

Term 1 Newsletter

Butterfly class

Hello and welcome to Year 2 from Mrs Osborne!

Important Information

The Butterfly Team!

Monday – Friday mornings – Mrs Osborne (class teacher)
Monday – Friday afternoons – Mrs Saunders (HLTA)
Full time class support – Miss Carthew
PE coach – Coach George

Equipment

PE day for Butterflies is a Wednesday. Children should have a PE kit including; a coloured t shirt according to their house colour, shorts or jogging bottoms and a zippy depending on the weather and black trainers.

Reminder: earrings should be removed or taped up.

All children should be bringing a named bottle of water to school. Children are able to access them throughout the day.

Wellies and a waterproof coat may also be needed for allotment visits as the weather changes.

Our class ethos

As a teacher, a child's learning development is obviously very important to me, but I also aim to nurture children and help them show kindness to others, be respectful, find enjoyment in their learning, be helpful and most importantly, have fun!

I hope your child has a great term with us!



Hello from me!

I am Mrs Osborne and I am so excited to be teaching your lovely Year 2 children for the next two terms until the return of Mrs Jones. I work part time and instead of working Mondays to Wednesdays, over the next two terms, I will be working every morning alongside Miss Carthew to help provide consistency for your children. Because of this, Mrs Saunders, a highly skilled HLTA, will be teaching your children each afternoon, with the help of Miss Carthew and Coach George. We cannot wait to see what your children achieve!

Home learning

Children will be allocated a reading book which should be read every day. This is key to your child's reading development, we will also read regularly with them at school, exposure is key! Your child will also be sent home with weekly spellings that they need to practise and will be tested on each Friday.

Key Dates for the diary

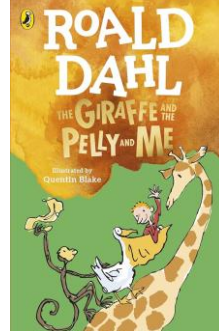
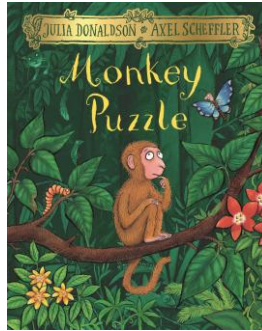
First day of term 1 – Wednesday 2nd September
Meet the teacher – Monday 7th September
Gruffalo Granny performance – Friday 11th September
Flu vaccinations – Thursday 17th September
NSPCC kindness day – Friday 2nd October
Harvest service – Friday 16th October
Pumpkin picking – Tuesday 22nd October
Last day of term – Tuesday 22nd October

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Term 1 – Curriculum Map

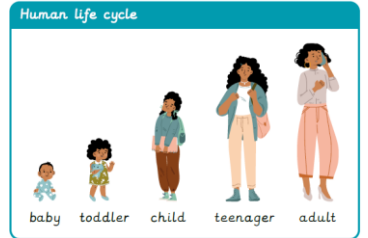
English

Narratives, simple sentence construction and poems



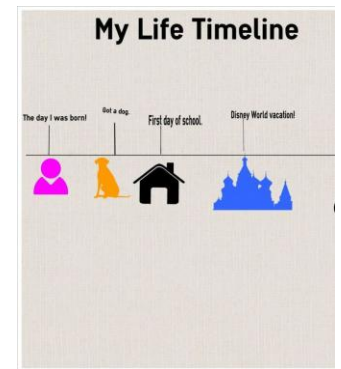
Science

Animals including humans – life cycles



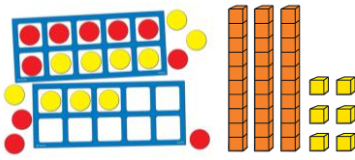
History

How am I making history?

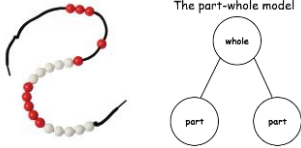


Maths

Place value



The part-whole model

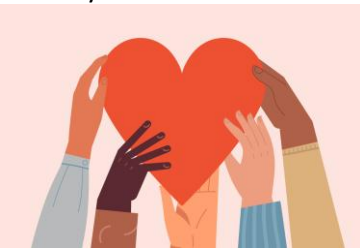


Addition and subtraction



R.E

Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?



Computing

Introduction to Purple Mash and Creative Computing



DT

Smoothies - nutrition



Music

Snail and mouse – tempo



P.E

Multi-skills



PSHE/RSE

Connecting with others – how can I make myself and others feel safe?

