

Year 2 News

Upcoming Events

The seaside will be coming to Diamond Wood on the 15th July 2021! We will send you further details nearer the time.

We will be preparing the children for their transition to junior school and saying goodbye to Diamond Wood.

Reminders

Now that the weather is getting warmer, please ensure that your child has a water bottle in school at all times.

This half-term, we will be completing our P.E. lessons **outside**. Your child must have their outdoor P.E. kit in school at all times.

This term we are learning...

This half-term, Year 2 will be learning all about the **seaside**. We will be learning about the history of the British seaside and in Geography lessons we will find out about many of the geographical features that we would expect to find there, such as the coast, cliffs, harbours and the beach. In P.E. we will be learning Gymnastics, as well as a range of skills in Athletics, to prepare us for Sports Week (Week Commencing Monday 26th June). In science we will learn all about food chains.

Phonics

In Phonics the children will continue to work with their class teacher on the different sounds and words from each of the Phonics phases. Information about the different sounds and words taught each week, will be on your child's weekly homework sheet. Please see these for more details.

English

In English this half-term we will be reading 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch' by Ronda Armitage. The children will be using the story to create their own adventures for Mr and Mrs Grinling, as well as writing a postcard in the first person. They will also learn about alliterative poetry, before writing a letter to their new teacher at the Junior School to introduce themselves.

Maths

In Maths we will be learning to solve worded problems. We will be re-capping key skills we have learnt in maths, such as counting money and telling the time, to ensure that we are ready to start Year 3. Whilst we are not specifically focussing on addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, please make sure your child continues to use these skills at home.