



2HR Class Newsletter - Summer Term 2023

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Welcome to 2S. We hope you had a relaxing break, it is wonderful to have all of the children back and we are looking forward to having a really exciting Term in 2S.

Your class teachers are: **Kaneez Haider, Catherine Richards and Abigail Wright**

Other support staff in your classroom: **Christine, Rebekah and Mical.**

Children can come to school wearing their PE kit on Mondays and Wednesdays. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit – White or house colour t-shirt, navy tracksuit bottoms or shorts, black trainers or plimsolls.

Homework is put on the school website class page on Friday and should be completed by the following week.

The homework each week will be:

- Maths - Topmarks - Daily Ten and other additional practise 20min per week; Maths Reasoning Challenge.
- English – Spelling Challenge based on the Key texts.
- Reading - read every day for 15min from your online decodable book - <https://ebooks.collinsopenpage.com>

Our Vision and Values:

- Respect One Another
- Every Individual Matters
- Take Responsibility
- Strive for Excellence
- Try Your Best

Our School rules:

- Show Kindness
- Listen Actively
- Walk Responsibly
- Respect Our Environment



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Important Dates

Clubs begin: Monday 24th April	Whole class photos: 14th June
Early May Bank Holiday: 1st May	Refugee Week: 19th June
Bank Holiday: 8th May	Seaside visit, Cuckmere Haven: 28th June
Year 2 SATs: Week beginning 15th May	Great Get Together: 29th June
Half term: 29th May - 2nd June	Parent/carers evenings: 4th and 6th July
INSET day: 5th June	Summer Fair: 7th July
Trip to Brockwell Park	KS1 Sports Day: 11th July
Greenhouses: 20th June	Last day of term: 18th July

More information on these events will be given closer to the time

English:

Focus Texts: **Ocean meets Sky by The Fan Brothers, Jim and the Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs, House Held Up by Trees by Ted Kooser and Jon Klassen and The Minpins by Roald Dahl and Patrick Benson.**

Reading: We read our class books every day in class and have a class book corner. We visit the library and take books home to enjoy at home.

Maths: This term we will be learning about: Length and height, Mass, capacity and temperature, fractions, time, statistics and geometry.

Music:

Lambeth Music Services - MX Sing

We will be observing and describing how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants

Spring Term Curriculum

Computing:

Making music

Using a computer as a tool to explore rhythms and melodies, before creating a musical composition.

Programming quizzes Designing algorithms and programs that use events to trigger sequences of code to make an

PSHE:

Relationships

Different types of family
Physical contact boundaries
Friendship and conflict
Secrets
Trust and appreciation
Expressing appreciation for special relationships

Changing me

Life cycles in nature
Growing from young to old
Increasing independence
Differences in female and male bodies

History/Geography:

Understand geographical similarities and differences through

Art/DT:

Drawing - Spotlight on the Art
'Tiger in a tropical storm' by Henry