

# Class 2 Newsletter

## Spring 2024

### Reading books

Please send 'books for enjoyment' and the reading record into school each day. 'Books for enjoyment' will be changed on a **Monday, Wednesday and Friday**, if completed and recorded by an adult in the reading record. If your child has a **Little Wandle Phonics book** this will be sent home on a **Friday** for you to return on the **Monday**. **Children will continue to choose an additional library book on a Friday to be returned the following Friday.**

### Spellings

Spellings will be given on a **Friday** and children will have a chance to show what they have learnt the following **Friday**. Please support your child to complete three spelling attempts each week as this does help them to correctly spell during independent writing. Spelling books need to be returned to school every **Friday**.

### Homework - Year 1

Homework will be given out each Friday. Please return this to school the following Wednesday.

### PE

Please send your child to school in their PE kit on Tuesday and Thursday each week.

### Topic: Weather/The Great Fire of London

**Maths:** Place value, multiplication/division, fractions, addition/subtraction, properties of shape and statistics.

**English:** Instructions; Weather Poems; Traditional Tales; Narrative writing on 'The Great Fire of London'.

**Science:** Seasonal change; Materials and their Properties.

**Computing:** Online Safety; Programming and algorithms.

**Geography:** Weather in the United Kingdom and Around the World.

**History:** The Great Fire of London; when, where, how and why the fire happened; the diary of Samuel Pepys.

**Art and Design and Design Technology:** Biscuits; Sliding pictures; Printing; Sculpture (Sculptor Michelle Reader); Easter Cards.

**RE:** Judaism; Sacred Places, visit to St Mary's Church; Lent, Holy Week and Easter.

**PE:** Dance, Gymnastics, Team building and Ball skills.

**PSHCE:** One World, Living in the Wider World.

**Music:** Pitch and Tempo; Songs and Rhymes.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch with me if you have any questions.

**Mrs Smith and Mrs Dutton -Class Teachers**

**Miss Cooper - Higher Level Teaching Assistant**