



# Year 2 Newsletter

Mr Pryce

Welcome to the Summer Term in Year 2. This term we are *Green Warriors*! We will be doing a lot of work on looking after our world. This first half term we are reading *The Tin Forest*, *Michael Recycle* and *Litterbug Doug* - all with important recycling messages.

It is very important that your child continues to read **every** day at home. Reading records are checked daily. Well done to those children who are reading every night and remembering to get their reading records signed! Also, please talk to your child about their book as this will help their comprehension skills which are a focus in Year 2. Thank you for your continued support.

## English

This term we will write and publish our own superhero recycling stories. We will also write non-chronological reports about woodland animals. Finally, we will be writing and performing our own 'green' poetry.

## Maths

We will continue to look at place value, now including 3-digit numbers, along with different methods for addition and subtraction. You can help at home by continuing to practice the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables. You can also help your child with telling the time.

**Science** - Our topic is 'Animals including humans' and we will actually observe our own butterflies in the classroom grown from a chrysalis!

**Art and DT** - Year 2 will be learning about a famous artist called Jane Perkins. We will create amazing collages from old necklaces and buttons - if you have any donations of these items we would be most grateful!

**Computing** - This term the children will be using and modifying designs to create their own quiz questions using blocks of code. They will also use computers to create music.

## Notices

- PE is on Mondays and Friday - please continue to send your child to school with their full kit, including plimsolls.
- Please continue to send your child to school with a water bottle.
- Homework is given out on Friday, including spellings and times tables for a test the next Friday. Homework is due on **Tuesdays**.

