

# Year 2 Autumn Term Newsletter



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## Welcome to Year 2!

Dear Parents,

Welcome back after what we hope has been a long and restful holiday. We all welcome the children to their new classes in what we are sure will be a very happy, exciting and successful year.

The class teachers and assistants are:

**2M – Mrs Macleod, Mrs Welsh & Mrs Carberry**

**2G – Miss Gibson & Miss Nicholas**

### Come and Meet us!

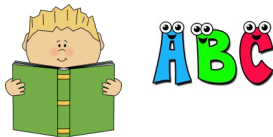
Year 2 is an assessment year. We will be hosting a Year 2 coffee morning and afternoon on Monday 2nd October at either 9.05 am or 3.05 pm, where your child's teacher will spend a few minutes explaining the Year 2 curriculum and forthcoming events. We will also answer any queries you may have. Don't worry if you are unable to attend— our door is always open!

### HOMEWORK

Reading is extremely important in Year 2. Please ensure that your children read every night to continue their wonderful progress.

Spellings will be given out on Mondays to be completed at home to prepare for the spelling test on Friday.

This year there will also be some exciting topic based projects. Please encourage your children to take part in this! More information will be given out soon.



### P.E

P.E is on **Mondays**. Children need to bring in their P.E kit to leave in school.

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Clubs will be starting on the following dates:

*Football – 18/9/17*

*Multisport – 14/9/17*

*Phonics – 18/9/17*

*Maths – 19/9/17*

Letters will be sent out with more information and permission slips.

### Dates for your diary

14/9/17

Topic launch day

2/10/17

Coffee morning  
9.05am and  
3.05pm

### TARGETS

Reading To ensure children understand what they are reading. Ask lots of questions!

### Maths

To know two and ten times table: chant & recall. To count in steps of 1,2&5 forwards and backwards from 0 up to 100 and in 10s from any number.

### ATTENDANCE

Being in school every day is incredibly important to ensuring your child's continued progress, especially as Year 2 is an important assessment year.

## Creative Curriculum



This term we are studying the theme of **People and Events of the Past**. We will be linking this topic with Art, D.T, History, ICT, English and Maths. The children will be learning all about Florence Nightingale in the first half term, and The Great Fire of London after the half term break.

We will be having a special 'Doctors & Nurses 'day on Thursday 14th September to launch our Florence Nightingale topic. Children may come in dressed up as doctors/nurses/soldiers/patients or bring in any items/objects in that are related to hospitals or the medical world!

