

Y2 News

Autumn 2 2026

Welcome back after half term. I hope you all had a good week with lots of time for fun and rest. We have another busy and exciting term ahead.

Maths

We will continue with our Mastery approach to Maths, taking smaller steps to cover topics and weaving in lots of problem solving. During this half term we will be focusing on addition and subtraction and shape.

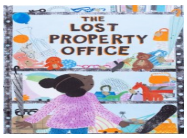


We'll also be having Mastering Number sessions to help children gain a deeper understanding of number bonds and different mental strategies to help them perform calculations.

PE

This term in PE the children will be learning about Ball Skills and Drumba. Please ensure that your child comes to school in suitable indoor and outdoor PE kit. For this half term, our outdoor PE day is Thursday afternoons and our indoor lessons are on Friday afternoons (both classes). The children can come into school wearing their PE kits for the whole day on their PE days.





English

This term our English will be based around the book 'The Lost Property Office' by Emily Rand. This is linked to our Geography topic about airports and train stations.

Homework

Children have their new Nandos creative homework in their folders. They can complete any chosen challenge and hand it in or upload the homework to Seesaw. These are additional creative pieces of work, linked to our learning in school, that can be completed at any point.



Reading

We encourage you to listen to your child read at home as much as possible so they can take lots of reading quizzes. For our reading challenge, children can claim a free book for reading 40 times with an adult. We would like to invite anyone who is interested to come in and be a mystery reader. This could be a parent, grandparent, auntie or uncle. The children really do enjoy these visits.

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Topic



In this term's Geography topic, the children will be learning all about Airports and Train stations. They will discover which are our closest airports and train stations, explore what jobs people have there and learn about what steps you have to take before you can board the plane.

Science

In science this half term, children will be learning about different materials like plastic, glass, wood, brick and metal in our science topic, *'How do we make the most of the materials around us?'*



Class Dojo

Everybody is connected to the class Dojo page which will keep you up to date with the latest classroom news!

Spelling

Children will be taught a spelling rule at the start of each week and participate in an activity linked to this at the start of each English lesson. To support this at home, children have access to Spelling Shed where the weekly rule will be assigned. Their login details can be found in their reading records.