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Dear Parents/Carers,

### Year 2 Half Termly Curriculum Information Letter - Spring Term 2 2025

Welcome back! We hope you all had a lovely break. We are looking forward to starting our new Geography topic on Kampong Ayer.

#### Maths

This half term, we will be continuing our learning on multiplication and division. Please help your child by practising times tables at home, particularly the related division facts (e.g. If I know  $4 \times 5 = 20$ , then I know  $20 \div 5 = 4$ ). You will receive a letter with your child's TTRockstars login details today. We will also stick each child's username and password inside the front page of their reading record so that they can access their account at home. Please do encourage your child to regularly practise their times tables at home. This will help them to become more confident with recalling times table facts. Visit the link below for access to the TTRockstars login page:

https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school

#### Reading

Your child will continue to bring home two reading books each week (with opportunities to change their choosing book daily). It is important that book bags, reading books and reading diaries are in school every day. Please ensure your child's reading (whether they're reading a book from home, school or a library) is recorded in their reading diaries with a short comment and the date/day. This enables us to build up a wider picture of your child as a reader. Reading diaries will be checked on a Friday and we will be counting how many children have been able to record at least five home reads in a week.

# <u>PE</u>

PE is on **Mondays** and **Fridays**. Children will need a named PE kit in a bag on their peg. Long hair must be tied back for PE and children are not permitted to wear earrings.

We will continue to make use of the playground for one of these lessons each week, so please make sure that your child has suitable, warm clothing for this outside PE lesson.

Please ensure these items are included in your child's PE kit:

- a t-shirt
- some jogging bottoms or leggings
- a jumper
- a pair of trainers (or wear trainers to school on PE days)

# General information

- Children will continue to be provided with a piece of fruit every day at morning break. Please feel free to send in another piece if you would like.
- Please ensure water bottles are brought to school every day. Water only please.
- Please remember to let us know if someone different is collecting your child at home time.

## Trip

We are going on our trip to Church Farm on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March. We will be leaving school promptly after the register, so please make sure that your child arrives at school on time. We should be back by the end of the school day in time for usual collection at 3:25pm. Please remember to send your child in with sensible shoes, a waterproof coat, a water bottle and their packed lunch (if you have not requested the school to provide one for them).

Thank you for your support. Yours sincerely, Miss Aurelio and Mrs Shearer









