

Welcome to Year 2



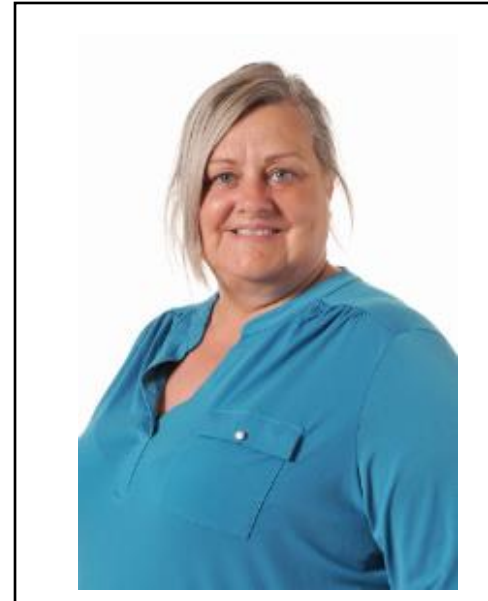
St Martin's CE
Primary School



Meet the Year 2 Team



Miss
Guy



Mrs
Paskin



Meet the SEND & Pastoral Team



Miss Wright
SENDCO



Miss Shaw
Pastoral Manager



Meet the Senior Leadership Team



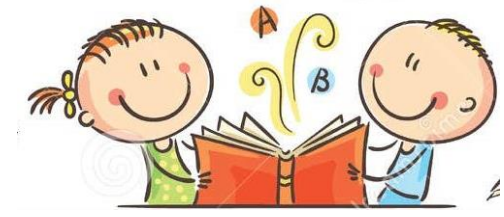
Mr Hearsey
Head of School



Miss Brookbanks
Assistant Headteacher



Mrs Gama
Assistant Headteacher



Our School Uniform



- Pale blue polo shirt
- Royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan
- Mid-grey trousers
- Grey skirt or pinafore dress
- Black, grey or white socks
- Blue and white check summer dress
- Black flat shoes

Please label all items with a permanent marker

Our PE Uniform



This includes:

- Pale blue t-shirt
- Navy blue shorts
- Navy blue hoody

We kindly ask that you provide them with:

- Plain black pumps or trainers
- Navy sports trousers



Please send your child in to school in their PE kit on their PE day. Our PE day is **MONDAY.**

Any jewellery must be removed in the morning.

Please label all items with a permanent marker



Breakfast, Snacks and Drinks



- Every morning your child will have the choice of having a buttered bagel as they enter school.
- At breaktime, your child is welcome to bring a healthy snack such as a cereal bar or fruit; however, children in kS1 will always have fruit available to enjoy.
- Children always have the option of drinking water throughout the day. We ask that you provide them with a labelled bottle that will come home with them daily.



Lunchtimes



- Children in Year 2 are entitled to a free school meal
- There is always a hot meal and vegetarian meal option, or children can choose a sandwich or a jacket potato
- Alternatively, you can provide your child with a packed lunch from home
- Milk and water is available to all children during lunch in the dinner hall

Our Topics



History

We will start by looking how Bonfire Night is celebrated and recall the events of the Great Fire of London. We will then focus on holidays creating a scene from the past. We will finish learning about our Local heroes.

Geography

This year, Year 2 will be identifying weather and seasons changes, exploring the journey of food and where it comes from, and looking at the wonders of our world.

Art & Design

Children will be exploring a range of art with the influence of Yayoi Kusama, Henri Rousseau and Earth Art.

Design and Technology

We will be getting creative in our topics, puppets, vehicles and pizza.

Music

- Hands, feet, heart
- I wanna play in a band
- Zootime
- Friendship song

Science

A wide range of topics will be explored from Healthy me, Material monsters, Our local environment and Little MasterChef's.

Computing

We will be astronauts, game testers, photographers, researchers, animators and zoologists.

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This year we will learn about Christianity and Islam.

PSHE

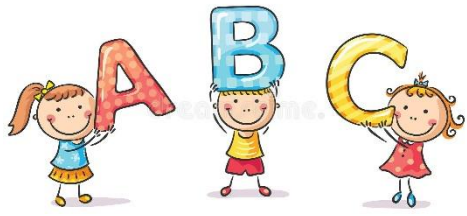
Year 2 will be contributing in a variety of topics that will encourage them to celebrate their differences, understand the world and explore positive relationships.



Reading



- Reading is a huge focus in school. It enables all children to access their learning but can also inspire their writing and extend their vocabulary.
- Your child will be given a reading diary which will include common exception words to learn. Your child will practice reading and spelling these words throughout the school year.
- In year 2, we will listen to your child read every week. Spotlight children will be heard more frequently.



Phonics



Phonics will remain a focus, and children will all remain on the RWI programme until at least next half term.

Children who need extra support with their phonics will also have the opportunity for 1:1 during the day and may be sent home with sounds or words to practise at home.



come to the rescue!
rescue, blue, glow, queue, bus

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Trackit Lights – Behaviour

It's Good to be Green



- Our new behaviour system has been introduced to reward children for making positive choices
- Children will earn Golden Time throughout the week.
- Children will also earn prizes at the end of each term based on their behaviour score.
- Each day will end with Reflection Time – we discuss the day (restorative practice)
- Pupils will receive warnings and warning lights (if necessary) to encourage them to make positive choices

OUR CORE CHRISTIAN VALUES



Respect



Resilience



Compassion





Homework

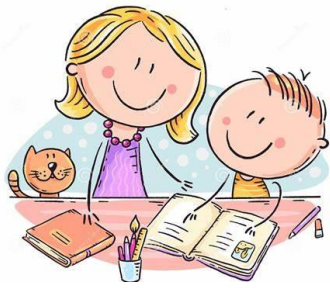


Each child will be provided with a homework login card.

Homework will be set online every Friday. We kindly ask that work is completed by the following Wednesday.

Your child will be asked to complete:

- Spelling practice (linked to the curriculum for this year group) - this will be set on Spelling Shed.
- Maths TT practise – this will link to the taught tables (and give opportunities to review previously taught table facts) - this will be set on TT Rockstars
- Occasionally, there may be an extra piece relating to one of the foundation subjects.



How can you help?



- Listen to your child read daily where possible
- Support them to learn their common exception words and speed sounds
- Support them to learn their spellings and complete their homework


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Reception and Key Stage 1
 Reading Record

Name: _____
 Class: _____

Date	Book title / Pages read	Parent / Teacher / Pupil Comment


door	floor	poor	because
find	kind	mind	behind
child	children	wild	climb
most	only	both	old
cold	gold	hold	told
every	everybody	even	great
break	steak	pretty	beautiful
after	fast	last	past
father	class	grass	pass
plant	path	bath	hour
move	prove	improve	sure
sugar	eye	could	should
would	who	whole	any
many	clothes	busy	people
water	again	half	money
Mr	Mrs	parents	Christmas


Set 3

Speed Sounds Booklet



Speed Sounds Set 3 ee ea


 ee


 ea

Practise reading

see three been

green seen sleep

clean dream seat

scream real



Reminders



Gates are open from **8:30**. They will be staffed from **8:40 - 8:55am** in the morning. A member of staff from our class will always be available to speak to every day.

School will finish at **3:15pm**.

Please remember to label all your child's belongings with their name.

Please remember to send your child in with their water bottle daily.

PE is on a Monday



Assessments



The statutory phonics check will be completed in June for those children who did not meet the expected standard in Year 1.



Any Questions?