



Welcome to Year 2



Daily Timetable



Year 2 Class Timetable - 2026-2027



	Monday - CW	Tuesday - CW	Wednesday - AD	Thursday - AD	Friday - AD
8:50am-9:05am	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration
9:05am-9:25am	Phonics/Spelling	Phonics/Spelling	Phonics/Spelling	Phonics/Spelling	Phonics/Spelling
9:25am-10:25am	English	English	English	English	PE
10:25am-10:40am	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
10:40am-11:00am	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting
11:00am-12:00pm	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths	Science
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00pm-1:20pm	Maths Fluency	Maths Fluency	Maths Fluency	Maths Fluency	Maths Fluency
1:20pm-1:40pm	Art/DT	Picture News	Reading Practice	Reading Practice	Reading Practice
1:40pm-3:15pm	Art/DT Assembly 2:50pm	Geography/History	RE Music	Y2 Forest School	Computing PSHE
	Storytime	Storytime	Storytime	Storytime	Singing Assembly
3:30pm	Hometime	Hometime	Hometime	Hometime	Hometime



Weekly Timetable

- Monday and Tuesday is Miss Williams
- Wednesday, Thursday and Friday is Mrs Dunning
- Mrs Malkin is in school all week
- Mrs Pohlmann (student teacher) will be with Year 2 Mon-Weds predominantly
- Forest School is on Thursday
- PE is on a Friday



Trips and Visits

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Bringing the Curriculum In (Drop Down Days and Workshops) 	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values) European Day of Languages NumBots/TTRS Relaunch Day	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values) World Mental Health Day Christmas Jumper Day	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values) Coram Scarf Workshops (PSHE)	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values) World Book Day British Science Week Investigations	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values)	Wellbeing Wednesday (PSHE/RSE/values) World Environment Day Project
Taking the Curriculum Out (Educational Visits) 		Nantwich Museum – Great Fire of London (walk – payable visit) Wednesday 18th November 2026		Manchester Airport – Aviation and Transport (coach – payable visit) Wednesday 24th March 2027	Chester Zoo (coach – payable visit; subsidised by FOHS) Wednesday 26th May 2027	
Community Connection 	RSCPA (Stapeley Grange) - Animal Welfare Workshops	Nantwich Museum –Artefact Box Nantwich Fire Station/firefighter visit Nantwich Methodist Church visit Elf Run – St Luke’s Hospice Civic Hall - Pantomime (walk – funded by FOHS)	Nantwich Library visit	Keep Britain Tidy – Great British Spring Clean (local area) Local Link – Crewe Heritage Centre - Railways	Nantwich Cricket Club Cheshire Police – Cyber Sid – E-Safety Workshops	Supermarket Visit – Ingredients for DT Project
Parental Partnerships 	Meet The Teacher SEND Coffee Morning Pupil Premium Portfolios Prospective YR Parent Tours YR Early Reading Workshop Y1 Early Reading/PSC Workshop	Parents’ Evening APDR Week (SEND Support Plans) Prospective YR Parent Tours YR/KS1 Christmas Performance LKS2 Christmas Concert YN Stay and Play Big Read	Online Safety Workshop SEND Coffee Morning Pupil Premium Portfolios Y4 MTC Workshop Y6 SATs Workshop YN Stay and Play Big Read	Parents’ Evening APDR Week (SEND Support Plans) EAD/Art Exhibition or Project YN Stay and Play Big Read	SEND Coffee Morning Pupil Premium Portfolios YR-Y6 Learn and Lunch Summer Fair/Fun Day YN Stay and Play Big Read	End of Year Reports APDR Week (SEND Support Plans) Sports Day Y6 Leavers’ Assembly Family Picnic YN Stay and Play Big Read



Homework

- Reading every day is the most important part of home learning
- Year 2 children will bring home a decodable reading book and a book to enjoy with an adult

Year 2 onwards, pupils will be encouraged to use Times Table Rock Stars and Numbots

- We will continue to share a half-termly overview so families can explore topics further at home if you wish to



National Testing

Year 2 pupils complete KS1 SATs-style assessments provided by the Department for Education. These are carried out in a relaxed classroom setting and help us monitor progress.

In the summer term, children will complete:

- 2 Reading assessments
- 2 Maths assessments
- 1 Spelling assessment



Reading Books

- Children will take home a reading book each week
- Adults will change books on a Friday – linked to the phonics scheme
- Children will have access to the school library weekly to choose a book to enjoy with an adult at home



Before and After school care

Book via School Spider app

Before school care from 7.30am -
8.40am

Kidspace

After school care until 6pm.

English

During the first week of the half term, we will be reading the book **'The Kindest Red'** and linking our learning to our school value of **'respect'**. We will be exploring what respect means and the importance of treating everyone fairly.

We will then begin our Pathways to Poetry unit, exploring riddles and list poems. Children will develop their use of adventurous nouns, adjectives and verbs. We will learn how poets use repetition and structured language patterns.

After this, we will start our Pathways to Write unit based on **'Troll Swap'**. Children will develop the mastery keys of using capital letters and full stops correctly, expanded noun phrases, and the conjunctions 'and' and 'because'. They will apply these skills when creating descriptions and writing their own stories featuring two contrasting characters.

We are reading...



Maths

In maths, we will be following the **Power Maths (White Rose Maths Edition)** scheme. This half term, children will develop their understanding of numbers to 100 by exploring **place value**, representing and partitioning numbers into tens and ones, comparing and ordering numbers, and counting in steps of 2, 3, 5 and 10.

We will then begin our first **addition and subtraction** unit, where children will use number bonds and fact families, add and subtract ones and tens, explore number bonds to 100 and develop efficient mental calculation strategies such as making 10.

Phonics/Reading



The children are continuing to read books from the **Little Wandle Phonics programme**. These books are closely matched to each child's latest assessment to support their reading progress. Children will read in school three times each week, with sessions focusing on decoding, prosody (reading with expression) and comprehension. Books are changed on a Friday.

This half term, children will complete the Little Wandle Phase 5 Phonics Review programme. This review revisits previously taught Phase 5 graphemes and spelling patterns to strengthen children's fluency, accuracy and confidence in reading and spelling.

Once children have successfully completed their phonics review work, they will move on to Little Wandle Bridge to Spelling in Autumn 2, which supports the transition from phonics into spelling.

Forest School and PE

Forest School - Thursday (Miss Chambers)

PE - Friday (Mrs Dunning)

Children may come to school in their PE kits on both days.

PE kit consists of a red T-shirt; navy, black or grey shorts; leggings or jogging bottoms and black trainers. We encourage children in EYFS and KS1 to wear trainers without laces, unless they can tie them independently. For Forest School, please ensure arms and legs are

covered and provide a named pair of clothing for each child (at the beginning of the half term) to be kept in school.

All clothing and footwear should be clean and dry. Long hair must be tied back.

Earrings must be removed. If a child is unable to remove their earrings to school safely, they will be unable to take part in the sessions.

Other...

Reading at home is encouraged every day and should be recorded in your child's reading record. We would also encourage children to practise the Year 1/2 Common Exception Words regularly.

We recommend that children use **NumBots** to practise key number facts and **Times Table Rock Stars** to learn and practise their 2, 5 and 10 times tables, alongside the related division facts.

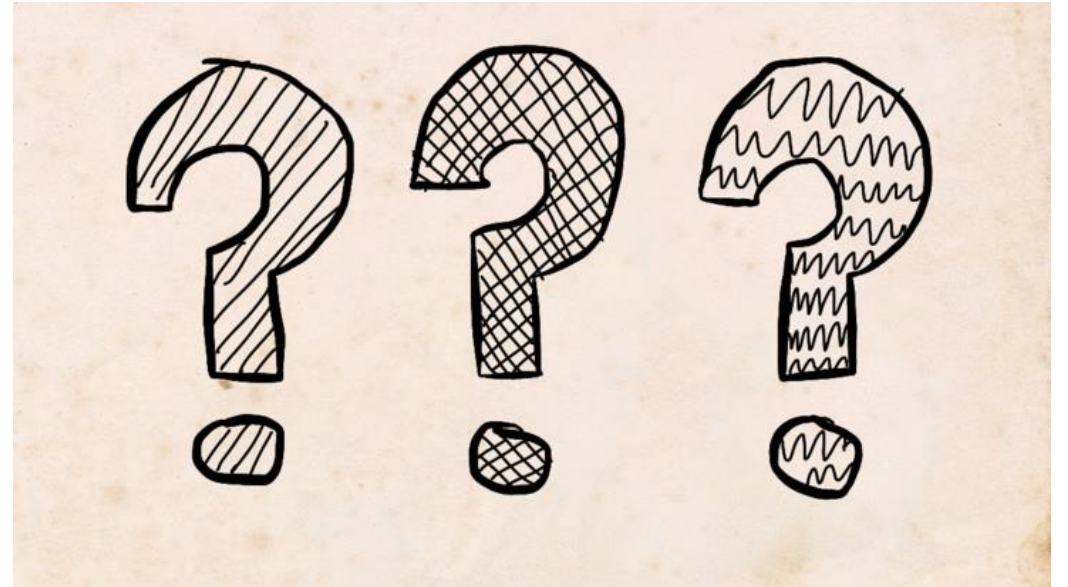
Our class website page contains our daily timetable, annual enrichment offer and details

of our school's activities. Please refer to the school website for more information.

For information about coverage in all other areas this half term, please refer to the long-term planning and progression documents in the 'Curriculum' section of the school website (under the relevant subject headings).

This half term's learning...

Any questions





Keeping in touch

If you need to speak to us, we can see parents before school, you just need to call the school office to arrange this beforehand.

Alternatively, you can catch me once all the children have left at 3:30pm.

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