



# Who was Mary Anning?

## WELCOME BACK

Welcome back and a very warm welcome to Year Two! It has been lovely getting to know you all! We hope you all had a wonderfully fun yet relaxing summer break and are ready to start the new school year.

Our topic this term is so exciting that it will last until Christmas! We will be looking at the question "Who is Mary Anning?"

Forest School sessions started today and we will keep the kit in school unless it becomes wet or very dirty.

There will be a lot of emphasis on key skills this year such as reading, spelling (common exception words - these can be found on our website) and number facts in maths (number bonds to 10 & 20, counting in repeated groups, 2, 5, 10, 3x tables). Any practice you can do on these key skills at home will help the children form a solid base for their understanding.

If you have any worries or just want to ask us a question either pass on a verbal message at drop off or email the school office who will pass the messages on to us and we will contact you as soon as we can.

We look forward to a busy term!  
Miss Morris, Mrs Smith and Miss Woodman

**This term's  
Christian value  
is:**  
  
**Caring**

## Dates for your diary

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September - Forest School**  
**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October - END OF TERM**

## **Routines**

### Physical Education

P.E. will take place on a **Monday & Wednesday**. Please ensure your child has a complete, named P.E. kit in school at all times.

### The Den

Our class Den slot is **Wednesday** afternoons. Please ensure your child returns any den books from last year.

### Reading records

We will continue to change reading books once a week. Your child's change day will be stuck on a label on their reading diary.

### Reading at home

Please try and listen to your child read **AT LEAST** 3 times a week.

### Wellies

Please send your child with a **NAMED** pair of wellies into school **ASAP**.

### General Reminders

Please ensure your child has the correct school uniform and a **NAMED** water bottle in school at all times.

Please ensure your child has a pair of wellies and a coat in school **EVERY DAY**.