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# Year 2



Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back after the half term break. We'd like to start by thanking you for all your support last half term. We had a wonderful time getting to know your children and what they enjoy, we learn so much from them each day. Please find below an outline of Year 2's Curriculum for this half term. We are continuing to support your children with the school routine and building relationships. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to be in touch. You can get us on the door in the morning or after school or alternatively you can email on ks1homelearning@limetree.trafford.sch.uk

The areas of learning for **Year 2** this half term (Autumn 2) are:

<p><b><u>Theme</u></b> In theme we will be continuing our work comparing Neil Armstrong and Amy Johnson. We will be considering what it was like to be a woman in the 1900s.</p> 	<p><b><u>English</u></b> We will be continuing our work with our current text, The Tiger who Came to Tea before moving on to poetry inspired by Bonfire Night. We will also do some writing based on Remembrance Sunday.</p> 	<p><b><u>Maths</u></b> In Maths, we will continue to look at our number skills and focusing on the four different operations. After learning about column subtraction we will move on to looking at different ways of multiplying and dividing.</p> 
<p><b><u>PSHE/Time To Think (TTT)</u></b> In PSHE and Time To Think, we will be looking at different topics such as friendships, problem solving, healthy lifestyles, our local environment and staying safe online.</p> 	<p><b><u>DT</u></b> In DT, we will be looking at 'Wacky Windmills'. We will look at different types of windmills, their special structure and what enables them to move. This will then help us to design, plan and create our very own windmills!</p> 	<p><b><u>Physical Education</u></b> In P.E this half term we will be focusing on multi-skills that can be used across different sports. We will be learning how to stop the ball in different ways, roll a ball and balance a ball in different ways. We will use these new skills to play lots of different competitive games as well!</p> 
<p><b><u>Science</u></b> This half term our topic is 'Living things and their habitats.' We will firstly look at classifying alive/dead things. We will then move on to learn about their natural environment and what organisms need to survive.</p> 	<p><b><u>Computing</u></b> We are coding! We will learn what an algorithm is and what coding means. We will apply our knowledge on an app called 'Daisy Dinosaur.' We will also learn how to debug and predict the behaviour of simple programs.</p> 	<p><b><u>Religious Education</u></b> This half term in R.E, we will continue to explore different religions through 'What places are sacred'. We will consider how different faiths express their beliefs and we will learn about our own belief system.</p> 



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### Useful notices

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- Each week we will blog activities for the week should you need to self isolate. If you wish to complete the activities at home please send these into school with the children or to our home learning email.
- To send home learning into school via email, please send it to the following address: [ks1homelearning@limetree.trafford.sch.uk](mailto:ks1homelearning@limetree.trafford.sch.uk)
- Full, named PE kits should now be in school. Both 2L and 2T have PE on a Monday this half term however this may change weekly.
- To log on to the amazing Espresso, a useful website for home learning which we use in school, please use the following logon details:

#### **Website:**

<http://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/login/eha/?service=espresso>

**Username:** [ks1homelearning@limetree.trafford.sch.uk](mailto:ks1homelearning@limetree.trafford.sch.uk)

**Password:** homelearning

### **Bug Club Phonics - [www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk)**

Our school has recently acquired a reading programme called Bug Club Phonics that we would like to share with you. This programme has been introduced to children in Reception to year 2. Through this, there is an expectation that you will assist your child to access this at home in order to consolidate their phonics learning.

Take a look at the instructional video to support your child with their reading at home <https://youtu.be/YpfguRm5fEw>

We hope that you and your child will love these books and enjoy reading them at home.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE for both classes	2T Forest School	2L Forest School		Celebration Assembly

### **Please visit and view our class blogs at:**

Year 2L - <http://year2l20.limetreeblogs.net/>

Year 2T - <http://year2t20.limetreeblogs.net/>

### **School Fund**

Each term we ask parents make a £5 donation towards School Fund. This contribution helps to fund some of the additional experiences we offer your child within school. This can be paid directly through your ParentPay account and we appreciate any donations received.