



Monday 2nd November 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back! We hope you have had a restful half term and are ready for the half term ahead.

In Aslan (Class 5) and Dalmatian (Class 6) class this half term our topic is 'Where Are We?' The children will learn about where we are in the world. There will be lots of Geography links and map work involved. It would be great if you could share your knowledge with your child about the local area.

We are involved in an exciting project this half term and will be taking part in Doncaster Community Arts work. This will involve the use of drama within lessons and we are looking forward to starting this.

Reading

In Year 2 books are changed regularly. Please write in your child's reading diary to say that they have read the book at home. We encourage each child to read a book twice before it is changed. Your child will take part in the whole school Reader Leader competition where, if children read three times or more per week, they could be in with a chance of receiving a certificate. This is celebrated in assembly each week. At the end of each term, the class with the most Reader Leaders will win a prize.

PE

Aslan and Dalmatian class PE session is on a Thursday afternoon. Please make sure your child's PE kit is in school on that day or, ideally, brought in to school on a Monday and left until Friday. Please ensure all items of clothing are named.

Spellings

Children receive their spellings on a Friday and have the week to learn them. A quick test is given on the following Friday and the results are shared on the next spellings. These spelling sheets do not need to be returned to school. The spellings we are setting are the Year 2 common exception words which are tricky words that the children are expected to be able to spell by the end of Year 2.

If you have any questions then please ask.

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