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# Year 2



Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to Year 2. We have had a wonderful week 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 working hard this half term to settle the children back into school life, supporting them with the school routine and building relationships.

The areas of learning for **Year 2** this half term (Autumn 1) are:

<p><b><u>Social Skills</u></b> We will be playing lots of games to support the children building relationships, taking turns and getting to know each other again.</p> 	<p><b><u>English</u></b> We will be teaching daily phonics to the children focusing on letter recognition, tricky words and letter formation. We will use a narrative, as our focus, to guide our descriptive writing.</p> 	<p><b><u>Maths</u></b> In Maths, we are focusing on basic skills, such as number bonds, place value and ordering numbers.</p> 
<p><b><u>PSHE/Time To Think (TTT)</u></b> In PSHE and Time To Think, we discuss current news events and PSHE topics such as our emotions, our human rights, problem solving and staying safe both online and in the real world.</p> 	<p><b><u>Forest School</u></b> Each term 10 children from the class will go out to do Forest School. In addition to this the children will also access extra outdoor learning time with their class teacher and the Forest School team.</p> 	<p><b><u>Physical Education</u></b> In P.E we will be continuing to work on our self-care skills and getting ourselves dressed and undressed and how to take care of our belongings. In P.E we will be playing different versions of rounders to support our basic skills.</p> 
<p><b><u>Science</u></b> In Science, we will be learning all about different materials and their properties. We will be carrying out experiments to help us decide what materials are suitable for different jobs.</p> 	<p><b><u>Computing</u></b> Computing will enhance our other subject areas this term. We will learn to use Apps to present our findings on different topics, create our own Pic collages and develop our understanding of how to be an effective researcher and most importantly, how to stay safe online.</p> 	<p><b><u>ART</u></b> In Art this half term we will be focusing on Printing, using a variety of different media. We will be looking closely at the Artist, Rachel Sim and how we can recreate some of her artwork.</p> 



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## Useful notices

- 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

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2L and 2T PE	2T Forest School	2L Forest School	2L and 2T PE	Class celebration and Homework celebration

**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.