

#### Welcome to Year Two!

A big hello from the Year 2 class teachers Mrs Scopes (Monday to Wednesday) and Miss Arnold (Thursday and Friday). We are incredibly excited to teach your child this year and we will be supported by the wonderful Miss Jackson. Miss Butterfield will also be teaching in the classroom on a Tuesday afternoon. In this information sheet, you will find everything you need to know about the year ahead including what needs to come into school and when. If you have any questions or if you need anything during the year, please don't hesitate to ask. You can catch us at the end of the day at the Year 2 door or alternatively, you can contact us via the school email address which is admin@meanwood.leeds.sch.uk.

### Training Days

Monday 1st September 2025

Monday 5th January 2026

Friday 22nd May 2026

Monday 20th July 2026

Tuesday 21st July 2026

### Spellings

Spelling - Our Year 2 spelling scheme is called 'Spelling with the Jungle Club' and follows on from our FFT Phonics Scheme. We will learn spelling rules and patterns each week and children will be given a spelling test reflecting these on a Monday. Please see the weekly spellings on our class page under 'our learning'.

# P.E Days

Year 2 PE lessons are on a Wednesday and Friday Please make sure your child is wearing their school PE kit on Wednesday and Friday, beginning on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September which will be our first PE session led by Ollie our sports coach.

# School Trips

- Autumn: Meanwood Farm (Science - minibeasts)
- Spring: Temple Newsam (History - Great Fire of London)
- Summer: Scarborough (Geography -Scarborough)

## Reading Books

Reading books will be sent home once a week on a **Friday**. Your child will be given two books to read. They should then be returned no later than **Wednesday**. Please support us and your child with their reading journey by returning individual reading books weekly.

#### Reminders

- Please make sure everything that your child brings into school is named and labelled. It makes
  returning lost items much easier.
- Children should bring a water bottle into school that should have their name written on.

# <u>Helpful Guide</u>

Here is a little guide to know what needs to come into school and when. Print it out and stick it on your fridge!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spelling Test		Wear PE kit		Wear PE kit
		Return reading books		Reading books sent home