



# Year 2 Newsletter – Term 1

## Welcome to Year 2!

We have had a lovely couple of weeks getting to know all the children. We are so proud of how well they have settled into the routines in their new classes.

Just a reminder that children need to bring a water bottle to school every day and that no toys should be brought into school. Please can we ask that uniform and coats are clearly named.

Any questions, please ask.

Mrs Jones, Mrs Kerbey and Mr Trevallion



## PE

PE days are as follows:

**Goldfinch Class** – Monday and Wednesday

**Starling Class** – Monday and Thursday



Children are to come to school wearing their PE kits. Please ensure earrings are removed, children are able to remove them or they are covered with tape.



## Reading Around the World

This term our topic focussing on texts from around the world. In Maths we will be focussing on the basics of number and understanding the place value of digits in two digit numbers before moving on to addition and subtraction. We will be naming and locating the countries of the UK and exploring using maps and atlases. In Science we will be learning about the basic needs of humans.

## Home Learning

Children should be heard reading **aloud** every day and books should be brought to school every day.

Reading books will be changed when they have been read twice and this has been noted in their reading record.

Children are encouraged to play on Numbots regularly, little and often is most effective.



Children need to be able to spell/ read the first 100 high frequency words. Please practise these at home by reading and spelling them aloud.

## First 100 High Frequency Words

*in frequency order reading down the columns*

the	that	not	look	put
and	with	then	don't	could
a	all	were	come	house
to	we	go	will	old
said	can	little	into	too
in	are	as	back	by
he	up	no	from	day
I	had	mum	children	made
of	my	one	him	time
it	her	them	Mr	I'm
was	what	do	get	if
you	there	me	just	help
they	out	down	now	Mrs
on	this	dad	came	called
she	have	big	oh	here
is	went	when	about	off
for	be	it's	got	asked
at	like	see	their	saw
his	some	looked	people	make
but	so	very	your	an