



# Newsletter

Class Dahl and Hargreaves  
Spring 1 Term 1 2026

## Personal Development

In our Personal Development lessons, we will be exploring safe and unsafe places.

The children will build an understanding that medicines (including vaccinations and immunisations and those that support allergic reactions) can help people to stay healthy.

They will also begin to recognise risks in everyday situations.

## Home learning

### Help at home by....

- Reading 5 times a week and recording in their reading journal or E Platform,
- Ensuring that your child completes their homework each week as this will support their learning.
- Help your child to learn their Y2 spellings.
- Make sure your child is regularly using Sumdog and Times Table Rockstars (logins are in the back of journals)

Recommended websites:

- [www.bbc.co.uk/education](http://www.bbc.co.uk/education)
- [www.topmarks.co.uk/](http://www.topmarks.co.uk/)
- [www.crickweb.co.uk/ks2literacy.html](http://www.crickweb.co.uk/ks2literacy.html)
- [www.eedi.com](http://www.eedi.com)

Recommended apps (All free!)

## Good News

Year 2 worked extremely hard on their Christmas performance. We hope you enjoyed watching us!

Year 2 created some fantastic print work inspired by our learning about the Victorians.



## Maths and English

This term in English we will be writing a narrative about loss based on the story Grandad's island. As part of our topic 'Bold Women in Black History' we will be writing a biography.

In Maths, we will cover money and counting various amounts. Followed by multiplication, division and statistics, focusing on our 2-, 3-, 5- and 10-times tables.

## Events and Key Dates

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January**  
**Parent Event @2:15pm**

## Curriculum overview

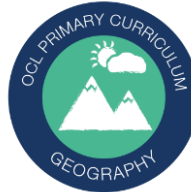
In History, we will be learning all about 'The Great Fire of London'.

In Geography, we will be learning about maps including basic symbols and scale.

In Science, we are learning about Materials including the physical properties and materials used for buildings.

In Music, we will be learning how to play the xylophone.

For more information, please refer to the Knowledge Organisers on your child's Showbie account on their iPad.



## Rocket Readers

Your child needs to be reading 5 times a week. This is vital for their progress in all areas of the curriculum! We are aiming for Y2 to have 100% Rocket Readers!

Please read with your child, ask them questions, discuss their book and record in their reading journal to bring back to school everyday.

