

## This term in Year 2

Hello everyone! We hope you had a lovely half term break. It was so lovely to see all the children return to school ready to learn. This is our second newsletter of the year. It will give you an overview of the term and all the fun things we are going to be doing!

Thank you for your support throughout Term 1. It's so lovely to see all the home learning and reading you have been doing. It really does make a difference to your child's education.

Please continue to practise Common Exception Words and reading at least 4 times a week.

We will soon be starting rehearsals for our Christmas nativity. We will be sending home the song words so the children can practice at home.

If you have any questions then please feel free to ask us.

Miss Jones & Mrs Brown

### Maths

As **mathematicians** this term we will be continuing to practise our addition and subtract skills.

We will then move on to look at shape.



### English

As **writers** we will be looking at the book 'Gigantic' by Rob Bidulph and 'Little Red' retold by Lynn Roberts. Through these texts, we will be learning how to use a range of conjunctions, using question marks and commas in a list as well as part tense verbs.

We will then be using Tom Fletcher's book 'The Christmasaurus' to inspire our narrative



### Enquiry

This term we are answering the question '**How are schools the same?**' This enquiry we will be **Geographers** and **Artists**. Our aim is to find out what schools are like around the world and compare them to ours.

At the end of the term we are hosting an exhibition between both classes to show the similarities between our school and a school in Japan. Through our enquiry we are studying a Japanese artist and recreating some of her work.



### RE

This term we are exploring the question 'Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?'

### Computing

This term we are using the ipads to learn drawing and sketching.

### PE

In PE this term we are using skills to learn two sports: **Football** and **Target practise**.

### PSHE

This term we are exploring the topic 'Celebrating Differences'



### Music

As musicians we will be practising the songs for our Christmas play.



Our PE days are **Tuesday** and **Wednesday**.

