



Head Teacher: Mr. A. Mitchell

10th January 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year! We hope you had a lovely break. We both did, and are back full of enthusiasm for the term ahead!

Topic overview

Please find attached the curriculum overview. This term, our topic is 'The Great Fire of London'.

Home learning

We appreciate your continuing support with their learning. Our homework this half-term will be:

Reading - Children need to read and discuss their reading book at least **three times a week**. Please sign your child's reading record every time they read. Please ensure your child brings their book to school every day even if this is not finished. We will be launching the Year Two Reading Challenge on Monday in class - you will have probably noticed the display by the classroom door. We are hoping this will provide a visual incentive for children to want to read more, in order to move their character further around the London Landmarks!

Spellings - This will involve learning to spell high frequency words, common exception words and specific spelling patterns. Children will continue to receive their weekly spellings on a Friday and do their spelling test the following Friday.

Maths - Times Table Rock Stars launched last term and we would really like the children to play at home for 20 minutes per week to support quick recall. They can split this into two sessions of 10 minutes if they so wish.

Homework grid - Please also find details of some **optional** home learning activities.

Finally, please do not hesitate to contact either one of us if there are any queries or concerns. Thank you in advance for your support.

Best wishes,

Miss Bannister & Mrs Pearson



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