



St Mark's CE Primary School

'Loving to Learn, Learning to Love'

Year 2 Newsletter

Summer 2



'Why do we love to be beside the seaside?'

This half term the children will be learning about how geographical areas are similar or different. We will be looking at which human and physical features are evident at the coast. To help us to deepen our knowledge, we will be taking a very exciting trip...watch this space!

English

If your child is taught RWI spelling by Mrs Colclough, please ensure that they complete their spelling homework each week. Other children will have phonics homework sent out by their teacher.

It would be great if your child could learn how to read and spell the words in the middle of their reading log too.

Your child will also be further developing their writing skills. They will continue to apply their skills as writers to a number of different genres.

Reading

Thank you again, to those parents who hear their children read every night at home. It is making a tremendous difference to their reading and the children are proud of their abilities. Some of our children will be taking the phonics screening check in the next couple of weeks. Mrs Colclough/Miss Akhtar will notify you if your child will be taking the assessment.

This half term we will be having a big focus on 'home learning'. Most children complete superb homework each week and it would be amazing if we could get every child doing so.

We would really appreciate your support in making sure that your child completes one task of their choice to a good standard each week.

Your children are all stars and we can't wait to see what they can create! 😊

A big thank you...

We would just like to thank you for your continued support during our assessments last half term. All of the children tried really hard and they should be very proud of themselves.

After a tricky couple of years for us all, the children demonstrated an impeccable, mature attitude towards the tests and we couldn't have asked anymore from them.

They really are a credit to the school.

Maths

Over the next half term, the children will be consolidating their understanding of how to solve problems involving length, weight and capacity.

Please continue to access TTRS with your child as this is having a great impact in terms of their fluency with numbers.

P.E.

2C – Mondays (Mrs Colclough)

2A – Tuesdays (Miss Akhtar)

Please make sure that children come to school wearing the correct P.E. kit and that it has their name in it.

Children should not be wearing earrings on P.E. days.