

# WELCOME TO SUMMER TERM YEAR 2!

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## YEAR 2 PUPILS

During your time in Year 2, we expect you to:

- ◆ Always put in 100% effort.
- ◆ Aim to have 100% attendance (research shows that there is a direct link between Level 1 and 2 SATs results and extremely high attendance!).
- ◆ Be kind and considerate to everyone.
- ◆ Do your homework to a high standard - homework will be given out every **TUESDAY** and must be returned the following **TUESDAY**.
- ◆ Read regularly to an adult at home.
- ◆ Practise your spellings.
- ◆ Look after your own things.
- ◆ Make sure you wear the correct uniform with the appropriate footwear.
- ◆ Bring your PE kit in on **FRIDAYS**.

*We will be learning...*

## LITERACY

The children will be entering the wonderful world of pirates. They will be writing a narrative story based on pirates as well as using the theme to write a persuasive advert to hire a pirate. This will then be followed up with an instruction manual on 'How to be a good Pirate'.

We hope to visit a local museum to learn more about pirates.



## NUMERACY

During our math's lessons, we will be focusing on using the four operations to solve word problems as well as weekly investigations. We will be measuring weight, length and capacity through practical activities. Each Friday there will be a mental math's test.



## TOPIC

Our Geography focus this term is Coastal Alaska, we will be learning to use geographical skills like map reading, identifying features of the landscape and weather and comparing this to their local area.

In Science we will focus on habitats. The children will identify different habitats and research into different micro habitats and write a report about this.



**Computing** We will be learning how to program robots and use simple algorithms to solve problems.

**Music** Children will continue to participate in weekly singing assemblies and develop their drumming skills with an experienced musician. We hope to perform to the school.

**RE** This term we will be learning about Judaism and hope to visit a synagogue. We will also be learning about key symbols of faith in Christianity and Islam.

**PSHE** Children will be exploring the topic of 'Me and looking after myself'. They will be exploring their daily routines and how to stay healthy.

**ART & D.T.** We will have artists coming in to work with the children on developing their Art and DT skills. They will produce a final piece of work for display.

**P.E.** This term we will be teaching dance and developing athletic skills.

**CLUBS** Year 2 will be running a number of clubs this term including arts and crafts, Numicon (maths) and MADD club (Music, Art, Dance and Drama). Clubs run from 3:20 - 4:20pm. **If your child is chosen for a club, please ensure they attend every week.**

# Trips planned...

Year 2 hope to take the children on a marble treat! We will also be taking the children to Greenwich Maritime Museum to learn more about pirates to support their writing in literacy.



We will also take a trip to the West London Synagogue to learn more about Judaism.



If you have any questions, we are always happy to listen, so please just pop in and book a time to chat!

## Things you will need in Year 2...

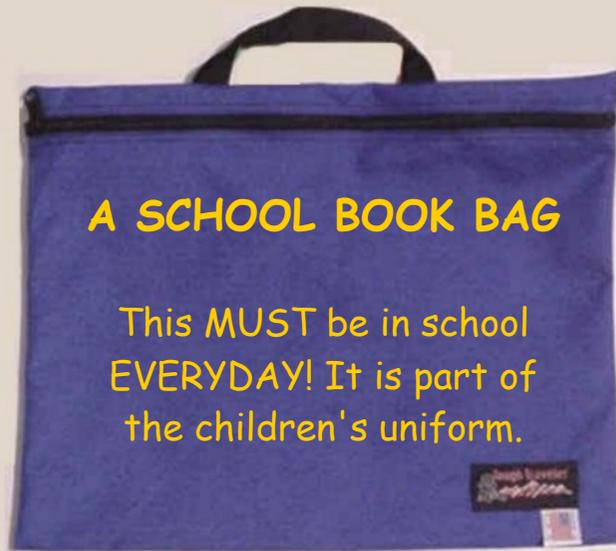


### SCHOOL SHOES

Plimsolls or lace-ups. Trainers can be worn, as long as they are **completely** black.

### P.E. KIT

Black shorts, a white T-shirt, plimsolls or trainers, labelled and in a small bag.



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COOK

MRS KEMP

Please **remember** to label everything with your name - especially sweatshirts, PE kits and coats!



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