



Welcome to Year 2 2026/27

Redwood Class



Meet the staff in Year 2



Miss Francis

Class teacher



Mrs Eason-Butler

TA

Monday



Mrs Bathgate

TA

Tuesday - Friday



Mrs Courtney-Smith

Cover Teacher

Thursday

Learning in Year 2

Autumn Term	Welcome to the world <i>We will be finding out about the features of the continents and oceans as well as the different climates there.</i>	Great Explorers <i>We will be focusing on explorations to the North Pole and linking it to our science work on habitats.</i>
Spring Term	Horsham v London <i>We will be comparing the similarities and differences between Horsham and London.</i>	London's Burning <i>We will be finding out about historic events including the Great Fire of London.</i>
Summer Term	Farming: Changes over time <i>How farming has changed in the last 100 years.</i>	A farm in India <i>Comparing farming and life in India.</i>

What to bring to school

- Water bottle
- Waterproof coat with a hood

Homework in Year 2

- Reading books are sent home every Friday and reading records due in on Wednesday. This will include a phonics book/reading book for your child to read to you and book for you to read to your child.
- Homework tasks will be set on a Friday and are due in on Wednesday, along with their reading books.
- We will be sending spellings tasks linked to the words/spelling rules we have learnt in class that week.
- Times Tables Rock Stars will be the maths homework and their logins will be sent home.

What's Coming up?

We will be visiting the British Wildlife Centre to support our science learning on Tuesday the 13th October - Letters will be sent out shortly via parentmail with more detail.



Our timetable

Year 2 Timetable													
	8 : 30	8 : 45	8:45 – 9:15	9:15 – 10:10	10 : 10	10 : 25	10: 45	11:00 – 12:00	12 : 00	1: 00	1: 25	2:25	3 : 05
Monday	JOURNALING	REGISTER	Guided Reading (Phonics interventions)	Maths	BREAK	WORKSHIP	HANDWRITING	English	LUNCH	Art/DT		Geography/History	STORY TIME
Tuesday			Guided Reading (Phonics interventions)	Maths				English		PHONICS / SPELLING	PE	Music	
Wednesday			Guided Reading (Phonics interventions)	Maths				English			Science	French	
Thursday			Guided Reading (Phonics interventions)	Maths				English			P.E.	PSHE	
Friday			Guided Reading (Phonics interventions)	Maths				English			Computing	RE: 	

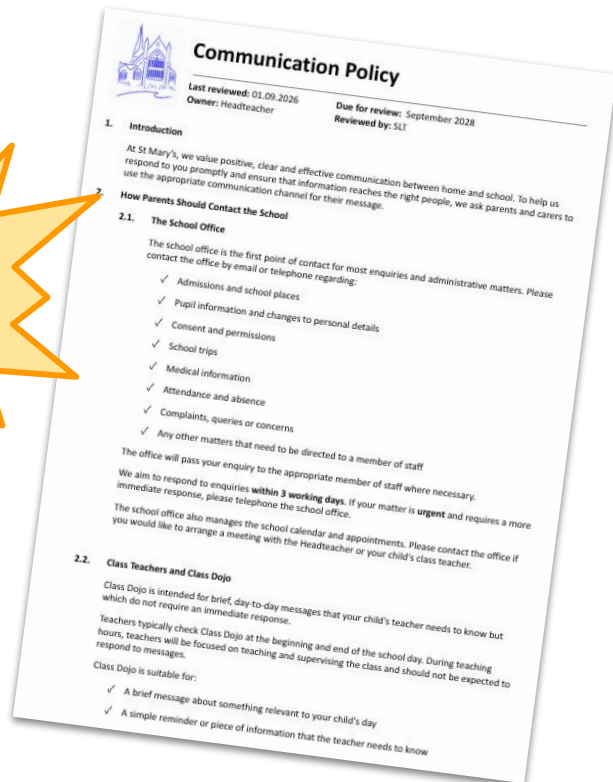
Communication

This year we are aiming to make communication as effective and efficient as possible.

Using the right route for different communications with school can help reduce work for staff and ensure it reaches the right person in a timely manner.

We have developed a communication policy to explain this, which we hope will be helpful.

**NEW
FOR
2026!**



Key point: Dojo is for short, quick 'need to know' messages only and may not be seen until after school.

Parent helpers needed!

We need parent helpers for...

- Reading
- Group work
- School trips
- Skill-sharing
- Classroom jobs
- ...and more!

Please complete a form to let us know how / when you can help out and watch the volunteer training video available on the school website.





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