



Uphall

Year 2 Autumn 2 Term Newsletter

Year 2



Our team . . .

Teachers: Mrs. Duggan, Ms. Kasim, Ms. Morgan, Ms. Saeed, Mr. William-Manners, Ms. Lydia, Ms. Begum

Learning Coaches:

Ms. Bushra, Miss. Elena, Ms. Lorraine, Ms. Patel, Ms. Kauser, Ms. Najla, Ms. Musa,

Remember – you don't need to wait until Parents' Evenings to talk to your child's class teacher. Messages or information can be shared when you drop off / collect your child. If you need a longer conversation, please make an appointment.

Reminders

- Please ensure ALL of your child's belongings are labelled with their name. It is your child's responsibility to keep their belongings safe.
- Remember school gates open at 8:40am – don't be late!!
- Pupils may bring a bottle of water to drink during the day.
- Please make sure your child is wearing the correct uniform for this term.
- Jewellery must not be worn at school except for stud earrings which must be removed or covered with plasters for P.E.

Dear Parents and Carers,

We come back together to continue to deepen our learning this term with a new text, Fox by Margaret Wild. This rich text will stimulate the children's imagination and we hope inspire their writing and vocabulary.

This term we would like parents and carers to support your child in year 2 by being encouraging alongside them when completing their weekly homework. Please do try to read with your child every day and sign their reading record.

Thank you – Year 2 Team



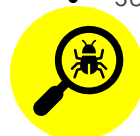
English

- To write for different purposes.
- To ask and answer questions.
- To make predictions
- To make inferences
- To plan and organise writing.



Maths- Addition and Subtraction

- Using bonds to 10 to solve problems efficiently
- Fact families 20 and Bonds to 100.
- Add and subtract 1/ add by making 10.
- Subtract across 10 / subtract from a 10.



Science

- To name adult animals and offspring
- To explain how to take care of an animal
- To explain the lifecycle of an animal
- To sort animals based on features



History

The Great Fire of London:

- To develop an awareness of the past.
- To identify similarities and differences to past and present.
- To compare past and present London.
- To understand key events beyond living memory



RHE

- To explore what an active lifestyle looks like.
- To know what a healthy diet can include.
- To know what emergency services are and when to use them



Physical Education (PE)

Monday: 2 Kasim, 2 Duggan & 2 Morgan

Tuesday: All Classes for outdoor PE

Wednesday: 2 Saeed & 2 William-Manners

Homework Expectations

Reading daily 15 minutes

Weekly Homework Maths and Writing.

Homework sent out on Friday and returned on Tuesday.



Please only keep your child at home if s/he is very unwell. If s/he just has a mild cough or a blocked nose, there is no reason to stay at home

Please remember, every day consists of 8 lessons which your child is missing if they are not in school. They will very quickly fall behind.



Author Visit -Christopher Duke: Monday 13th November 2023

Children in Need: Friday 17th November 2023

Anti-Bullying Week: 13th-17th November 2023

Term break: 20th December 2023 – 4th January 2024

Helpful Websites:

English -BBC Small Town Superheroes: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zd63xyc/articles/zncgvk7>

English -BBC Super Movers: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/super movers/ks1-english-collection/zjsghbk>

Maths -BBC Super Movers: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/super movers/ks1-maths-collection/z6v4scw>

Maths - Top Marks Math Games: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16&AgeGroup=2>

Reading - Storyline: <https://storylineonline.net/>

Reading - Oxford Owl: <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>



Family Time Tips!

CREATE A FAMILY COOKBOOK

Make a collection of family recipes that are close to your heart. This is also a great time to get your kids in the kitchen!



PRACTICE YOGA

The benefits of yoga are countless, helping reduce stress and improve sleep.



Uphall Uniform



Available to buy, every other Thursday after school in the P.E hall