



Summer 1 Term

Year 2 News

Upcoming Events

SATS Week – W/C 16th May

Reminders

Please ensure your child completes their homework and brings it back to school before **Wednesday** the following week.

All children need to bring their book bag, coats and a water bottle to school every day.

Ensure your child attends school on time everyday and gets enough rest and sleep at home.

This term we are learning...

This half term is an extremely important time in Year 2, as the children will be completing their SATs Assessment Papers during the month of May. The children will be spending time before the assessments preparing and re-visiting learning from throughout the year. We encourage all children to go to bed at a reasonable time, get plenty of sleep and are in school everyday on time. After SATs, Year 2 will be learning all about the famous author **Roald Dahl** and reading “James and the Giant Peach”. We will be linking this to our science work on mini-beasts, where we will be finding out about different insects, their habitats and life-cycles. In art, we will be using clay to make mini-beast sculptures.

English

Our English lessons will focus upon “James and the Giant Peach”, writing our own story about James’ journey, using KS1 writing skills. We will also be writing instructions for how to make a Peach Smoothie before finally writing a biography all about Roald Dahl.

Maths

In Maths, we will be re-capping our learning on addition and subtraction, including problem solving. Also, we will be learning how to solve fraction problems, as well as looking at time and statistics. Please support your child to use these methods at home.

Phonics

In Phonics the children will continue to learn the different sounds letters make and use these to read words. The children will also read books linked to their phonics ability and answer questions about what they have read. Information has been sent home explaining which phonics group your child is in and how you can help them at home.

