



Year 2 Newsletter

Spring Term 4 2026



Welcome to our Year 2 Newsletter for Term 4. I can't believe we are half way through Year 2 already! We have an exciting term planned with some great events for you to get involved with too such as book week! We look forward to working together with you to support your child in their continued learning journey.

Mrs Maund, Miss Keeling, Mrs Banks and Mrs Buczkowska

Reading



Please continue to listen to your child read daily at home and ask them questions about the story to develop their reading skills.

Skills such as prediction and retelling are important along with answering inference questions. Children can complete AR quizzes to demonstrate their understanding of their books.

Maths



In Maths we will be learning about grouping objects in different ways and relating this



to doubling, halving and division. The children would benefit from regularly practising their 2, 5- and 10-times tables. To support your child at home, please continue to practise times tables and number facts using the apps previously shared such as TTRS (Times Tables Rock Stars).

Science



What is the life cycle of different animals including humans?

We will be exploring various animals and their life cycles. This will include looking at the stages from birth to adult within humans as well as a variety of animals.

PE



Our units across this term will be Gymnastics and Net and Wall. PE is on Tuesdays and Fridays. Your child can wear their PE kit throughout the day. It would be useful if your child could wear shorts under their tracksuit

bottoms as having bare legs helps them to climb and move around the apparatus more easily.

Geography

Our humanities subject for this term will be Geography. Following on from our work on oceans and continents we will be looking at coasts.



English

We will continue with Read, write, inc groups to practise blending sounds to read. Once children have become confident with this we will be focusing more on reading skills including speed reading for fluency, adding intonation and expression as well as showing understanding of what they have read (comprehension). We will be developing our writing skills in separate lessons where we are very excited to be continuing our "writing for pleasure" books and practising the skill of editing within them.

RE



Why does Easter matter to Christians?

In RE this term, we will be exploring Christianity. This will involve learning the Easter story and exploring why it is so important to Christians as well as finding out what salvation means.



PSHE

We follow Jigsaw for our PSHE learning. This term we will be focusing on "Healthy me". We will explore how we can keep ourselves healthy in body and mind and the importance of positive relationships.

Please look at our webpage for more information during the year.

If you need to talk to us at any time please call the office 01233 622673.

Alternatively email us:
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Dates to remember:

- 2nd March - Ashford Mobile Library visit
- 5th March - World Book Day - dress up optional
- 5th March - Parent reading and Book swap
- 20th March - PFA Bend the rules day
- 20th March - PFA Spring Disco
- 24th March - Class School Photos
- 2nd April - End of Term 13.30 finish