

YEAR 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and your family had a restful Christmas break and are excited to be back for another term! Here you will find all the important information for the Spring Term and advance notice of other important events later in the year.

I look forward to another amazing term together. Miss Greenhalgh

Reading

Children should be reading every day at home, either with an adult or independently. In Year 2 children are starting to become responsible for changing their own reading books so please remember to bring them into school.

Homework

Children should complete one page of the Mental Maths book each week and hand this in on a Tuesday morning. They will bring these books home on Friday.

In addition there will be spellings for children to learn each week for a quiz on Thursdays. Spellings will be posted on Class Dojo on Thursdays.

PE

Please ensure your child has the correct PE uniform; a named Bolshaw t-shirt, shorts and trainers. During the winter months jogging bottoms will be needed.

Gymnastics will be on Tuesday and Outdoor PE on a Thursday.

Key Dates:

Friday 14th February – End of Half Term

Monday 24th February – Start of Spring Term 2

24th & 26th March – Parents' Evening

Thursday 26th March (AM) – Hursthead Music Festival

Friday 3rd April – End of Term



Subject	Dragons, Knights and Princesses (Castles) Enchanted Woodland (Eco)
Reading	Phase 5 and 6 phonics. Sequencing events in stories. Understanding what the question is asking.
Writing	Beating the Monster Story. Information fact files.
Maths	Statistics, multiplication and division, shape, measures.
Science	Testing different materials. Life cycles and plants.
Computing	Animation, Mr Wolf. App for telling the time. Using Pic collage to showcase our work.
History	The battle of Hastings and why castles were built. Greta Thunberg's conservation work (History within living memory)
Geography	Countries and Capital Cities of the UK. Weather and basic map reading.
Art	Andy Goldsworthy, sculpture
P.E.	Gymnastics and outdoor PE (MCFC)
PSHE	What makes us special and unique. Working as a class family.
Technology	Designing and testing our own tunics.
Music	Singing songs, chants and rhymes. Listening to and appraising a range of recorded music.
R.E.	Easter/Christianity