

Wingrove Primary School

What we are covering this term:

Literacy:

We will be writing diaries, fire poetry, news reports and persuasive writing about The Great Fire of London

We will be writing Non-Chronological reports about nocturnal animals. We will be reading James and the Giant Peach and writing extended stories.

Our main focus is reading with understanding, comprehension skills and writing.

Numeracy: Counting to and beyond 100. Place value, addition and subtraction facts. Multiplication and division, fractions, money, shape, measures and real life problems.

Science: Animals including humans, Plants, Materials, Living Things and Habitats

Our Topics for this term are:

How did the Great Fire change London?

Sequencing events of the Great Fire

Comparing Newcastle to London

Exploring buildings and materials

Samuel Pepys' diary

What is lurking at the bottom of the garden?

Nocturnal Animals

Minibeasts

Art within nature, puppets

Computing- Young Authors, Let's Fix it

RE – Judaism, PE – Balance bikes, Athletics

Summer

Term

in

Year 2

Special Events/Visits

Term times:

Monday 16th April – Friday 25th May 2018

Monday 4th June – Friday 20th July 2018

Bank Holiday – Monday 7th May

Special Events:

Parents' Open Morning - Monday 2nd July 10.30-11.30am

Trip to Great Exhibition of the North – Quayside

Miss Armstrong's class – Thursday 5th July

Mrs Rutter's class – Friday 6th July

End of year trip – Tynemouth beach – Tuesday 17th July

Welcome to Year 2

The members of our teaching team are:

Team Leader: Mrs Rutter

Class teachers: Mrs Rutter

Miss Armstrong

Support teachers: Mrs Blashford, Ms West,

Mrs Alexander

Support staff: Miss Stead

Mrs Leadbitter

Miss Maudling

Mrs Radu

Homework

During SATs we will be giving the children more topic based homework that takes a few weeks to complete. Please do not bring any topic based homework in until the return date.

We will continue weekly spellings during this time.

Children should bring their reading folders on their reading day. Please practise reading and spelling key words and 2, 5 and 10 times tables with your child.

Organisation

- Doors open at **8:45am** and close at **8:55am**.
- Late arrivals must report to the office.
- **Lunch time** is from **12:00pm** until **1.00pm**.
- **Home time** is at **3:15pm** when children are collected from the classroom.

P.E. Day:

Wednesday for both classes.

Children need to wear their red school PE t-shirt, shorts or leggings and trainers from home.

New PE t-shirts can be bought from the office for £4

Information

The children will be doing their SAT assessments during May. Please avoid any unnecessary absences during this time and try and ensure your child has breakfast each morning. Thank you!

Please do not hesitate to speak to us if you have any questions or concerns.