

# Class 2 Spring 2018

## Welcome back!

We hope you had a lovely holiday and are ready for the exciting year ahead. Just a reminder that Mrs Taylor will be teaching Class Two on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, with Miss Newsholme for the remainder of the week.

## Timetable

### **Monday**

P.E kits in school for the week

### **Wednesday**

### **Thursday**

Planners checked

### **Friday**

Space mission test.

Spelling Test

## Our topic this half term is

# FANTASY ISLANDS

### The big idea

### I can design my own fantasy island

- Map work - locating the continents and oceans of the world.
- Learning about life in the oceans
- Making own maps, keys and symbols.
- Computing - LOGO map making and online safety.
- Painting and collage of sea scapes, underwater worlds.
- Collage and camouflage in underwater animals
- Large group sea sculptures
- Global warming and the oceans
- Orienteering
- Fantasy island stories and settings
- Co-ordinates and map reading
- Island explorers
- How plants grow
- Forces at work

## Need to contact us...

**Jot a note in your child's planner or we are always available on the playground at the end of the day.**

**Urgent: Please call the school office and ask to speak to the class teacher.**

The planners are checked at least twice a week. If you have written a note in them, please encourage your child to show it to us.

## Reading Homework

Please ensure your child reads daily at home and that you make a note in their planner of what they have read.

Children are given the opportunity to change their books on a daily basis. Please remember to sign the planners so we know they have been completed and remind them of the need to change them.

**For more detailed information on the learning for each curriculum area and specific year groups please refer to the curriculum page on the schools website.**