



Take One Picture



WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to school. We hope that you have had a restful break and are feeling ready for Term 2. This term our topic is called 'Take One Picture'. We will look at one picture, which will create discussion and help us investigate the following question: **How did the Great Fire change London?**

In Maths, we will be focusing on developing our addition and subtraction skills.

Spellings will be given out at the start of term. Please refer to the spelling folder in your child's book bag, which contains an overview of the spellings week by week, along with the corresponding date. Spelling Tests take place on the Friday of each week.

Reading is still very important and we aim for children to be heard by an adult as often as we can. All children are heard to read three times a week in their phonics lessons and when we do guided reading. You may see a comment or a stamp in their reading records to show this.

This term will bring our Year 2's centre stage for our Christmas Production. Over the coming weeks we will begin to plan roles and costumes for the children. There will be a formal communication sent out to parents once roles have been allocated.

If you would like to speak with your class teacher, please remember to either pass on a verbal message at drop off or email the school office. We will always endeavour to respond as soon as possible.

Mrs Makin & Mrs Walton

Routines

Physical Education

This term our focus sport is cricket, which will take place on a Wednesday afternoon. The class will also have PE on a Thursday.

Forest School will take place on a Friday.

Reading Records

We will continue to change reading books once a week. Your child's change day is on a label on the front of their reading record.

Reading at home

Please try and listen to your child read **AT LEAST 3 times a week**. Remember for every 2 times your child reads with an adult at home they receive a reading star, which is worth 10 house points.

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.

Maths Homework

Please continue to complete the weekly workouts. Each week on a Friday we will mark these together.

This term's Christian value is:

Caring

Forest School - Friday's

Please arrive in forest school kit and bring school uniform in a separate bag to change into. We recommend sending waterproofs if you have them (trousers and jacket).