



Edward the Elder Primary School

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Wednesday 7th September

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the new academic year at Edward the Elder. We'd like to wish you all a very warm welcome to Year 2 and hope you've had a great summer break.

Supporting myself in Year 2 this year will be H.L.T.A., Mrs Hardwick- Dawson.

The autumn term is always a busy time for children in Year 2. In English, we will be learning about stories with familiar settings while also concentrating on spelling, grammar and punctuation (GPS). In Maths, we will be recalling number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 while also securing children's' knowledge of place value, addition and subtraction. In Science, we will be studying 'Materials' and in Geography we will be learning about the countries of the UK and the 7 continents of the world. In Art we will be creating an autumnal collage based on the work of Arcimboldo. After half term we will study transport through time in History and in DT we will be designing our own healthy fruit smoothie.

Our PE sessions are: **Monday** and **Friday**.

Please ensure that children have the correct PE kit in school at all times. This should consist of a white round neck t-shirt, shorts (preferably black or blue) and pumps. Water bottles can be purchased from the school office at a cost of £1.20. Please can we remind parents that **no** jewellery should be worn in school with the exception of stud earrings, and in line with Health and Safety guidelines these should **not** be worn on PE days. Children may be asked to remove earrings before PE sessions.

Children in Year 2 receive regular homework. Spellings will be given out on Friday and tested on the following Friday. Children are still expected to complete their reading comprehension homework and questions are usually found inside the front cover of their reading book. Children should complete at least one comprehension per week. Children reading junior band books will be expected to complete a reading journal (examples will be stuck inside their comprehension book). Additional creative homework (purple book) will also be given out throughout the year – look at for this in the next few weeks!

In an effort to provide you with as much information as possible, we have included a copy of your child's timetable. This gives a brief outline of your child's day but should be viewed as a guide only, as it is often necessary to change lessons as circumstances within school dictate.

The gate to the playground will continue to be opened at 8.45am and closed at 8.55am. Late children will need to report to the main office. The school day finishes at 3.15pm.

We look forward to a very enjoyable year full of learning and progress. If you have any questions/ queries now or throughout the year, please do not hesitate to speak to me, either after school or by making an appointment at the school office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs K. Worton
Year 2 Class Teacher

Mrs A Guest
Year 2-6 Phase Leader



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