

Term 1 in Year 2

Welcome back! It is so exciting to have a full classroom again after such a long time! I am aware that some of the children have not been in school for a long time and may have anxieties about returning. We will ensure the children have time to settle into their new routines, as well as revisiting previous learning from year 1. This term we welcome Miss Hampton, who will be supporting year 2 throughout the week.

We are also launching our new curriculum this year. During the autumn terms, across the school, our cross curricular topic is **Protecting Planet Earth**. In year 2 we will be answering the question, 'Why are sharks precious?'

This term's subject focus...

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| English | Description, instructions |
| Maths | Place value, addition and subtraction |
| Science | Living things and their habitats |
| Music | Tempo |
| Jigsaw (PSHE) | Coronavirus recovery curriculum |
| PE | Basketball |
| RE | Creation - who made the world? |
| DT | Moving picture books |

Reading

Please listen to your child read at home **at least 4 times a week**. Please remember to write in your child's reading record to indicate when they have read to you and when they have finished reading a book from school. Books will be changed on a **Wednesday**. We encourage the children to take responsibility for handing in their reading books to be changed each week.

Homework

Homework will be set on a **Monday**. This will consist of spellings to learn and times tables practise on Times Tables Rock Stars. The children will be tested on their spellings on a **Friday**.

PE

Our PE sessions this term will be on **Wednesdays**. This year we are asking the children to come into school in their PE kits.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

Thank you for your support,

Miss Marriott