

Year 2 Newsletter

Autumn 1
2026-2027

Welcome!

Welcome to Year 2!

Dolphin's class teacher Miss Minto and
Shark's class teacher is Miss Hill.

Our school Christian Value this half term:
Friendship and Cooperation.

Our PE day and forest school day are on a
Thursday.

Children wear their PE kit into school on
these days. Children wear a blue polo shirt
and navy blue bottoms for PE, with plain
white or black trainers.

Please do not hesitate to contact your
child's teacher if you have any concerns or
questions. Please do this via the school
office email address and it will be
forwarded to the correct teacher.

Maths

Place Value

Count, read and write numbers to 100.
Write numbers to 100 in numerals and
words.

Partition 2-digit numbers into tens and
ones.



Compare and order numbers
to 100.



Counting in 1s forwards and
backwards to 100.

Counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s.

English

Writing:

Story: Toys in Space

Class Book: An Alien in a Jam Factory

Aim: To write your own version of a
fantasy story.

Reading:

Focus: Retrieval

To retrieve information or facts
from a text.



Science

Material Monster

Comparing everyday materials.

Changing shape by squashing, bending,
twisting and stretching.



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Topic

Subject: Geography

- To know that objects and locations look different from an aerial view.
- To know how an aerial photograph links to key features of a map.
- To know symbols on a map, represent human and physical features of an environment.

Music

- Space: Introduction to Descant Recorder-begin to play familiar Songs with notes C and A using left hand. Explore music inspired by Space - Twinkle Twinkle Little Star and Minor Third - Cuckoo satellite tracking



RE

Consider the question:
What is God like for Christians?



PE

PE days: Thursday

- Sending and receiving

Wellbeing

Story Focus: Ravi' Roar

- To know it is okay to feel all emotions.
- To reflect and manage my emotions.
- To identify strategies to calm me down.

Computing

Information technology
around us.



Home Learning

Reading: 5 times a week. Children should respond to their reading by completing their reading journals.
Phonics: Activities uploaded to SeeSaw weekly.
Maths: Weekly arithmetic practice and Numbots.

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Diary dates

1st September- Inset Day
2nd September- Start of term
12th October- Parents Evening
14th October- School Photos
16th October- End of term
2nd November- Start of term