

Year 2 Newsletter

Friday 11th February 2022

Message

We would like to thank all of our parents and children for a wonderful half term.

Please remember half term begins on Monday 14th of February 2022 and we return on 21st of February 2022 at 8.35am.

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Thank you all for your participation and contribution on Numbers day last week.

We have raised an amazing £216.27 for the NSPCC

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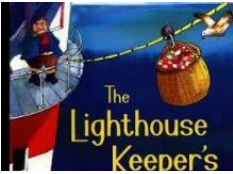
Our new topic will be Coastlines. To begin our topic on Monday the 21st February 2022 it's a **Wow Day!** The children will be taking part in fun activities

English

Next term in English we are going to be looking at The Lighthouse Keepers lunch.

Our focus will be on a Diary entry, and identifying the features of a diary.

[The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch](#)
[- Give Us A Story! - YouTube](#)



How you can help at home:

With your child you can watch: The Lighthouse Keeper's lunch. Discuss with your child and ask questions on what they would include in their diary.

Maths

Next term in Maths we will be continuing to learn division.

We will be sharing and grouping different amounts and explaining the difference between sharing and grouping.

Watch this video about sharing and grouping with your child:



[Division as sharing and grouping - YouTube](#)

How you can help at home:

You can help child to secure their understanding of multiples of twos, fives and tens. This will help them to understand the inverse (opposite), that division is the opposite of multiplication).

Words of the week

Outrageous

This means: Something that is shocking, bold, extreme or over the top.

Coastlines

This means: This is the line that separate the land and the sea.

Can you use these words in a sentence?

Home Learning

During this half term your children will be bringing home, homework packs for them to complete over the half term.

Spellings

Every week the children will take part in a spelling test. The spellings we will be sending home are the words the children should know how to automatically spell by the end of Year 2. The children will practise their spellings on a Monday (this is a good way for them to see the words they need to work on) and then their formal test will take place on Friday.

You will find the spellings for their test next week Friday below:

Year 2 Spellings:

fast, last, father, class, grass, pass, plant, path, bath, people

Lewis Year 1 Spellings:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, there, here, they

Good luck!

Reading

We collect the children's books on **Wednesday**, they return home with a new book on **Friday**. If your child fails to return it, we will be asking you to pay **£5** to replace it. To avoid this, when you are listening to your child read at home, please encourage them to put their book into their book bag as soon as they have finished, that then means that they will always have their book when they are at school.

Arithmetic

Every Monday and Friday your child will complete a mental arithmetic test to develop their mental maths skills. When they complete the first test which will take place every Monday, the adult in class will teach the children what method they need to use to work out the answers. Your child will take this test home. **Please encourage and support your child to practise the questions they have completed incorrectly.** Your child will retake the same test on Friday which the class teacher will keep in school.

P.E

Below you will find the days we have P.E. We ask that your child comes to school in their P.E kit on their P.E day. You can purchase our school P.E kit from 'Bubblegum' in Thornton Heath.

Lewis Class: Monday
Dahl Class: Tuesday
Andersen Class: Wednesday
Carroll Class: Thursday

Attendance w/e 04/02/2022

We will continue to monitor attendance. The class with the best attendance each week will receive the attendance cup!

Andersen class – 89.6%

Carroll class – 91.1%

Dahl class – 95.2%

Lewis class – 94.8%



Well done to Dahl class with the highest attendance in year 2 for last week