

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you all had a lovely Easter break. This term we are going to be learning all about the circus and entertainment. We have asked the children what they know and what they want to find out and have based this term's learning journey on their ideas. Please look at the enquiry section of the website 'Wonderings' to see what we will be answering throughout the summer term. Don't forget to check the website during the term for regular updates photos/videos, children's work, and learning logs. In addition to this please keep using Class Dojo to upload and post your children's learning at home.

PE

PE will continue to be on set days but we ask you to please ensure all children have their PE kit in all week in case other opportunities arise during the week. Our games PE session will be outside; due to the unpredictable weather please make sure that a sweatshirt and tracksuit bottoms are in the bag at all times. To make sure no one misplaces their clothes, can we ask that your child's name is visible on the labels, (including jumpers and cardigans) as last term we had lots of lost property.

Reading

As a class we will visit the library regularly during the week. During this time children have access to a range of books and can change their books as frequently as they wish. Please remind your children if they need to change their books as they have the opportunity almost daily. Reading is very important, please hear your child read as often as possible, this could be their school books or any reading material you have at home e.g. stories, magazines, puzzles, information books etc. Please record this in their books so we can see all their hard work.

Homework/Spellings

Homework will be sent out at the beginning of term with the due date on the top of the sheet. Spellings will be given out on a Tuesday to be tested the following Tuesday.

SATs

Due to all of the changes throughout this year the children do not have to sit their end of KS1 SATs. However, we are still required to make a judgement about the children's attainment in reading, writing, maths and science. Therefore, we will be completing assessments throughout Term 5 & 6 to inform our judgements which will be sent home on the end of year reports. Children who did not meet the expected standard in the Y1 Phonics Screening will also retake this at the end of the year.

Communication

We are available before or after school on most days if you wish to come and see us for any particular reason. Alternatively, you can leave a message in the home/school contact books and give it to us in the morning and we will respond as soon as possible.

Thank you for you continuing support.

The Year 2 team