

I hope that this information has been useful. If you would ever like to see me, please feel free to let myself or the office know and we can arrange a convenient time. I am available most days after school, as this is better than before school.

Maths

This half term we will be focusing on addition and subtraction. Children will be looking at adding and subtracting numbers to 100 using place value to help them. Children will also look at a variety of methods to help them work out addition and subtraction number sentences.

We will continue to learn and recite our times tables every day, but on Monday's we spend a session practicing our times tables, starting with our 2 times tables.



English

Our English learning this half term focusses on spelling, punctuation and grammar and applying these skills in short bursts of writing. The children will also write their own diary entry which will focus on the Great Fire of London. A unit which they enjoyed very much in History.

Phonics will also take place every day, ensuring they are reading and writing those core sounds on a daily basis.

Year 2 Autumn term 2

Geography – Oceans

In Geography, the children will be looking at all of the world's oceans and seas. They will be looking at where they are located and how important they are to our planet. The children will be able to name all oceans, seas and continents.

Science – Materials.

The children will investigate a variety of materials including wood, plastic, metal, glass and fabric. They will look at the suitability of materials as well carry out investigations, testing the properties of every day materials.

Music – This half term, Year 2 will be learning to play the ukulele every Wednesday afternoon with Josh a highly experienced musician and music teacher.

PE – This half term, Year 2 will have PE on a Monday afternoon. Please make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit that morning.

Art – Our Art unit this half term focusses on Super Sculptures.

PSHE - The children will focus on roles and responsibilities that they have at school and at home.

I hope that this information has been useful. If you would ever like to see me, please feel free to let myself or the office know and we can arrange a convenient time. I am available most days after school, as this is better than before school.

General Reminders

Homework – Homework will be given to take home every **Friday**. It is important that you encourage and support your children with their homework, but please do not do it for them. Homework should be completed and returned on a **Wednesday morning**. All children are expected to return homework.

Spellings – Children will be given their new list of words to learn every Friday. These are put in their homework books and a spelling quiz will take place the following Friday.

Times Tables – It is imperative that children regularly practise their times tables. As part of their homework, children will bring home weekly times tables. We will have a weekly Times Table quiz every Wednesday.

Water Bottles – Water bottles are provided by school.