



# Year 2 Newsletter

## Term 6

### What will be learning this term?

In Maths, we will be learning about measure and money. We will also be continuing to use the four operations and learning the 2, 5, 10 and 3 times tables.

In English, we will be recapping use of connectives, using apostrophes for contraction and possession and improving sentences. We will be practising finding and retrieving information from a text to answer a range of questions and working on our inference skills. We will also be enjoying poetry written by Allan Ahlberg.

In Science, we will continue to learn about plants and germination. We will be looking at the functions of the different parts of a plant and trying to germinate, and grow a plant of our own.

In Geography we will be locating Zambia on maps and identifying similarities and differences with a village called Mugurameno.

In DT this term we will be learning about axels and designing & constructing a Ferris Wheel.

In RE lessons, we will be continuing learn about Islam. The big question for Term 6 will continue to be 'What is Islam and how is it different to Christianity?'

In PE, we will be continuing to develop our team building skills with the sports coaches through a range of games and preparing for Sports Day.

In Computing, we will be learning how to use I.T. to create quizzes using Scratch Jr and creating our own algorithms.

In RSHE our topic is 'Safety First' and will focus on crossing roads, medicines and sun safety.

For more information about what your child in learning this term, please visit: [Our Curriculum | Birchington Church of England Primary School](#)

## Homework

Please remember to read frequently as well as learn your weekly spellings and learn your times tables.

Write and deliver a weather report	Make a mask	Buy something in a shop using cash and check your change
Learn a poem off by heart	Find out the rules to a board game you haven't played before and play with your friends or family	Plant some vegetables in your garden
Pull a plant, weed or flower out of the ground (with permission of the owner!). Draw a picture of the plant including its roots.	Research and make a list of as many African countries as you can.	Find out about the stories and poems that Allan Ahlberg wrote. Create a poster about his work.

## Dates for your diary

<p>Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th June</p> <p>Week beginning 8th June</p> <p>Week beg 8th June</p> <p>Monday 15th June</p> <p>Thursday 18th June</p> <p>Friday 26th June</p> <p>Saturday 27th June</p> <p>Thursday 2nd July</p> <p>Monday 6th July</p> <p>Friday 17th July</p> <p>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July</p>	<p>School photos</p> <p>Year 2 Phonics retakes</p> <p>Book fair in school</p> <p>PTA non uniform day (YR-3 sweet donation, Y4-6 bottles)</p> <p>Year 2 and 3 Sports Day (gates open to parents at 9:15am)</p> <p>Teddy Bears Picnic</p> <p>Summer Fair (11-2)</p> <p>Whole school transition</p> <p>French Workshop Year 2 Storytime</p> <p>Reports go home</p> <p>Year 2 Love to Learn Celebration Day - All Home Learning Books to be in school today please.</p>	
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If you have a concern about your child's learning, please initially speak to their teacher at the end of the day or contact via email to arrange a meeting or phone call. For more information about SEND, please visit: [SEND | Birchington Church of England Primary School](#)