



SPRING NEWSLETTER

F2: Miss Evans, Miss Bengner, Miss Sigsworth & Mrs Ferguson

Dates for your diary:

- Parents Evenings (10.02.26 & 11.02.26)
- Break up for half term (13.02.26)
- INSET day (23.02.26)
- Schools re-opens for Spring 2 (24.02.26)
- World Book Day (05.03.26)
- British Science Week (09.03.26)
- Family breakfasts (13.03.26 & 16.03.26)
- Red Nose Day (20.03.26)
- Easter assembly (28.03.26)

F2 Newsletter

Welcome back! We hope you have had a wonderful Christmas and are ready for the new school term. Let's make it a great one! Please read our newsletter as it will hopefully give you all the information needed and answer any questions you may have.

I would like to take this time to thank you for all your support. As always, if you have any concerns or further questions, please don't hesitate to come and talk to myself or one of the Foundation Stage 2 team.

Enquiry:

Our Enquiry question this term is "What makes an area different?" We will be looking at our local environment and learning about the country we live in, where we can find this on the world map and discussing how our country is different to others. We will be looking closely at the similarities and differences between different environments, discovering which animals live where and why that specific environment is used as their habitat. We will also be looking at the different features of our local environment and how we can help to look after our environment to keep it clean and tidy.

English/Phonics:

This half term we will be looking at a range of stories which we can re-tell through drama and story mapping. We will be focusing on sequencing stories and describing the characters within these. We will also be looking closely at the difference between fiction and non-fiction books.

As a school we have chosen to follow the No Nonsense phonics scheme. I will continue to send home documents to further support this.

Maths:

This half term in Maths we will be continuing to develop our understanding of numbers to 10 and will begin to use this knowledge to show the composition of these numbers, working towards number bonds to 5.

We will also be comparing and measuring mass and capacity identifying which containers are full and empty. Alongside this we will be comparing lengths and heights using key terminology such as: taller, shorter and longer.

Reminders:

- Each child in F2 will have their own reading diary and two reading books. Please can you ensure these are in school every day so myself or Miss Bengner can read with your child. These books will be changed regularly and diaries checked weekly. It would be great to see you reading with your child at home and recording this in the diary along with any comments!
- Foundation 2 will be having PE once a week on a Monday. Children can come to school dressed in their PE kit on this day (white t-shirt, blue/black shorts or jogging bottoms and trainers/black plimsoles). As the weather gets colder please ensure your child has a coat as we will be going outside, thank you.
- Foundation 2 will take part in Forest Friends every Friday. If your child has a pair of wellies to wear during this session, that would be fantastic! We are more than happy for your child to leave these at school. Please ensure your child has warm clothing as we will be outside in all weathers, Any questions, or concerns please come and see one of the EYFS team.

