



**Year 2 - Our work this term - Parent Information Sheet
Spring Term - Miss Hope's Class**

Mathematics:	Developing concepts and skills in Number, Shape and Space and Data Handling including Problem Solving in line with the National Curriculum
English:	Developing skills in Reading, Comprehension, Speaking and Listening, Drama and Writing in line with the National Curriculum. Development of "Big Writing" skills.
Science:	Materials
Homework	Spellings and reading; English and mathematics; Topic work and half termly Home Challenge.

The national Key Stage 1 SATs will take place towards the end of May 2016. Please try not to book any holidays for this period.

Your child will also experience a broad curriculum including:-

History	Tudors and The Fire of London.
Geography	None this term.
R.E.	Christianity.
Computing	Email and research.
Art and Design	Tudor Artists.
Design Technology	Designing and making a Tudor house.
P.E.	Dance and Gymnastics.
P.S.H.C.E.	Relationships, Global Citizenship, Fairtrade, Rights Respecting, E-Safety
Music	Listening and responding to Tudor music.

How you can help at home:

Your child will be given a home/school planner. These give you information about your child's Y2 class as well as suggestions on how you can help at home. This will also be a record of their reading books and you may wish to sign their reading pages or add comments of your own.

Please ensure your child:

- Brings their home/school planner into school everyday
- Completes and returns homework tasks on time; homework is usually due in on a Monday.
- Practices their 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 times tables.
- Practices telling the time (o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past) - both analogue and digital.
- Reads each day.
- Completes any extra individual work set.
- Learns their spellings, ready for their test on a Friday.

Please help your child to complete homework tasks e.g. help with learning spelling lists, spending time hearing them read, discussing talk homework, answering comprehension questions and working through maths homework.

Encourage your child to take advantage of opportunities offered for extra activities at after school clubs.

Things we need:

- P.E. kit suitable for outdoor or indoor games, to be left at school. P.E.
- Names on uniform and P.E. kit.
- Any objects/information to help with our topics. Please ensure they are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Thank you, your help and support is very much appreciated. If you have any concerns please don't hesitate to contact me.

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