



Introduction to Year 2



Welcome to Year 2

We are really looking forward to starting a new school year with your children and getting stuck into the Year 2 Curriculum with them. These slides aim to give you a brief overview of what you can expect.

If you have any questions please email. We aim to check the emails every few days. year2@holytrinity.leeds.sch.uk

Please come and chat to us at home-time pick up if you have anything to discuss or any concerns. It's always better to chat face to face than over email 😊.



Year 2 Staff

Miss Slaney (2S)

Mrs Watson & Mrs Senn (TA)

Miss Johnson (2J)

Miss Fenwick (TA)

PPA will be covered by Mrs Turnbull and
Ms Edwards.



Curriculum

- All our learning follows a topic based approach, with core and foundation subjects being taught through the main topic.
- There are a variety of tasks to engage the children.

Autumn - The Great Fire of London
A Christmas Carol (Victorians)

Spring - Beatrix Potter
The Lake District & Chicks (Short topic)

Summer - Breaking the Rules
India



Year 2 timetable

Year 2 Timetable 2022 - 2023



	9am - 10:45am			10:45am - 11am	11am - 12 noon	12 noon - 1.00pm	1pm - 2pm	2pm - 2.45pm	2:45pm - 3pm	3pm - 3.30pm
Monday	worship	Fluency	English	Play	Maths	Lunch	RE	PE	Play	Story
Tuesday	Phonics	English	Worship	Play	Maths	Lunch	2S - French (DT) 2J - PHSE (GS)	2S - PHSE (GS) 2J - French (DT)	Play	Story
Wednesday	2S 9-9:45 Music 9:45 - 10:45 PE		English	Play	Phonics and guided reading	Lunch	Hand writing	History, Geography or D&T depending on the topic being taught.	Play	Story
	2J 9 - 9:45 PE 9:45 - 10:45 Music									
Thursday	worship	Fluency	English	Play	Maths	Lunch	Hand writing	Science	Play	Story
Friday	worship	Spellings phonics	English	Play	Maths	Lunch	Art	Computing	Play	Story



End of Key Stage assessments

- English Reading – Paper 1, Paper 2
- English Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG) – optional
- Maths – Paper 1 Arithmetic, Paper 2 Reasoning and problem solving
- Teacher Assessment is ongoing throughout the year in all subjects.



Homework

Maths - 2 *Mathletics Tasks* will be set on Tuesdays to be completed by the following Tuesday. We will be checking that these have been completed.

Reading - Two reading books will be sent home on a Monday. These should be read and returned by the following Monday with comments from an adult written in the Reading Record books. These comments will be checked by TAs before new books are given out.



Spellings

- Spelling sheets will go home on Friday to be tested the following Friday.

Spellings will always be available on the school website if you lose the sheet.

- Children will bring their spelling books home on Friday for you to see how they got on. Please return the books on Monday.
- Children will also be tested on the Y2 common exception words three times throughout the year. You are not expected to practise these specifically as they will be included as part of the 10 spellings tested each week.



Things to note

- The first day back at school is Tuesday 5th September 2023.
- The children will line up next to the ramp when the bell rings. We will be outside to greet the children and take them into class.
- At home time we will take our class outside and wait at the bottom of the ramp. The children will be allowed to go once they see their adult.



Things to note

- P.E. will be taught on Mondays and Wednesdays.
Please make sure your child has the correct named uniform with black or white trainers - no logos.



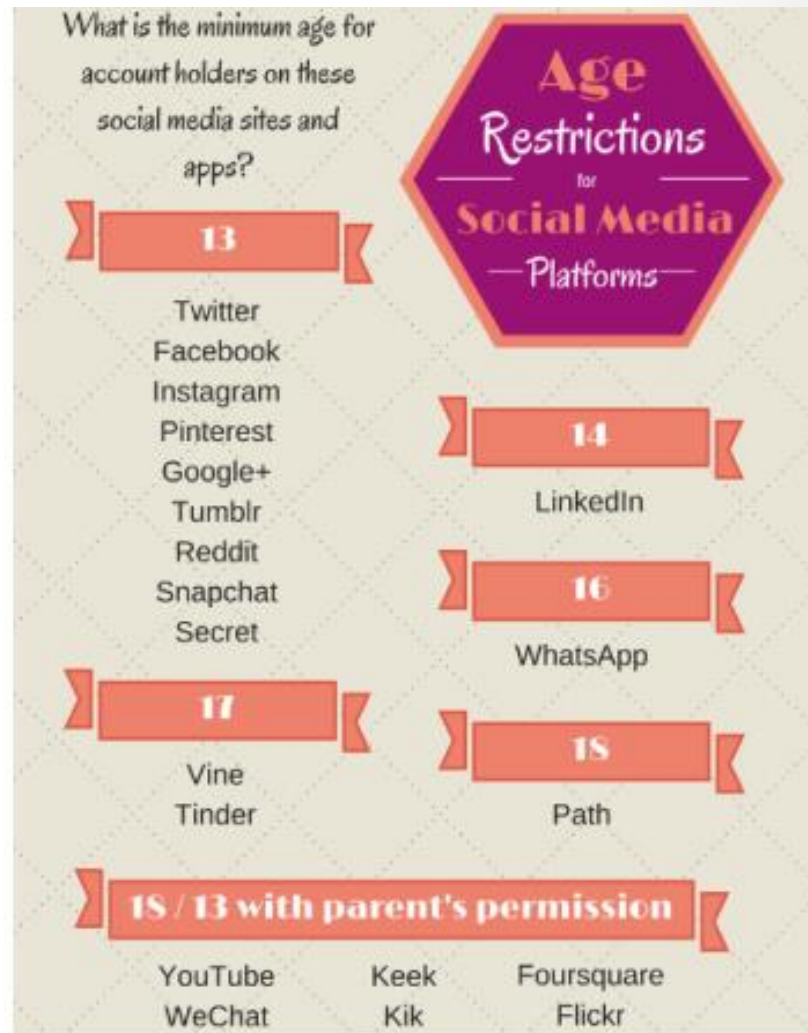
- Please can children bring a named water bottle to school everyday. It should have a sports cap to reduce spillages.
- Children need to bring a book bag into school and not a rucksack. This is so that they fit into trays easily. Please can we ask that they don't attach accessories to the book bags as we struggle then to fit them into trays!
- Please can children also bring into school a carrier bag with pumps and a change of clothes in which can be kept on their peg all year, in case of playground accidents!



Please be vigilant with social media and check which Apps your children are using. We would advise against group chats and posting photographs.

They should not be using Facebook, Instagram or WhatsApp at 6 and 7 years of age.

We promote E-safety at school and would appreciate your support with this at home.



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We took 30 of our children (including our winning year 6 cricket team) to Headingley Cricket ground today to watch Afghanistan V West Indies. We all had a brilliant time in the sunshine. The enthusiasm from our children was amazing!

TWITTER

If you use Twitter please follow our school account to keep up-to-date with what's happening in school!

@Cookridgeholy1



How you can help your child over the summer...

- Handwriting - neat, cursive script
abcdefg (Holiday diary?)
- Times tables (2, 5, 10 and 3) & number bonds within 10, to 20 and to 100.
- Reading - literally anything!

Have lots and lots of fun so you come back refreshed and ready to learn!



And finally...

- We are hoping to do this craft as part of our Kandinsky art topic in the Autumn term. If you could collect two or three large, circular stones over the holidays while you're on a beach etc then that would be lovely.



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