

Dear Parents/ Carers,

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Year Two. We are very pleased with the behaviour and positive attitudes of the new Year Two children within this first week! They have shown that they are ready to learn and very excited about their new topics. The Year Two team have enjoyed getting to know the children and seeing how talented they all are.

### **School Uniform**

We would appreciate your support in ensuring that your child follows our school uniform policy by sending him/her to school wearing the correct school uniform, including black school shoes. Please ensure all uniform is clearly **labelled** with your child's name and class.

### **Home Learning**

Home learning provides children with an important opportunity to consolidate what they have been learning with us at school. We expect that all children will complete their home learning, to the best of their ability and hand it in on time. Please let the class teacher know if your child experienced difficulty in completing their home learning, or if an emergency at home prevented them from completing the activities within the expected time frame.

**Home learning** is given out each **Friday** and is due to be returned by the following **Tuesday**. This time interval allows children to complete the activities carefully rather than leaving all tasks for the weekend. **Spellings** are also given out on **Fridays**, which should be completed daily, and children will be tested on the following **Friday**. **Reading** should be done for 20 minutes everyday. Children will bring home their reading book and reading record, this needs to be handed in once your child has completed reading his/her book and the reading record has been signed by an adult. Your child will then receive a new reading book on that same day to take home.

### **Physical Education**

Physical Education is an important part of the school curriculum and all children should take part. They will need their PE kit on the following days:

**Snapdragon: Wednesday and Friday**  
**Lily: Monday and Thursday**

**Primrose: Tuesday and Wednesday**  
**Foxglove: Monday and Friday**

To ensure your child always has their correct PE kit we strongly recommend you leave their kit in school for the whole of the half term. Your child can then bring the kit home for washing during half term.

### **Educational visits Information**

We are planning on taking the children on several exciting trips this year. Below are some dates for your diary for the trips we have booked so far.

**Wednesday 19th and Thursday 20th of September (Trip To London)**

Thank you for your co-operation the Year 2 team.

**Miss Haynes**  
Lily  
Year Leader

**Miss Taiwo**  
Foxglove

**Miss Allen**  
Snapdragon

**Miss Dottin**  
Primrose