



RAWMARSH ASHWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

CLASS 2 — AUTUMN 1 NEWSLETTER



Hello everyone!

We hope you've all had a wonderful summer break and enjoyed some well-deserved family time in the sunshine.

September has arrived and a new year has begun, I'm so excited to get to know your wonderful children and start our learning journey together. I know how kind; hardworking and brilliant they are.

During these first few weeks, we will be ensuring that your child settles into year 2; getting used to the new routines and expectations and getting to grips with the curriculum.

In year 2 children will continue to build on their academic skills, and also their attitude to learning, resilience and a whole other host of skills and attributes that make them part of the Ashwood team.

If you have any questions about any aspect of school life, please feel free to contact either myself or Mrs Clarkson and we will get back to you as soon as possible. However, please be aware that during teaching hours we will not respond to dojo messages.

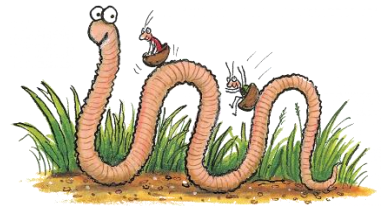
Best Wishes,
Miss Lapping & Mrs Clarkson



CLASS NEWS



English: Our English learning will be linked to, and driven by, our class texts. These will be Biscuit Bear, Superworm and The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark. Phonics is a key part of children becoming confident and capable writers. We will be continuing to recap our phonics knowledge throughout autumn term.



Reading: In reading the children will be working on the key reading domains taught in KS1 these are; vocabulary, prediction, inference, sequencing and retrieval. We will do this through various books and texts. Children should read at least 3 times a week at home and this should be recorded in reading diaries. I'd love to hear about your current favourite reads at home. 😊

Maths: In maths this half term, we will focus on place value. This includes:

- Counting in steps of 2, 3, and 5 from 0, and in 10s from any number, forward and backward
- Recognising the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (10s, 1s)
- Comparing and order numbers from 0 up to 100; use <, > and = signs
- Reading and writing numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words
- Using place value and number facts to solve problems.

PSHE: Being Me

Art: Linda Lang & Katsushika Hokusai

History: Castles

Geography: Rotherham

Science: Living Things Humans – Growth & Reproduction

RE: Christianity

Computing: Programming

PE— Ball Skills





HOME LEARNING

Homework: A menu of learning will be sent out with 6 weeks' worth of learning, children can pick and choose which activity they would like to do. Homework is to be handed in on Thursday.

Reading: Please can read 3 times a week with your children. If children read 3 times a week they will be a 'Rocket Reader and will choose a reward to have on a Friday lunchtime, this could be time on a chrome book, time in the reading area or to take a book home from our class library.

Spellings: These will be glued into children's reading diaries on a Friday – children will Then have a quick test on a Thursday and new spellings sent out the following day

Class 2 Key Dates

PE days: Every Tuesday & Friday

Thursday: Homework due in.

Friday: New spellings go out



Marvellous Moments!

Whether your child loves to bake, has achieved an award in swimming or learnt to tie their shoe laces— we want to know so that we can share in their 'Marvellous Moments'.

Please send any pictures or comments through Class Dojo and we look forward to celebrating these special moments with the children.

Other Key Dates

September - Careers in English Month

11th September - Jenny York author visit

18th September - School Council elections

25th September - Parents storytelling event

28th September - Gail Jones author visit

29th September - Macmillan coffee morning

October- Careers in History Month

3rd October - INSET Day – Parent Consultations

23rd October - Half Term Holidays

30th October - Back to school



SAFEGUARDING LEADS AT RAWMARSH

ASHWOOD ARE:

Miss Roper - Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs Smith – Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs Sharp – Safeguarding Officer

Remember to keep an eye on the school website, Class Dojo and follow us on social media to keep up-to-date with the latest events and information.