



The Oaks Primary School
Bringing Learning to Life

Year 2 Curriculum

Spring 1

Happy New Year! Over the next term in Year 2 we will be having a student teacher, Miss Roshan, working alongside Miss Gill. We are looking forward to having her as part of our team during her placement. This half term our project is 'The Hall of Heroes'. Please encourage your child to blog regularly and check their class page for important information and updates about their learning. Remember to also follow us on Twitter @OaksBolton – we post lots of pictures of our learning in school!

Interim Reports

Interim reports will be sent out at the end of January. These will provide you with a brief summary of where your child is working and the progress they are making so far this year. In January, children in Years 2 – 6 will be completing mid-year assessments – the interim report will provide you with a teacher assessment level as well as an attainment level from the mid-year assessments. Please also remember that at The Oaks, we have an open-door policy so you can call in at any time if you need to speak your child's class teacher. If they are not available they will always arrange a convenient time to meet with you. Thank you for your support with this.

Trips & Visitors

A teacher from Sharples High school will be joining Year 2 on their Heroes WOW day!

English & Maths

This half term in English we will be focusing on writing letters, explanation texts and newspaper reports. You could practice writing in this style with your child at home. In Maths, we will be focusing on division and fractions. At home, please continue to practice mental maths with your child including counting in 1's, 2's, 3's, 5's and 10's and number bonds to 10, 20 & 100.

READING!

It is extremely important that your child continues to read at home EVERYDAY. Children will choose two reading books to take home at a time and you can also find a list of recommended reading books in the back of your child's Reading Record. Children should log each time that they read. This is monitored in school.

Times Tables Rockstars

All children have a log in for Times Tables Rockstars. They can access this from tablets and computers at home. Please encourage your child to go on this as it will really support them in learning their times tables.

PE Kit

Children must have their indoor and outdoor PE kit in school at all times. Football kits are not allowed to be worn for PE. They should also keep a pair of wellies in school.

THINGS TO REMEMBER!

Monday
Times Tables Test

Tuesday

Wednesday
Spelling test

Thursday
PE

Friday
PE

Class Novel

This half term Year 2 will be reading the Iron Man by Ted Hughes, as well as Traction Man and other short stories.