Ways you can support your child

- Reading to them and listening to them read, and encourage expression for different characters. Stop at the punctuation and ask them questions about what they have read, do they understand it? Jot it in their Reading Record and add a comment!
- Look at their homework, it is fine to help them, just please let us know if they have found it hard and how much help they have had.

Useful websites/apps

Www.oxfordowl.co.uk/parent

Help for Maths and games too!

www.mathsisfun.com

http://www.topmarks.co.uk/mathsgames/hit-the-button Fun ways to practise times tables

If you have any **questions** or **concerns**, please do not hesitate to **speak to a member of staff**, and we will try our best to help you.

Year 2 is such an important year!

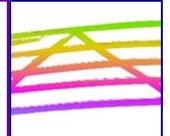
Parents, please support with homework, reading and attendance! Thank you

YEAR 2

TERMLY NEWS!

Summer Term

Parents, here is your chance to read all about what your child will be learning in this upcoming term.



Staff

2B—Class teacher -Mrs Newbold

2B—Teaching assistants- Mrs Milbourne/Mrs Curley

2E—Class teacher—Mr Ellis

2E—Teaching assistant— Mrs Holland/Mrs Patel

Reminder: Doors open at 8.45am. Children should be at school by **8.55am** at the lower door on the Key Stage 1 playground. They need to be collected at **3.20pm** from the same place.

Uniform

Please make sure <u>all</u> your child's clothes have their <u>name</u> clearly labelled! Please ensure that it is the CORRECT uniform and that **NO TRAINERS** are worn to school.

Home Learning

Home Learning is given out on a <u>Friday</u> and we ask for it to be returned on a <u>Wednesday</u>. <u>Please support your child in completing this— it is SO important!</u>

THIS TERM'S TOPIC OVERVIEW:

Children will be reading and learning about

Gardens (plants, life cycles, growing).

They will be looking at Giuseppe Arcimboldo artwork styles. They will be aware of seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK.

<u>Science</u> Our topic this term will be Living Things and Their Habitats leading onto Plants.

Children will discuss animal adaptations and where they live. They will also observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow.

PE is on Tuesday and Friday

Children must bring in their PE kit on a Monday and can take it home on a Friday if they wish to.
Friday's lesson will take place outside so please ensure your child has a warm jacket or tracksuit.
Please label all their kit and place it in a labelled bag.

English: Writing & Reading

This term, our writing will focus around books related to gardens. Children will have the opportunity to read and write about fiction texts. They will look closely at descriptive language within texts.

Library – Just a reminder that 2B visit the library on Wednesday and 2E on Friday. Please ensure your child returns their library book weekly, so they can choose another one.

In **SPAG**, we will look at

- Capital letters and full stops
- Nouns To extend noun phrases
- Conjunctions—and, but, because
- Suffixes- adding ing, ed and es/s to words
- Adjectives—To describe settings from a story

Maths: We will be looking at



- Addition
- Subtraction
- Time
 - Mass and Capacity
- Problem solving
- Times tables 2x, 5x and 10x