

Friday 8th September 2023

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Key Dates

- ‘WOW’ day based around Great Fire of London, **Wednesday 13th September**. Pupils can dress up and payments should be made via Arbor.
- **SEND coffee morning Friday 15th September 9am** in the Family Room. Please drop in, the session is open to anyone and is an opportunity to ask questions, get advice, share tips with others and build a support network.

Resources

This term our topic is the **Great Fire of London**, pupils will be making Tudor Houses in the coming weeks, Donations of empty cereal boxes (**with no nuts**) would be greatly appreciated. Please give to your class teacher.

Reading

Pupils will begin to be assigned their reading book from next week. Depending on their reading progress, they may continue reading the Little Wandle texts online or move on to our colour banded books.

Principles

This month’s value is ‘responsibility. We will be spending time learning about what it means to have a ‘Growth Mindset’ and how we can train our brain just like our muscles! You can help your child by modelling good mistakes at home and discussing how you have overcome challenges yourself.

Reminders

Year 2 will have PE lessons every **Thursday**. Please ensure your child has full kit (including outdoor shoes) which should stay in school. Also please remember that your child should **only have water in their water bottle, not juice. Children should not be wearing hoops**. Children wearing any earrings other than small, simple studs will be asked to remove or cover them.

Spelling

From next week, pupils will be given differentiated spellings to practice and they will be tested each Friday. Spellings given will depend on which phonics group your child is in, and more information will be given soon.

Homework Activity

Half-termly homework tasks are set and based around topics taught in school. Check back next week for our first homework activity.

Well done on a brilliant first week year 2!

Mrs Toll, Mrs Harnett and Mrs Edwards