

Year 2 Autumn Newsletter

Dear Parents,

We hope you all had a wonderful summer break. Following our enjoyable start to the year, all the children have shown such maturity in adapting to their new circumstances and we are very excited to see them grow throughout the year.

This term we will be starting some exciting new topics.

English – In English we will begin with a SPaG unit focussing on grammar and spelling. We will then write a non-chronological report about 'The Great Fire of London'.



Maths – We will start the term by recapping some key concepts in place value before moving on to addition and subtraction. Shape will also be taught later on in the term.

Science – Animals & Humans



History – The Great Fire of London



Art – Drawing



PE – Gymnastics



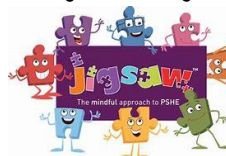
Computing – Computer Skills



RE – Nature and God



PSHE – Being Me in My World



Music – Hands, Feet, Heart



Important information

This term **PE** will take place on a **Monday**. Please send your child to school in their school PE kits with long hair tied back and jewellery removed.

Forest Time will take place on **Thursdays**. Please send your child to school in suitable dark coloured long sleeves and long trousers with an appropriate coat and footwear.

Children will be tested and receive new **spellings** every **Friday**.

Thank you for all the continued support you give us.

From

Mr & Mrs Tinsley (Cherry)

and

Mrs Edmonds & Mr Lander (Cedar).

Home Support

To support progression in **reading**, it is expected that children read at home at least three times a week. You may also wish to support your child with **handwriting** practise and formation of numbers. *Kinetic Letters* resources will be available on the school class page.

If you would like to support your child with **maths** at home, *Numbots* and *White Rose* are useful resources. You can download these apps for free and you will find your child's login for *Numbots* in their reading record book.



Important Dates:

Half term holiday – Monday 30th
October to 3rd November.

Break up for Christmas – Thursday
21st December.

Return to school – Monday 8th
January 2024.

