

Information for Parents – Autumn Term (2) 2023

Class:	Year 2	Topic for this half term:	Glitter and Sparkle
Details about this half term's topic:	<p>Get ready for a glittery journey with our Year 2 stars! As we dive into the world of Glitter and Sparkle leading up to Christmas. From handmade sparkling Christmas cards to beautifully designed calendars, the classroom will be buzzing with festive energy.</p> <p>During Enterprise Week, our creative minds will explore product design, turning an everyday item into dazzling works of art, ready for sale at the Christmas Fayre.</p> <p>Exciting news! Year 2 is gearing up for 'Bethlehem Bake Off' Christmas play, featuring catchy songs and adorable performances. Get ready for a sprinkle of holiday joy and festive fun! Save the date for the sweetest celebration yet.</p>		
Days which PE kit will be needed:	P.E will be on a Tuesday. A Schoop will be sent if this changes for any reason.		
Days reading books will be sent home:	Friday - A reading book and a library book will be sent home on a Friday with a reading record book. Please can you listen to your child read and fill in the reading record with the title of the reading book and a comment about how your child has read. Return book bags and books every Monday please.		
Homework:	<p>A 'Homework Menu' can be found on Google Classroom with a selection of tasks for this half term. A copy is also provided for your child in their homework book</p> <p>In mathematics and numeracy we will be working on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ordinal numbers Adding and subtracting Near doubles Position and direction Comparing and measuring lengths using metres and centimetres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any practical activities to enhance this work would be appreciated. Numeracy tasks will also be set on 'Active Learn' for your child to complete. A Schoop will be sent out when a new screen has been set. 		

Any other
general
reminders:

Please can you ensure that your child has a drinks bottle with water daily, as well as a healthy snack for break time.

As the weather is getting colder, please ensure your child has a coat, hat and gloves.

Every Wednesday children in the Foundation Phase are able to wear non-uniform as Wednesdays will consist of exciting Wild Walks and Theme days, based on our current topic. Otherwise, please ensure that the appropriate school uniform and footwear is worn.

Book bags will be sent home every Friday; please return them to school the following Monday.

There will be no weekly formal test, but children will take part in peer assessment and spelling challenges.

Important Dates:

27th November - start of Enterprise week

1st December - Christmas Fayre

7th December - Christmas Jumper Day

12th December - Foundation Phase 'Bethlehem Bake off' evening performance

13th December - Foundation Phase 'Bethlehem Bake off' afternoon performance

18th December - Christmas Party!

21st December - St Edmund's Church Carol Service

If you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to ask.

Many thanks,

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