

YEAR TWO

Autumn 2026



Welcome back! We hope that you have had a wonderful break and are ready for a term full of learning and fun!

Good to know...

When do we need Fluency Books, Reading Logs and Home Spelling Books?

Fluency books – need to be completed each night. They need to come to school on a Friday, so that they can be marked and the following week's Fluency questions can be stuck in.

Reading Books and logs – need to come to school everyday. Reading books will be changed on a Monday. Please sign your child's log each time they read.

Home spelling books – need to come to school on Thursday's. We complete our spelling test on a Thursday and then stick in our new spellings.

PE Kit

For the first half-term, our PE lessons will be on Mondays and Wednesdays. Please remove earrings at home on PE days.

Snacks and Water Bottles

In year 2 Fruit is provided in the morning or the children may bring a healthy snack. Please bring a water bottle every day.

English

Our focus texts for the term is:

- The Storm Whale by Benji Davies
- and The Leaf Thief by Alice Hemmings

We will be learning to write character descriptions, recounts and setting descriptions..

Maths

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In maths we will learn about place value and addition and subtraction using 2 digit numbers.

In mental maths we will become increasingly confident in recalling our x2,x5, and x 10 tables.

RE



This term we learning about Creation and looking at Stories from the Old Testament.

We will look at the story of Noah's Ark and learn about the special promise that God made to Noah.

Other Subjects

History

We will be learning all about The Great fire of London.



Geography

We will learning about the 7 continents of the world.

PE

We will be looking at striking and fielding and playing multiskills games to help improve our catching

Computing



We will be creating pictures, making music and looking at spread sheets

Science

Year 2 will be Animals including humans and how to keep our bodies healthy

Art

We will be using things from the world around us to create fantastic Art!



Design and Technology

We will be learning about wheeled vehicles. We might even make one.



Music



We will be exploring sounds made by our voices, bodies and percussion instruments

PSHE



We will be continuing with our 'Jigsaw learning', where we will thinking all about 'Being Me in My World'.



How can I support my child at home?

Homework

Reading - please encourage your child to read their book at home for at least 15 minutes every day and to write a comment in their reading log.

Fluency - the children will have 5 maths fluency questions to complete per day. They will need to complete them at home each night. These should take around 5 minutes to complete.

Spelling - practise the weekly spelling words with your child in a range of different ways.

RE Homework Projects - Once per half-term, there will be a creative RE homework project to complete with your child.

Catholic Life

Encourage your child to spend time in prayer and reflection at home. Attend Sunday Mass with them whenever possible.

Educational Visits

- Autumn Term



We will be visiting Salford Art Museum and looking at the famous artist L.S.Lowry