

Miss Kent & Mrs Cascarini



SUMMER TERM 2 CLASS LETTER

KEY INFORMATION

Welcome to Summer 2! As the children prepare for the exciting new challenges of Year 2, we have lots of engaging learning experiences planned across the next 8 weeks. This school year seems to have whizzed by faster than ever and it is fantastic to see the progress the children have made. However, this last half term is very busy one as we work together to ensure your child has the best start to Year 2.

Continue home reading regularly – we can see the difference at school so please keep it up and don't stop. Give your child the best start to Year 2!

English:

Encourage your child to write simple sentences independently.

The children know they need a capital letter at the beginning, finger spaces and a full stop. They also know that they need to read through and make sure it makes sense too, and if not change it. Write notes, cards, postcards and jokes etc. Make it fun, play 'schools' maybe, they can teach you!

The children are very interested in protecting our sea life and, with this in mind, we have chosen a lovely story called 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley' for our English text this half term. Please could you save your smaller recycling bits and pieces for us as we will be creating lots of wonderful recycled art and other creations. Plastic containers (clean please), smaller boxes or tubes, anything that could be transformed. Cereal boxes are great too.

Maths:

Talk about money – the value of coins. Play shops and encourage them to add items to find the total and give change too.

Time: Encourage your child to be able to tell the time to the hour and half past the hour.

Thank you for your continued support, you have all been amazing this year and the Year 1 Team really appreciate it.



Reminders:

Phonic Screening Week begins Monday June 8th

It's finally time to read 20 pesky alien 'non' words and 20 real words in the National Phonic Screening Check which will take place during our second week back. Please keep practising in the meantime and the scores will be shared with you at the end of term.

Read and Relax will continue to be Monday at 2.45pm for the rest of Year 1.

Forest: Mrs Maguire has requested that the children have leg coverings for the forest now that they are in shorts etc. This is part of the forest risk assessment. The school plastic trousers are not very comfortable on bare legs. Leggings or joggers are perfect.

Sun cream should be applied before children come to school please. Please provide a named Sun hat and water bottle daily also.