

April 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

**YEAR 2 SUMMER TERM 2026**

Welcome back! We have already started a new topic and the children are enjoying our history-based learning. We will be continuing to learn in a creative, cross-curricular way and the focus for each subject will be:

Literacy	Biographies, non-chronological reports, poetry, narrative
Science	Uses of every day materials
History	Heroes - Rosa Parks, Harriet Tubman, Alan Turing
Geography	Comparing Kingston to Nottingham
R.E.	Leaders
Art	Monoprinting
D.T	Making salad
ICT	Making music, programming quizzes
P.E.	Outdoor games, athletics, swimming
PSHE	SRE/Relationships

P.E. is on **Tuesday and Thursday** afternoons for both classes. Please send your child wearing their P.E. kit on these days. Children can wear trainers or plimsolls, black or navy shorts, tracksuit bottoms or leggings, white t-shirt and a suitable hoodie/sports jacket.

A few reminders ...

- Please could reading bags be in school every day. Children will continue to have Reading Practice sessions in school and will change their reading for pleasure books as they need to. It is very helpful if your child can read with an adult at home every night for at least 10 minutes.
- If your child is absent for any reason, please phone school to let us know the reason.
- Homework will be set on Fridays and due back in on Wednesdays.
- Please encourage your child to learn spellings. The focus will be on spellings taught in phonics that week. If you have any queries please see your child's class teacher.
- Medicine - if you need the class teacher to administer medicine to your child you need to complete forms from the office which need to be signed by yourself and the class teacher.

Please ensure all of your child's belongings are clearly labelled with their name.

As the weather is warming up, please make sure your child has a water bottle (containing only water) and a sun hat. Please also send your child to school wearing sun cream on sunny days. Children are welcome to bring labelled sun cream to school to be reapplied. Whilst we are not allowed to help apply this, we will of course supervise application. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,  
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