

Class 2 Summer 2 Newsletter



Welcome to the final class newsletter of the school year! We have a busy and exciting few weeks ahead, with lots of special events including our Class Assembly on June 28th, *Byers Green's Got Talent*, the whole school visit to the beach and Sports Day.

Miss Laker will continue to teach Maths and English to Y1 until the end of her placement on June 29th.

English



Our books this term will continue to be linked to the sea, summer holidays and all things nautical. We will be designing leaflets, writing postcards and composing poetry.

Y1 will have their individual Phonics Screens during the week beginning Monday 11th June and Y2 will be consolidating their grammar, spelling and punctuation as they prepare to move into KS2.

Maths



Y1 will continue to focus upon number bonds and basic skills this half - term, as well as developing their understanding of position, movement and direction. Y2 will practise, consolidate and extend their computation skills: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Science



The focus in Science this half - term is habitats and how living things are adapted to where they live. The children will be introduced to simple food chains. Miss Jewett will be teaching this subject.

D.T.



In D.T. we will be designing and making our own model boats, investigating which materials are best for making these vessels and exploring how well they float.

R.E.



Miss Jewett will continue to teach Class 2 about Buddhism, with the main focus being how Buddhists live their lives according to their beliefs.

Music



This half - term we will be singing together as we practise for our Class Assembly. We will be learning traditional sea shanties and other ocean - related songs.

I.C.T.



Mrs Mowbray will teach ICT this half - term. The children will learn how to use technology purposefully, for example by word - processing the leaflets they will have written in English.

P.E.



Our P.E. days are now *Wednesdays* and *Fridays*. Miss Jewett, supported by Miss Hardie, will teach P.E. on a Wednesday and a professional coach will be delivering fundamental movement skills on a Friday. *Please ensure that your child has his / her P.E. kit on the allocated days.*

Spanish



In Spanish we will continue to explore simple phrases and words which would be useful for a holiday in Spain!

History



We will be exploring holidays from the past and how we take our vacations now which will certainly get us into the mood for our own summer holidays!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support since September - we have had a fun, successful year and I have enjoyed teaching this class of lovely children!

Miss Forth