

LKS2 New Term Newsletter

Badgers • Kingfishers • Dragonflies

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to a new school term! We hope you all had a wonderful break and are feeling refreshed and ready for an exciting term ahead.

We are looking forward to a busy and successful few months filled with learning, creativity and new experiences. Our pupils have already settled in brilliantly and we are excited to see them continue to grow in confidence and independence.

Core Learning This Term



English

Children will be studying the Sagas of Erik the Viking. They will be studying the language and plot in their reading lessons. The children will go onto write diary entries and then their own historical narratives.



Mathematics

We will start our maths learning with deeping the children's understanding of the number system. They will learn about the values of 3 and 4 digit numbers and will then go on to calculate with mental and written methods.



Science

The theme this half term is Eat, Chew, Digest. The children will learn about what animals eat in the wild; the movement of food through the digestive system and the importance of keeping our teeth clean.

Foundation Subjects for Autumn Term

	Geography	Adventures across the Americas
	History	The Viking Age
	Art	The Power of Colour
	DT	Preserve it!
	PSHE	Me and my Relationships
	RE	Life as a journey
	PE	Frisbee/Gymnastics & Fundamental Skills
	Computing	E-safety and core computer skills

Reading at Home



Reading regularly is one of the best ways to support your child's learning. Please encourage your child to read at home at least four times each week and remember to sign their reading record.

Attendance and Punctuality



Good attendance and punctuality are essential for children's learning. Please aim to ensure your child attends school every day and arrives on time.

Home Learning



Homework activities will be sent home regularly. These tasks are designed to:

- Reinforce learning from the classroom
- Develop independence
- Build positive learning habits
- Encourage children to share their learning at home

PE Days

Please ensure that your child comes to school with the correct PE kit on their designated PE day.

Earrings should be removed before lessons where possible.

	Badgers	Tuesday & Wednesday
	Kingfishers	Monday & Wednesday
	Dragonflies	Tuesday & Wednesday

Important Reminders

- 1 Bring a named water bottle to school each day.
- 2 Ensure all clothing and belongings are clearly labelled.
- 3 Check school communications regularly for updates and events.
- 4 Encourage children to talk about their learning at home.

Dates for Your Diary

- LKS2 Meet the Teacher – 14th September
- School photos – 30th September
- Parents evening – 6th & 7th October
- LKS2 Book looks – 2nd November

A Message from the LKS2 Team

Thank you for your continued support. Working together helps us provide the very best opportunities for your children. We are looking forward to a fantastic term full of learning, achievement and fun!

The Lower Key Stage 2 team,



Badgers
Mrs Bray



Kingfishers
Mrs Martin &
Mrs Welch



Dragonflies
Mr Mac