



CLASS 2 NEWS

January 2023

Dream, Believe, Learn and Achieve...

This half term looks amazing!

We will be exploring lots of exciting topics this half term.

English

This term, we will be writing letters whilst looking into the theme of our world and the environment. We will also look again at story writing within this theme. We will consolidate our learning on using full stops and capital letters and also learn about question marks and exclamation marks. We will keep using our speaking and listening skills to help us to say a sentence before we write it. We are continuing to read decodable books from Little Wandle, appropriate to our phonic level, and to practise key sounds and tricky words.

Maths

We will return to place value whilst looking at and counting to numbers up to 20. We will then move on to addition and subtraction within or up to 20, using similar strategies from our last unit, such as part-whole models and number lines.

We will also continue with learning quick 'Mastering Number' strategies in the afternoon.

RE

We will learn about the religion of Hinduism and explore the beliefs and customs of Hindus.

Science

This half term we will begin our topic on Materials. We will learn about a variety of different everyday materials, (e.g. wood or glass, etc.) and which objects may be made from them. We will also explore and compare the simple properties of materials and how that affects the way in which they can be used.

History

We will be delving into some exciting key events in history, such as the the great fire of London and the plague. We will also explore the moon landing and the lives of both Neil Armstrong and the explorer Christopher Columbus.

ICT

We will complete our Purple Mash unit on pictograms, and then begin looking at Lego builders and maze explorers.

Art

This half term, we will be using simple print making and exploring how to use watercolours.

SMSC/PSHE

We will be learning about dreams and goals and how these can inspire us to try our very best for the future.

PE

We had to switch around gymnastics and dance last half term. Therefore, we will now move onto dance and explore the use of space, direction, level and speed and mirroring. On Thursdays, we will be continuing our unit on 'send and return' before moving onto 'attack, defend and shoot'.

Welly Wednesdays

We will enjoy getting back outside for forest activities this term.

Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Williams and Mrs Henry



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Spring Term 1

PE days –

Mondays / Tuesdays – TBC
(please bring PE kits for
both days until
confirmed)

Thursdays

**Reading Journals & Book
Change – checked on
Thursdays**

**Spellings - Tested on
Fridays.**

**Welly Wednesday -
Wednesdays**

EVENTS

**Back to school
Wednesday 4th January**