



Scotch Orchard Primary School

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Welcome to Year 2!



I am so excited to meet you all and begin a new year full of happy, creative learning with added challenges and opportunities along the way! I will be there to help with a calm transition back to school and into Year 2. Although we will continue to challenge ourselves, lessons will remain exciting and fun to promote a love of learning so we can believe in ourselves and achieve our goals.

Have a wonderful summer and I will see you soon!

Miss Ingle

Preparing for September

We know that you child may be feeling anxious about returning to school this Autumn. Please be reassured that we will do everything we can to make their transition back to school as smooth as possible. While our daily routines may change, subject to government guidelines, we will be in touch with you before term starts with more details regarding school timetables and weekly routines.

Class Dojo

Class Dojo has proved a tremendous success during lockdown and we will continue to use it next year to keep in touch with our children and families.

If you have not yet signed up, please contact L.ingle@scotchorchard.staffs.sch.uk



Homework routines from September

Year 2 children will continue to access our Book Banded reading scheme, which will be carefully matched to their phonic level. In order to promote all children to develop a **love of reading**, we will be expecting them to read to an adult at home at least three times a week and record this in their reading diary. The children can also choose a book from our school library to enjoy at home.

Weekly spellings will be set which will focus on common exception words, letter strings, sounds or spelling rules.

Children will be set weekly Maths homework, including games and activities which will consolidate the learning taking place in school and further develop their fluency and confidence in Maths.

PE & Forest School Kit

PE lessons will take place twice a week, so please ensure your child is appropriately equipped for both indoor and outdoor sessions from the first week of term. Teachers will advise when Forest School kit is needed.

Indoor Kit:

Black pumps, navy/black shorts, white t-shirt

Outdoor Kit:

Outdoor trainers, navy/black tracksuit, white t-shirt

Forest School:

Waterproof coat; long sleeved top & trousers; wellies or old trainers; hat, scarf and gloves (colder months)

School Uniform

Boys: White or pale blue shirt/polo shirt
Black, navy or grey trousers
Navy or grey jumper
Black, navy or grey tailored shorts (Summer)
Black or dark school shoes

Girls: White or pale blue blouse/polo shirt
Grey or navy skirt, trousers or pinafore
Navy or grey cardigan/jumper
Blue and white checked school dress (Summer)
Black or dark school shoes

Please ensure all uniform is labelled with your child's name.

School Leadership Team

Mrs Bishop
Headteacher



Mrs Braybrooke
Deputy Headteacher



Miss Sturch
Year 6 Teacher



Mrs Ford
Year 4 Teacher



Mrs Tomlinson
Year 1 Teacher

