

YEAR 2



CURRICULUM INFORMATION MEETING



YOUR HOPES



Parents, while we wait find the label with your child's name on it and write one wish/hope/goal you have for your child for this year!

They will all be added to our School's Tree of Hope as part of the the Jubilee Year- Pilgrims of Hope



OVERVIEW

- To provide more information for parents about the Year 2 Curriculum
- To highlight key events across the year
- Share information on how you can help/support your child with their learning

Don't worry...

we can talk to you one-to-one as well!

STAFF IN YEAR 2

Class Teacher : Miss Smith

Support Staff:

Miss Perry

Miss Durtan



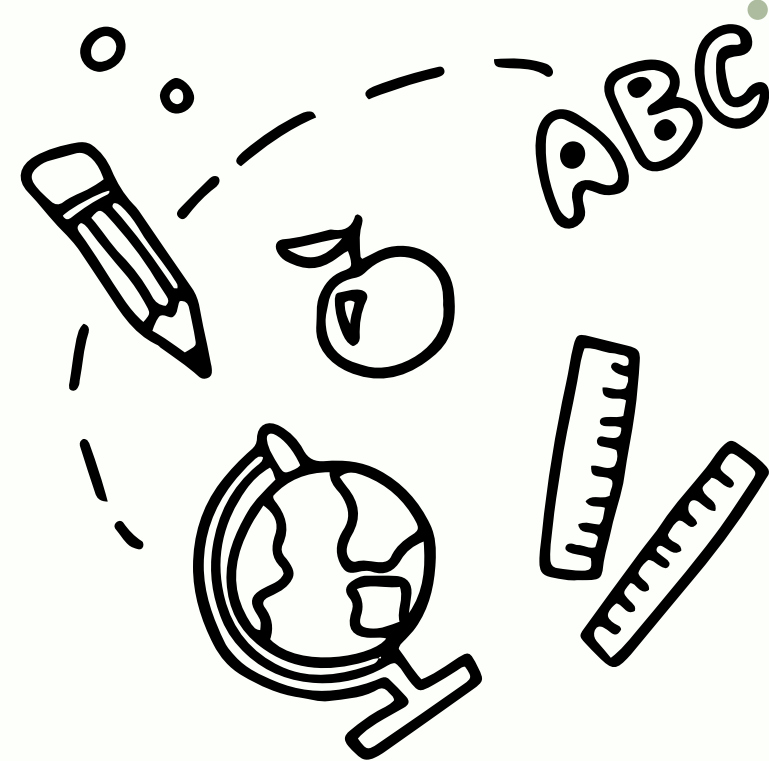
A TYPICAL WEEK IN YEAR 2



	8:30 - 9:00	9:00- 9:30	9:30 - 10:00	9:30 - 10:45	10:45- 11:00	10:4 - 11:15 11:15 - 12:15	12:00 - 1:00	1:00 - 2:00	2:15 - 3:20	
Monday	Morning work or Child Specific Activities	Mission Assembly	Phonics	Maths	BREAK	English	LUNCH	Spellings	Science	
Tuesday		My Happy Mind	Phonics	Maths		English		Mastering Number	RSHE	Computing
Wednesday		Hymn practice	Phonics	Maths		English		Mastering Number	RE	PE
Thursday		Child Led Assembly	Phonics	Maths		English		Mastering Number	RE	
Friday		Celebration Assembly	Phonics	Maths Fluency		English Reading		Mastering Number	Theme	

CURRICULUM SUBJECTS

- Maths
- English
- Phonics
- Religious Education
- History
- Geography
- Science
- PE
- RSHE
- Computing



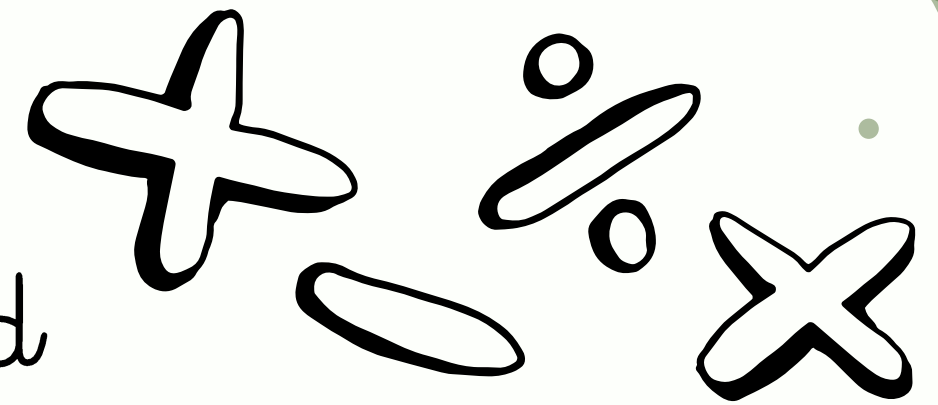
THE THEMES IN YEAR 2

The Great Fire of London
Exploring the UK
Our Wonderful World- India



ASSESSMENT IN YEAR 2

- Maths- reasoning and arithmetic teacher assessment and tests
- Reading- teacher assessment and tests
- Writing- teacher assessment
- Phonics- Phonics Screening Check



ENGLISH IN YEAR 2



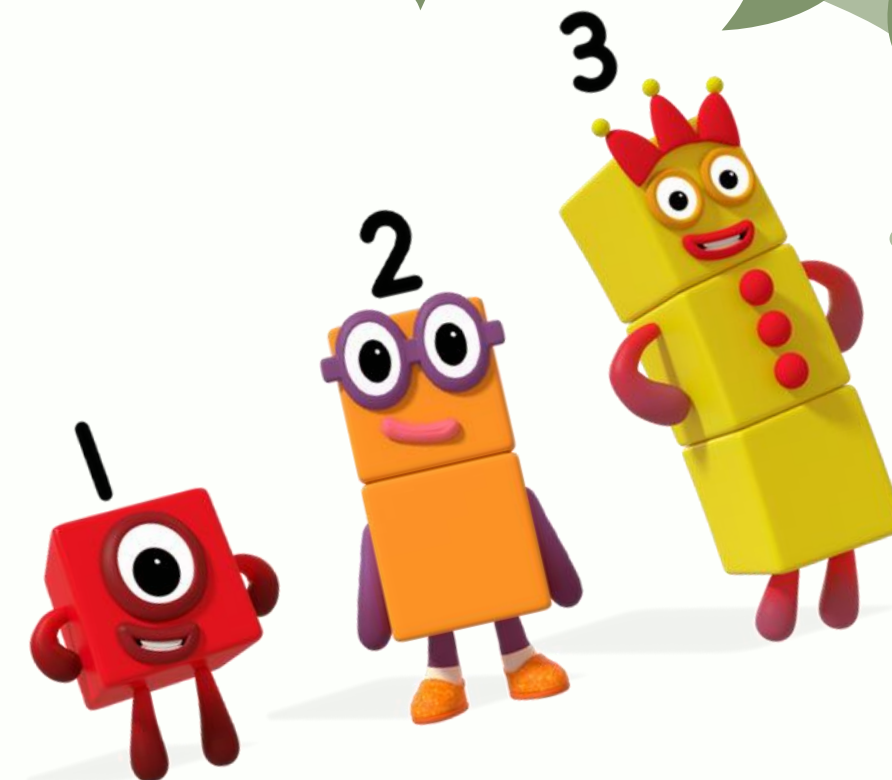
- Reading
- Phonics
- Writing
- Grammar
- Punctuation
- Spelling
- Handwriting



MATHS IN YEAR 2



- Maths No Problem
- Mastering Number



PE KIT

- Standard PE kit - Black shorts, plain white T-shirt
- Winter PE kit - trainers, black jogging bottoms, green school hoodie

P.E. sessions take place on Tuesday - this half term and Thursday after half term

Please ensure that the children wear PE to school on these days



KEY VOCABULARY



Year 2 Autumn Key Vocabulary



History

Vocabulary to revisit

History	Monarch
Historian	king
present	queen
past	

New Vocabulary

History	bakery
artefact	diary
source	timeline
monument	date
leather bucket	chronology
fire hook	past
gunpowder	

RE

Old Testament Stories and

Prayers

Old Testament	Hebrew
Bible	Word of God
Jewish	

Sharing in the Life of Jesus

Mary	call
Jesus	Rosary
Joseph	Saint
disciple	silence

Advent

preparation	Emmanuel
Advent Wreath	Zechariah
season	Elizabeth
prophet	John the Baptist

Science

Uses of Everyday Materials

suitable	rough
purpose	smooth
properties	waterproof
hard	absorbent
rigid	opaque
stretchy	transparent
human-made	translucent
absorb	natural



KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Forest schools- Thursdays until half term

School Photos- Friday 7th November

Trip to London- Friday 14th November

Assessment week- 24th November

Christmas Fayre- Tuesday 9th December after school

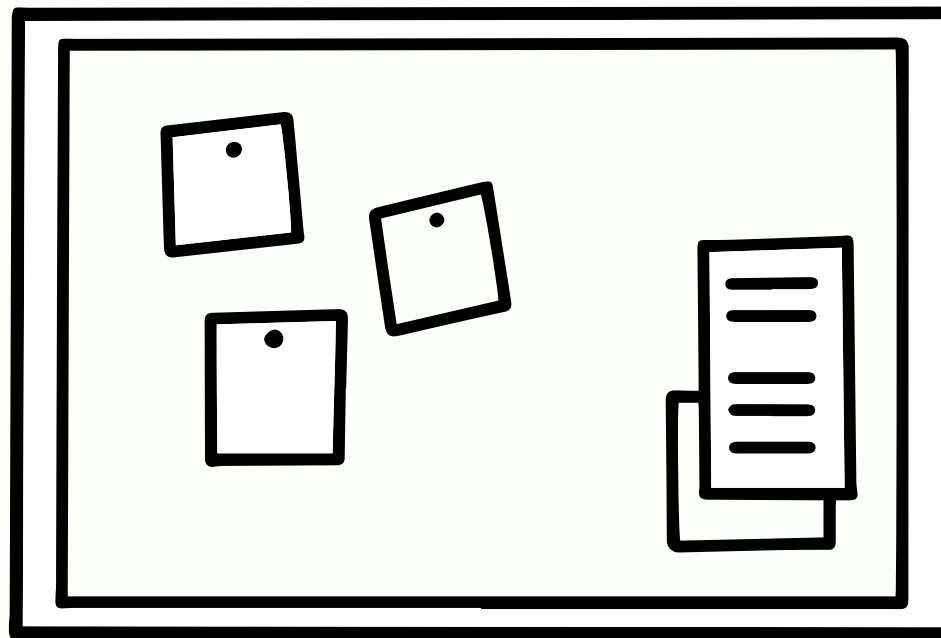
KSI Nativity- Monday 15th December- afternoon
and Tuesday 16th December- morning

Panto trip- Thursday 18th December

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



GENERAL REMINDERS



ABSENCES

- Please phone school on the first day and on subsequent days of illness
- Please limit appointments in the school day
- Holiday requests during term time will not be approved apart from in exceptional circumstances!

“A term-time holiday is cheap, but your child’s education is priceless.”

MEDICINES

- Asthma inhalers - labelled please!
- Prescription medicines to the office.



HOMework



Reading at least three times and recorded by an adult on the Boom Reader app.

Maths homework

Homework is sent out on a Friday and to be returned by Wednesday

Weekly spellings- test on a Monday

Times table rockstars:

We will send logins home



BOOM READER



Boomreader is an online method of recording all the reading that your child completes both in school and at home. It replaces the traditional paper version - and because it is online it can't be lost, forgotten or eaten by the dog! You can log in from any internet enabled device. Make sure when your child has finished a book you must change it to say completed.



The online reading record enables school and home to work together to progress a child's reading and it allows us to maintain a record from reception through to Year 6 rather than replace a reading record each year.

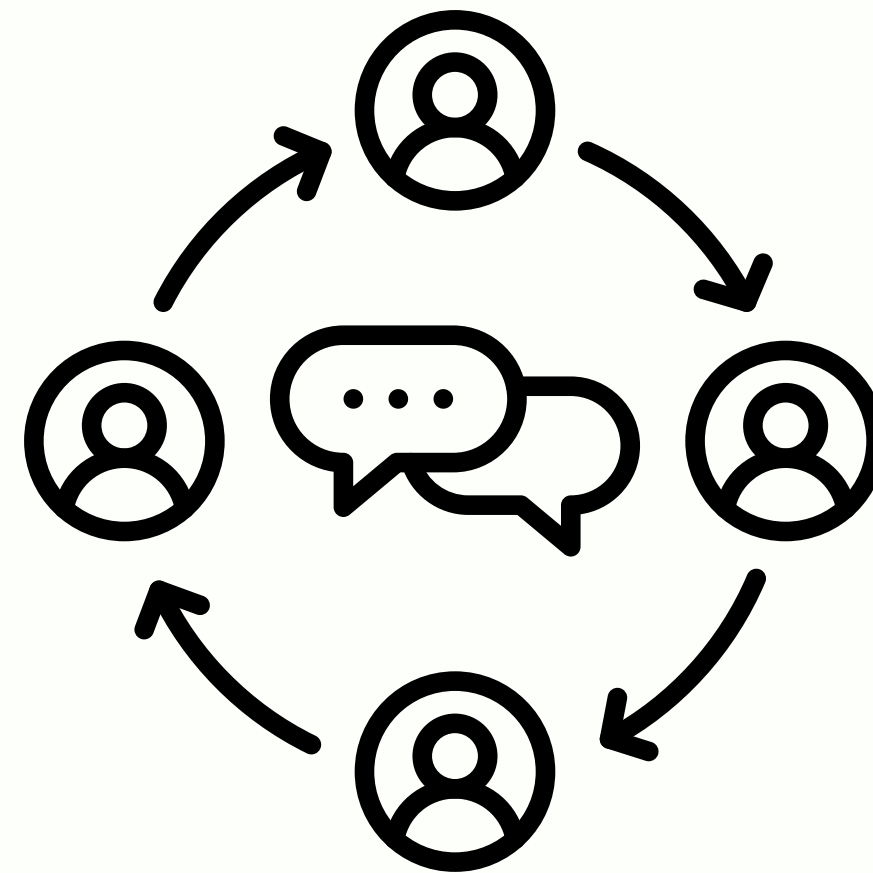
You can download the app here:

Search: Boomreader Parent



WE WANT TO HELP!

- Questions, concerns and even little niggles can have a huge impact in Year 2 so please talk to us!
- On the door
- By telephone
- With a written message





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Cardinal Wiseman is the secondary school in the Romero MAC. It is a school with which we will be completing a lot of transition and enrichment work. We can guarantee a supportive, progressive, catholic secondary education here as it is part of our MAC.



ANY QUESTIONS?

