

Curriculum Letter

Year 2 Term 5



Dear Parents,

Topic

Our class topic this term is 'Castles'. As part of this topic the children will be looking at the history of castles and castle life. All other subjects will be linked to this topic where appropriate, In science we will be continuing with our topic of animals and their habitats and also plants.

Homework

Reading- Home readers will be checked using the **BOOM READER** reading App. If your child is on the RWI books they will receive 2 new ones every Friday, otherwise their books will be changed when they have completed them (please make sure you record this on the APP so we know). Re-read the book several times to encourage fluency. See the questions at the back of the book to aid your child at home. Please record every time they have read on the App and should your child finish a book feel free to write in extra books they have read from home. If children have recorded on the App that they have read at least 3 x per week they will receive a sticker towards a reading certificate.

Some children will now be moving off the Read Write Inc scheme and onto a different scheme.

The children are taking it in turns to bring home our reading dog, Bruce, their choice in name 😊. They are loving it, please help them post a picture or a video on **Seesaw**.

Maths- Useful Apps are: Hit The Button, White Rose 1 minute maths and **TTRockstars**.

Topic- Topic homework ideas are on **Seesaw**.

Spelling- practice the weekly spellings on '**Spelling Shed**' and words they still need to learn on the Common Exception word list.

Logins- All children should have logins for **BOOM READER, EDSHED (spelling), TTROCKSTARS & SEESAW**. If you are missing any please let me know.

PE

PE this term will be on a Wednesday with the MSP Coach and on a Friday. Children will need to have their PE kits in school at all times. A PE kit should include: T-shirt, shorts, plimsolls, socks, tracksuit bottoms and top and trainers. If your child wears tights they will need a spare pair of socks too. Please label all items of clothing.

And finally...

I hope your child enjoys this term in Year 2, should you have any concerns or problems please do not hesitate to contact me.

Miss Bishop & Ms Beastall
Year 2 Teaching Team

