Emmeline Pankhurst Summer Newsletter

Key Dates

8.04.24 – School re-opens 15.4.24 – Positive Noticing Day 03.05.24 – May Day Parade 06.05.24 – May Bank holiday 22.05.24 – Wellbeing Day 22.05.24 – End of term July 2023 – Class trip (date to be confirmed)



Family Breakfasts

18.4.24 - Respect/Commando Joe's 02.05.24 - Stonewall

More family breakfast dates for Summer 2 to be confirmed.

Year 2 Summer Term

Welcome back, we hope you are well rested and ready for the Summer term. Across the term, we will be exploring different areas of the world and researching significant individuals throughout history.

Over this term Year 2 will be learning about how Bradford is different to other places in the world. This will include a focus on places in our country and places on other continents. We will also be completing some fieldwork during our visit to Filey as an extension of our coastline topic last term.

As part of our history topic, we will be focusing on Grace Darling and researching why she was important. Furthermore, we will discover the impact she has had on history and why we remember her. We will explore the history of seaside holidays and how they have changed in the last 100 years. Our trip to the beach will be a perfect fit to this topic!

Year 2 will also be learning about animals and how they grow over time, this will include exploring life cycles and finding out how certain animals survive in their habitats.

For more information, please see the school website for our Y2 Medium-Term Plan.

Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle that is filled with water every morning. Your child will be able to access their drink at any time of the day.

Filey trip

Year 2 will be visiting Filey for our trip this year as we have been learning about coasts in our geography lessons. More details about the trip will come soon. If you would like to be a volunteer on the trip, please speak to a member of the Y2 or contact the office.

Reading

Children should read at home at least 3 times a week. Please log each time your child reads on Boom reader. If you lose your login, please speak to the class teacher who can provide your child's details. Your child will bring their new reading book home on a Friday and must return it to school the next Tuesday.

Year 2 will continue to visit the library every Friday. Your child will be able to bring a new book home provided they have returned their previous one.

PE

Book Bags and Personal Belongings

Children can bring a bag to school to bring home letters, uniform and other important pieces of information. We ask that all personal belongings remain at home. Children do not need to bring any equipment from home. However, they must bring their bag with them every Tuesday and Friday to have their book changed.

Year 2 will continue doing PE on Tuesday afternoons. Your child should come to school in their PE kit on this day to avoid getting changed at school. They will need the correct coloured house T-shirt and black shorts. As we will be aiming to do PE lessons outside, your child can also wear a plain black hood ie, black track suit bottoms and trainers. Children will not leave their PE kit at school. As we are now in the Summer term, you may wish to send your child in with sun cream on.

