

PE Kit - Yellow PE T-shirt, black shorts, trainers, black jogging bottoms and jumpers when weather is colder.

PE lessons are on **MONDAY** and **THURSDAY**

Monday — bring PE kits into school.

Thursday — please wear PE kits in to school and bring your school uniform to change into.

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM IS CLEARLY MARKED WITH THEIR NAME.

Jewellery - The children are allowed to wear a watch and, if they have their ears pierced, one pair of small stud earrings which must be removed for PE. No other jewellery should be worn.

Water bottles—Please make sure children have a named water bottle in class every day.

HOME LEARNING

READING Your child should read every day. Please read at least 5 times per week. This can include reading books, magazines, comics, newspapers.

SPELLINGS - will be given every week for your child to learn.

SPELLING TEST is usually on a **WEDNESDAY**

READING EGGS AND MATHLETICS Your child can access these using their logins which have been provided. Please encourage your child to login in at home and have a go!

We all follow the same three school rules:

1. We respect all members of the community
2. We follow instructions
3. We use our hands, feet and other objects in a kind way.

Furzefield Primary School



Curriculum Information Year Two

English

We will be looking at a variety of genres this term, including narratives, letter writing and recounts.

We are going to be joining our English learning with our History and our Science. We will be using lots of stories to develop our understanding of the world, including Tidy, Meerkat Mail and The Secret Garden.

How you can help at home:

Practise spellings and handwriting
Daily reading (1:1)
Reading Eggs



Maths

This term we will be recapping our previous learning and improving our multiplication and division skills.

We will also be learning about shape, statistics and developing our understanding of measure.

How you can help at home:

Mathletics
2x 10x 5x Times tables
Number bonds to 10 and 100



Science

This term we will be continuing our learning about Animals including Humans, looking at how we grow and change through our lives and what we need to survive.

We will also be studying Plants. We will look at what a plant needs to grow and survive and will be working together to grow vegetables in the year group flower bed.

How you can help at home:

Explore things around you. Plant flowers or vegetables at home, either in pots or in the garden.
Read non-fiction books.



PSHE

The first half term we will be discussing LOVE and HAPPINESS!

The second half term we will be discussing HEALTH and FAMILY! We will use stories to look at different families and discuss what we think love is. We will then look at how to keep ourselves healthy, including cleaning our teeth, exercise and diet.

We will also be visited by the Breck Foundation who will discuss safety online—linking with our Computing learning.

YEAR 2 TEAM
NORWAY
Mrs Williams & Mrs Grogan
DENMARK
Miss Murphy & Mrs Wilson

Art and DT

We will be creating our child initiated DT projects. The children will design, resource, create and evaluate their own project based on our history topic.

How you can help at home:

Start to collect materials that might be useful for making models. We will send a letter home once the children have planned what they would like to make.



Computing

We will be continuing to developing our keyboard skills and basic computing skills. We will also be studying photography and the children will have the chance to build their own 3D games on Purple Mash.

How you can help at home:

Purple Mash
Open and Save documents



TOPIC - History

We will be continuing our History topic looking at the Stuarts and Tudors. We will be visiting Hampton Court Palace to see what it would have been like to live like royalty. We will also be celebrating the Queens Jubilee. We will study the members of the Royal family, compare Royal homes and look at the Queens coronation and other important events throughout the Queens reign. The whole school will be celebrating the jubilee, and more information will be available nearer the time.



How you can help at home:

Watch the news for events relating to the jubilee.
Visit historical places of interest.

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Islam— We will be studying the symbols associated with the Islamic religion and discussing their beliefs and how they are similar or different to our own.



Music

This term we will explore pitch and tempo using instruments and our voices. We will perform the Earth songs we have been learning and have the chance to use instruments.

EVENTS

- * Trip to Hampton Court Palace
- * Drama Workshop
- * French Workshop
- * Sports Day

PE

This term in PE, we will be developing our skills in athletics—jumping, throwing and running at distance or speed. We will also be practicing our striking and fielding skills.

How can you help at home:

Practice throwing and catching. Watch the Commonwealth games.

