Class 2 Newsletter Spring 1

Dear Parents,

We hope you had a safe and restful Christmas holidays. We have a jam packed half term ahead!

Curriculum

This half term our topic will be Medical Marvels- a topic web for this is attached to this newsletter. This will be alongside the usual curriculum for Maths and English. Our English class texts will be Traction Man and The Hodgeheg.

Reading

Please do continue to read with your child, encouraging them to discuss the book, give their opinion, and answer questions. We collect children's reading books in on Wednesday mornings via the blue tray by the topic display, and new books are handed out on Friday.

Homework

Homework will continue to be set on Fridays, and be due in on Wednesdays. Your child will receive a new learning log for our new topic. If there is not a new homeweek sheet stuck in your child's book, this means that they have been asked choose an activity from the learning log to complete.

Library

Our library day continues to be Monday, and children must bring in their books every week. They will be able to renew them if they have not finished reading them yet.

PE

Our PE lessons will continue to take place on Wednesdays and Fridays. We will be remaining inside this half-term, however it is useful for children to still have their full outdoor kit in school in case they need a change of clothes at any point.

Weather

As you will be aware, there are some challenging weather conditions forecast for the next few weeks. We will still be trying to get children outside for fresh air as

much as possible, so please ensure that your child comes to school wearing weather appropriate coats, hats, scarf, gloves etc.

In the event of snow, please send your child in with a suitable change of shoes (e.g. wellies), and a change of socks so that they are able to go out and play in the snow at break times.

We look forward to another busy half-term! If you have any queries, please feel free to get in touch.

Best wishes,

Mrs Cookson, Mrs Warnes & the Year 2 Staff

MEDICAL MARVELS

SCIENCE
Healthy living.

PSHE
What helps us grow and stay healthy?

RE
Is it important to celebrate the New Year?

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY
Florence Nightingale & Mary Seacole. Countries & capitals of the UK.

MUSIC
'I Wanna Play in a Band' Rock style.

COMPUTING
Presentation skills.

ART
The human body- clay.

DT
Dips and dippers.