

Here is some information about Class 2 that we hope you will find useful:

Y1 children will follow the Y1 National Curriculum Programme of Study for English, Maths, SPaG / Phonics and will be differentiated to meet their needs (where needed).

Y2 children will follow the Y2 National Curriculum Programme of Study for English, Maths, SPaG and will be differentiated to meet their needs (where needed).

All children will follow the KS1 National Curriculum Programme of Study for non-core subjects.

Children in Y1 will be assessed in the summer term for their Phonics screening.

Children in Y2 will be assessed in the summer term in reading, writing, arithmetic and mathematical reasoning.

**Our Topics:**

England and Scotland - A comparison study.

Transport Old and New

Study of contrasting non-European country..

Human geography key human features - town, villages & settlements.

Event beyond living memory

Weather worldwide: Hot and cold regions of the world.

Life of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole

**Things to remember:**

Reading book and reading record - Every day  
Homework - Every Friday to be returned by the following Friday.

PE kit - Mondays and Wednesday

Spellings - Spelling list every Friday for (Y1) and every Monday (Y2) and children to be tested the following Friday.

**Homework activities:**

Reading - Every day

Spellings - Every day (Test day: Friday)

Homework - Friday for the following Friday

Reading books will be changed every Wednesday. We will give your child 2 books per week.

**Uniform:**

Please ensure your child wears the correct uniform each day - this includes correct PE kit, sensible hair styles and no jewellery.

**Rewards & Sanctions:**

Traffic lights / Good Behaviour Time

Weekly Certificates

Dojo Points / Prizes

**You can help your child by:**

- ✓ Hearing him/her read daily and talking about the characters / plot / favourite part/ predictions.
- ✓ Helping him/her to learn the weekly spellings
- ✓ Encouraging him/her to complete homework activities
- ✓ Visits to the library to develop reading for pleasure
- ✓ Count in 2, 5 and 10s.
- ✓ Researching information on our main topics (see above)
- ✓ Making sure he/she gets a good night's sleep

Please feel free to come and talk to us if you ever have any questions or concerns, or if ever you would like to discuss teaching methods that you may not be familiar with or you are unsure about.

We look forward to a happy and successful year working with you and your child.

Best Wishes  
Miss McLaughlin