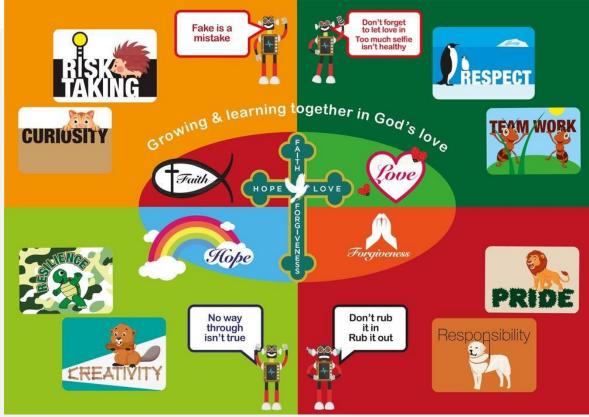
St Mark's Primary School



Year 2 Key Messages

Thursday 19th September



THE YEAR 2 TEAM

Teachers

Mrs Carter/Mrs Lee 2CL Miss Burgess 2B Miss Guyatt 2G

Other adults who support in Year 2: **Mrs Rogers** Mrs Codd **Mrs Southwell Miss Seaborn Miss Williams Mrs Khatkar Mrs Carrier Mr Morse Mrs Church Mrs Martin**

Mrs Edwards



A TYPICAL DAY IN YEAR 2

Early morning work

Worship

Phonics

Times-tables/ Flashback maths

Maths

Playtime

Handwriting/ Groovy Grammar

English

Lunchtime

Number Sense

Topic/Science/PE

Class reader



Year 2 Projects

Autumn 1 – Beauty on my Doorstep Autumn 2 – Fire Fire!

Spring 1 – Healthy me, Happy me! Spring 2 – Amazing me in the UK!

Summer 1 – Terrific Tanzania Summer 2 – The Great Outdoors



Autumn 1 – Beauty on my Doorstep

Maths this term will focus on place value. Children will develop their knowledge of tens and ones. By using practical resources, we will represent, compare and order numbers to 100. Once we are secure in our knowledge of place value, we will move on to addition and subtraction and explore strategies to solve these calculations including apparatus, number lines and partitioning.

In Science, we will identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses. We will find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. Our work will offer opportunities for investigation and the chance to develop the skills of exploration and observation. Lessons will be practical, enabling us to test theories and find things out for ourselves.

Our <u>PE</u> will be on a **Friday** this term. We will be developing our team-building skills and working on our balance and coordination skills.

We will also be having forest school;

2G Tuesday, 2CL Wednesday, 2B Thursday.

During our Heartsmart/PSHE, we will explore the idea of 'Getting Heartsmart'. We will learn about our school and class rules and how we can work together as a team.

In Year 2 this term, our project is

'Beauty on my Doorstep'



We will explore the big question,

'How is Basingstoke a place of wonder?'

Through our **English**, we will be looking at alternative versions of traditional tales. We will be using 'The Write Stuff' approach to develop our language, vocabulary and storytelling skills to create our own versions of the stories. We will also be writing our own recounts based on a local walk we take as part of our geography learning.

Phonics and reading will continue to be a focus this year, as we develop our fluency. We will also focus on developing our handwriting to begin joining our letters.



Our **RE** will look at how people can change to make better choices, showing the beauty within. We will explore how Zacchaeus changed and what this means to some Christians today.

In D&T, we will use running stitch to sew two pieces of fabric together to make a glove puppet. As a link with our work in English we will make puppets of story characters.

In **Computing**, we will learn what a computer is, identifying and learning how inputs and outputs work, how computers are used in the wider world and designing our own computerised invention.

In Geography, we will explore our local environment and think about the beauty and geography of our local area. We will complete fieldwork tasks and begin to develop our map skills, looking for human and physical features. We will consider the countries, capital cities and landmarks of the UK and locate places on maps. We will also begin a study of weather patterns which we will revisit across the year.

In **Music** our theme is "The British Isles" and we will create soundscapes based on the seaside, countryside and city. We will develop an appreciation for music from the UK.

Year	What we are learning	Homework
Year 2	 In Science, we will be investigating how materials change when we bend, twist, stretch, squash and pull them. In maths, the children will be partitioning numbers up to 100 in different ways. In DT, we will be designing our puppets based on characters from traditional stories. We will be continuing our writing about The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig as part of our English learning. 	Reading at least four times a week Numbots; please aim for 20 minutes over the week. Spelling shed; please complete the tasks set online.



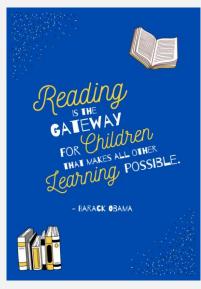


FOREST SCHOOL

Autumn I (starting next week afternoons) 2G – Tuesday; 2CL – Wednesday; 2B – Thursday

Summer 2 (mornings)

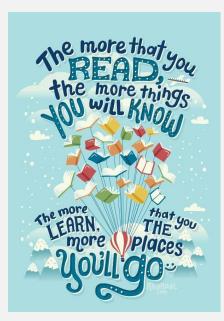




- Read without sound blending
- Fluently reading
- Answer questions and make
 - inferences
- Recall the text and make predictions

READING

- Daily reading RWI
- I:I reading
- Class stories



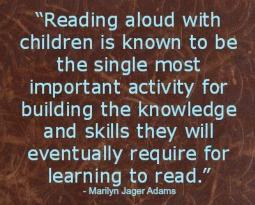
READING

- RWI book is matched to your child's phonics ability
- Use Oxford Owl for additional book
- When off RWI, your child will have a colour-banded book



Look out for the travelling books that go home with a child each week.

- Library books each week
- Sharing books not at their level



Share a moment of love with a child. IdealsBooks.com

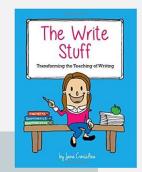


Please encourage your child to read aloud to you at least 4x a week

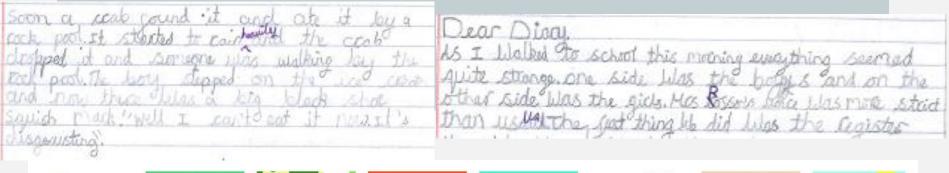
READE

WRITING





- Writing coherently for a range of purposes
- Accurate spelling- key words, spelling rules and then phonetically plausible for trickier words
- Accurate punctuation- capital letters and full stops
- Developing cursive handwriting
- The Write Stuff approach widens vocabulary





SPELLING



- Weekly spelling patterns
- We won't have a weekly spelling test
- Children will have exposure to different spellings and will be encouraged to identify the patterns or the tricky part of each spelling
- Weekly spelling games on Spelling Shed

MATHS

- Confidently add and subtract numbers within 100
- Know 2, 5 and 10 times tables and related division facts
- Apply their knowledge to problems and use reasoning
 Flashback maths
- Tell the time to nearest quarter hour
- Use coins to make different amounts



MATHS

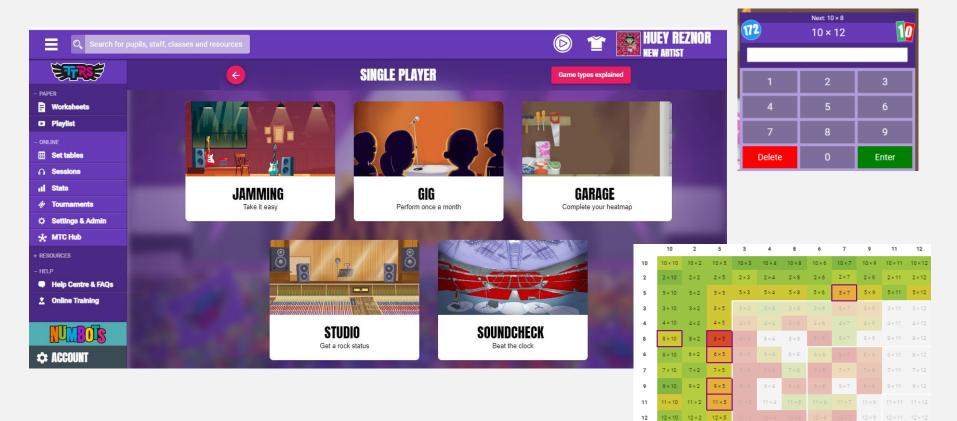


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Year 4	6 x÷	9 x÷	7 x÷	12 x÷	Revision	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check
Year 5		Revi		Revision and squares	Revision and cubes	
Year 6			Revision and	derived facts		

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HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD AT HOME?

Reading

- At least 4 nights per week to earn a raffle ticket
- Don't forget to record in the reading logs!
- Log-in to Oxford Owl if on RWI for story and quiz

Maths

- Counting in 2s, 5s, 10s, 3s
- Numbots to improve fluency
- TTRockstars (Autumn 2)

Spelling

Spelling games on Spelling Shed



BAFFLE







KEY REMINDERS

Independence & Responsibility Please encourage your child to come into class as independently as possible in the mornings.

- This term PE days are Tuesday (2G), Wednesday (2CL) and Thursday (2CL) and Friday until Forest School begins on week beginning 23rd September. Then your child's class will have Forest School on one of those days plus PE on Friday.
- Library day is Thursday

Please send...

- Reading zippy bags in school every day with their book and green log please.
- Water bottle (named please) in school every day
- Coats and jumpers (named please) as the weather gets colder and wetter!







Thank you for listening.

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