Star Dress Up

Friday 23rd September

Wear Red for Show Racism the

Red Card

Friday 21st October

Odd Socks Day

Monday 14th November

Children in Need – Pyjamas

Friday 18th November

Other Dates to Remember

Year 2 Welcome Meeting

Tuesday 13th September

Individual Photo Day

Tuesday 20th September

INSET Day

Monday 31st October

Christmas Fair

Friday 9th December

Parent's Evening

Tues 15th and Wed 16th November