



Year 2 Autumn 1 Newsletter

Welcome Back To School!

This half term your child will be covering the topic **Who Am I?** This topic will be focussing on the children finding out more about themselves and others. We can then celebrate our differences whilst also seeing all the things we have in common. We are all individuals, but together we make up a wider community-one that should support and respect one another.

In **English** we will be looking at stories with familiar settings. We will spend time focusing on the different characters and how we can describe them by using carefully selected adjectives.

In **Science**, we will be focussing on Living Things and Their Habitats. We will learn about the characteristics of living things. We will explore local habitats and research habitats around the globe to find out how animals may have adapted to live in different places.

Welcome back and welcome to Year 2!

I hope that you all had a restful break and enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

The children have made a really enthusiastic start to the new year and have settled quickly into new routines and expectations. They will have a very busy year ahead of them, with lots of new things to learn. A new **Learning Log** will be sent out shortly with various challenges for you to complete at home with your child. Alongside these activities it will be important that they also spend time reading on **Active Learn**, completing maths homework on **Mathletics** and start to practise their times tables (10x, 2x and 5x).

Myself and Mrs Deore are looking forward to a really exciting year.

Thank you for your continued support.

Year 2 Team

Mrs Rai

Important dates:

28.09.18- Staff Training Day.

w/c 01.10.18—World Space Week

04.10.18— Individual and sibling photographs.

12.10.18- McMillan Coffee afternoon

26.10.18- Staff Training Day

Things to

remember:

- ☺ PE will be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays so please ensure your child's kit is in school.
- ☺ Please sign up for **Class Dojo** if you haven't already done so!
- ☺ Please remember to send your child's book bag daily so that they can read to an adult at some point during the week.