



YEAR 2

Class Newsletter

Autumn 1

Welcome and Special Announcements

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely summer break. It is fantastic to see the children looking so smart in their school uniform.

Your Year 2 Staff are:

Mrs Young
Mr Wheeler
Miss Walker-Smith
Mrs Smith
Mrs McGuinness

Our Learning this term

WRITING

This term our work will focus on the book '**Look Up**' by Nathan Bryan.

Encourage your child to look up and down when you are out and about and describe what they can see.

Support your child to research anything important or interesting which happened on the date they were born.

MATHS

This term we are focusing on:

- **Numbers to 100**
- **Addition and Subtraction**

SCIENCE

This term we are learning about **Animals, including Humans.**

Our Key Knowledge is:

- Noticing that humans have offspring which grow into adults.
- Finding out about and describing the basic needs of humans, for survival
- Describing the importance for humans to exercise, eat the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

GEOGRAPHY

This term we are learning about **Oceans and continents**

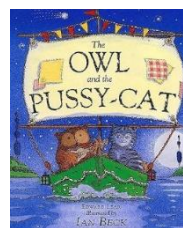
Our Key Knowledge is:

- The world is made up of many countries. The countries can be grouped into continents.
- The large amounts of water between each continent are called oceans.
- Human features are made by people. Physical features are created by nature.

OTHER SUBJECTS LEARNING AND KEY KNOWLEDGE

- This term in D&T we will be developing our sewing skills and making Snowmen puppets
- During our Jigsaw lessons we will be 'Being Me in my World'

Class Reader



The Owl and the Pussycat

Key Information This Term

Reading

Year 2 children should be encouraged to read regularly at home and practise any phonics that have been sent home with them

Books will be changed on Tuesdays and Fridays. Children should bring their books in every day.

Home Learning

Please encourage your child to read as often as they can.

Keep an eye out for any other home learning that your child may receive and please help them to complete it.

P.E. This term we will have PE on Thursdays. Make sure your child has the correct kit (school house t-shirt/plain white t-shirt, black shorts, school pumps or black trainers)School house t-shirts are available to buy from the school office or via parent pay

Key Dates

- Tuesday 23rd September – Zoolab in school
- This half term ends on Friday 24th October