

Topic

Our topic work this term will focus on space. We will be looking at adventures in space and hopefully connecting with Tim Peake.

We will also be trying out some scientific experiments and testing predictions to find out what might happen.

Reminder!

PE is currently on Monday's and Friday's this term. Long hair must be tied back and no earrings should be worn.

Please ensure PE kit is at school all week as we do have other activities which will require PE Kit throughout the week.

Please ensure all clothing and PE bags are clearly labelled and children need to bring a warm coat to school every day.

A little book
of things to
work on at
home

Year 2

Name.....

Mathematics

In the new term we will introduce the 3x tables and continue our learning of 2s, 5s, and 10s. We are going to look at different strategies for adding and subtracting larger numbers as well as revisiting division. We will also focus on some aspects of shapes, spaces and measures.

Please encourage multiplication as much as possible. Use TT Rockstars to practise 2, 5, 10 times tables and see how much they can increase their rock status. New challenges and battles will be set over the term.

They will take part in a weekly times table Olympic challenge and will receive certificates as they move through the Olympic stages.

Telling the time is a key skill for children and we would appreciate if you could use opportunities to discuss the time and ask children to tell the time in everyday situations.

Mymaths homework, Spelling Shed and TT Rockstar challenges will be set every week.



English

Our topic this half term is Adventures in Space. We will read a selection of space based texts and think about fiction and non-fiction writing. We may even create our own space adventure.

What do you know about space?
space story?



Reading

Please ensure you bring your book to school every day. We will read 1:1 at least once a week and children are encouraged to change their reading book as required.

It is important that children experience a wide range of texts. Please try to read to your child as often as possible even when they are fluent readers. Our focus is on fluency and understanding of the texts. Can you talk about the different vocabulary in the different books you read? What do those words mean? Try re-reading younger books as this will give your child more confidence.

