



Year 2 Newsletter

Friday 7th September 2018

Important messages

Transition from Year

1 to Year 2

Our aim is to ensure that the children experience a smooth transition from year 1 to year 2. The Year 2 curriculum builds upon and extends the experiences that children have had in year 1.

Please don't hesitate to come and see your child's class teacher either before or after school if you have any questions or queries.

We will be holding a Year 2 Transition meeting for parents 'Winterbourne Expects' on

Wednesday 19th September 2018 at 3.45pm and we look forward to meeting you then.

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you have had a lovely time over the summer and we are sure you are now ready to start the new school year, so welcome to Year 2! We are looking forward to getting to know you and working together so that we have a very exciting and productive year. We hope that you enjoy the new challenges and approaches to learning that Year 2 has to offer!



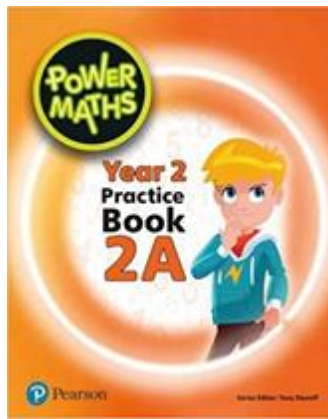
English

Next week the children will be reading - The Princess and the Pea - a text that links to their topic work on Castles.

They will use the text as a stimulus for their written work.

Things to do at home

- Discover facts about castles.
- How many castles can you name?



Maths

Next week the children start unit 1 of our new Maths scheme - POWER Maths. They will learn to count objects to 100 efficiently; they will learn to recognise and represent numbers to 100 in different ways; they will partition numbers into tens and ones and record as addition calculations

Things to do at home

- Discover that counting in ones takes a long time. How could they make counting quicker?
- Count objects around the house, can they group them?

Things you need to know

Your child will shortly be given a reading book and a reading record to bring home. Please keep their reading record and book inside their named plastic wallet in their book bags to bring to school every day. The children will also have lots of opportunities to read and enjoy books throughout the week at school and at home.

If you are interested in becoming a parent reader, please see Mrs Jones, Deputy Head teacher.

Your child will be taking part in P.E. sessions as of next week. Please provide a named P.E. kit for your child.

Thank you for sending your child to school in the correct school uniform. We are proud of our uniform at Winterbourne Nursery and Infant School and believe that if our students are smartly dressed in a uniform consistent with school policy, they will be prepared for work in the classroom.

School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Our Attendance Target is 96%.