

Year 2 Newsletter



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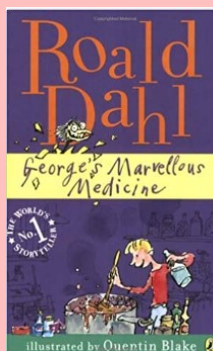


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Dear Families,

Our children have made a positive start to year 2, making new friends, recapping learning from year one and addressing new learning areas. We have a fun and exciting half-term planned. The children will be learning about a range of subjects, including **History** - The Romans, **Art** - Exploring colour in paintings and sculpture, **Science** - Human body, **Design & Technology** - Designing and building a Ferris Wheel.

English - Our class text is ***George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl***. We are learning an extract from the book for Talk4Writing and making up actions to help us remember it. In this unit, we will be consolidating how to use full stops and capital letters consistently and correctly, focusing on spelling common exception words and learning to use expanded noun phrases to enhance the descriptions in our writing. Our non-fiction writing for this term is instructional writing, where we will be inventing our marvellous medicines.



Maths - We start this term with place value, consolidating our understanding of tens and ones, and learning how to identify and manipulate them. We are also developing our skills to read and write numbers as words to 100. Once we have completed this unit, we will take our understanding of place value and apply it to addition and subtraction. Using numbers to 100 and cross 10.

Year 2 Team

Important Dates

19/9/22 Public Holiday
(Academy Closed)

28/9/22 and 29/9/22—parents
evenings

29/9/22—Macmillan coffee
morning

30/9/22—individual photographs

Home Learning

Spellings are weekly. It is better to practise all week to help embed them in to long term memory

Reading - 3 x a week at home.
Please record your reading in your reading record.

Maths - consolidation of key skills taught weekly

Home Reading Challenge

If your child reads 25+ times this half term they will receive a special bookmark. The child who reads the most at home in each class will receive a star reader badge which can be worn everyday at school and have their photo on display to celebrate this achievement.

PE

This half term we will be focusing on traveling in different ways and working within a team.

PE will be on **Monday** for **Mrs Ellis /Mrs Ewens** class and **Friday** for **Mrs Purvis / Mrs Hall class**. Please come into school in your kit.

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