

Autumn Newsletter

2026 / 2027



Welcome to Upper Key Stage 2 where we have four classes;



Onyx Class



Zircon Class



Aquamarine Class



Quartz Class

Meet our Team:

Mrs Scappaticci

Mrs Booth

Mrs Worthington

Miss Brooks

Miss Begum

This half term we will be learning:

This term, we will be learning about World War II and exploring the key events that shaped this important period in history. We will discover what life was like during the war, including the experiences of soldiers and civilians, the Blitz, evacuation, rationing and the different countries involved. We will also consider how the war affected people in Britain and around the world.



This term, we will be learning all about electricity and how electrical circuits work. We will investigate how to build and draw circuits, explore the role of different components such as batteries, bulbs, switches and buzzers, and investigate how we can change the brightness of bulbs or the volume of buzzers. We will also use our scientific enquiry skills to make predictions, carry out investigations and explain our findings.



We are looking forward to learning about our new classrooms, our new routines and making new friends in our new classes.

Homework



Please support your children at home each week by;

- Reading three times a week to become a reading champion
- Take Accelerated Reader quizzes
- Complete maths homework on Maths.co.uk
- Complete reading task on Teams
- Practice your weekly spellings on Ed Shed
- Look at this half term's homework rubric which teachers will send home in the first week back.
- Please make sure your child has their book and iPad in school everyday.



Attendance

Regular attendance and punctuality are essential to children making the most of their time at school. Every lesson, interaction and learning experience matters, and children benefit enormously from being in school every day and arriving on time, ready to learn. Breakfast club and Thrive Time is open for all children from 8:30am.

We ask all families to prioritise attendance wherever possible and to ensure that children arrive at school promptly each morning. Being on time helps children begin the day calmly, confidently and alongside their peers, without missing important learning or routines.

We are also excited to celebrate excellent attendance this year. Any child who achieves greater than 97% attendance by the end of the academic year will receive a special surprise!

Important Information:

- PE Days:



	Indoor	Outdoor
Onyx	Thursday	Monday
Quartz	Thursday	Tuesday
Aquamarine	Friday	Monday
Zircon	Friday	Tuesday