

Year Two Newsletter- Advent Term One

Wednesday 4th September - Friday 18th October

Trusting in God; Creating Tomorrow; Helping Today



Welcome back to a very busy term in year 2, I can't wait to work with you all!

Our topic this term is Street Detectives. We will be focussing on Geography this term and looking at how we can develop our knowledge of our local area including knowing where we live and the characteristics of this area.

Key Dates this term

-Friday 11th October- Church as a Chapel.

PE and sport This term we will be developing our ball skills. PE will be every Wednesday afternoon. All children will need to come to school wearing their PE kits.

Geography- Street Detectives

This term we will be learning about our local area including identifying and locating key human and physical features of Shirebrook. We will also be carrying out a street survey, drawing a map of our local area, and using directional language to find features on a map.

English

This term we will writing narratives in our English lessons. We will be studying the text 'Where the Wild things are' by Maurice Sendak.

Maths

This term we will be learning about place value in our maths lessons as well as focusing on our times tables.

Reminders Please remember to send your child's water bottle to school each day. Also, please send your child with suitable clothing depending on the weather.

Spelling tests are every Friday. Please check your child's homework book and practice their spellings with them daily.

Ways to help with learning at home this term

Times Tables are vital in understanding many concepts in mathematics. Please help your child practice their 2, 5 and 10 times tables as much as possible. Each child has a login for Numbots which will be handed out.

Children are expected to read at least five times a week. This has a huge impact on the progress that they make in their reading and develops their love of reading.