Uphall

Year 2 Autumn 2 Term Newsletter

Year 2





Our team . . .

Teachers: Ms. Hussain, Ms. Saeed, Mr. Rahman, Miss Musiu

Learning Coaches:
Ms. Shaista, Ms. Hafsa, Ms. Katie, Ms. Iffat, Ms. Neelam

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, How to make a crazy cake! This rich text will stimulate the children's imagination and we hope to 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 identify the basic needs of animals.
- To name adult animals and offspring.
- To explain how to take care of an animal.
- To explain the lifecycle of an animal.

Humanities

Geography / History

- To locate the equator on a world map.
- To understand why the Great Fire of London led to a significant change.
- To compare the UK to Kenya.
- To present my historical findings.
- To investigate local weather conditions.



Physical Education (PE)

Monday: 2MU and 2HU- indoor

Wednesday: All Classes for outdoor PE

Thursday: 2SA and 2RA- indoor

Homework Expectations

Reading daily 15 minutes

Weekly Homework Maths / Writing / Spelling

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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Anti-Bullying Week: 16th to 20Th November 2026

Children in Need: Spots & Dots non unfirm Friday 13th November 2026

Remembrance Day: Wednesday 11th November 2026

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/supermovers/ks1-english-collection/zjsghbk

Maths -BBC Super Movers: https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/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!





Uphall Uniform



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