



The Crossways Schools
Learning Together, Stronger Together



Meet the teacher Year 2

Year 2 Staff

- * Mrs Heath
- * Mrs Harrison
- * Miss Toms
- * Miss Meaton
- * Mrs Dickenson
- * Mrs Golledge
- * Miss Hopkins
- * Mrs Trotman
- * Mr Soriano

Class Organisation

- * Routines
- * Break time snacks and milk
- * Developing independence – lunch boxes, book bags (changing books every morning), class post bag
- * PE bags - named
- * Class rules
- * Values
- * PPA
- * Children's School Council

How you can help

- * Check the website
- * Look at the Topic map
- * Please check your child's book bag for letters
- * Reading - 5 reads a week
- * Newsletters
- * Home learning grids

English

- * Reading - Tally in margin (25 reads)
- * PM benchmarking / Comprehension focus
- * Daily/guided reading & phonics in school
- * Book level progress- comprehension and consistency
- * Writing awards
- * Cursive handwriting - Upper/lower case letters
- * Challenge and spelling words
- * Writing from home

Mathematics

- * Practical Maths- support at home, shopping, cooking, time
- * 100 squares and number lines
- * Counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s
- * Writing of numerals, order, estimation, recognition
- * Number bonds & place value
- * Mathematics

Topic

- * Relates to English and Maths
- * Life experiences link- trips
- * Home learning grid
- * Different sources used at school- artefacts, internet, books, visits
- * Items from home
- * Expert knowledge

PE

- * Year 2 PE Wednesday and Thursday
- * Kits in school
- * Hair and earrings
- * Future Stars coaches in Term 1 football skills
- * Independent changing
- * Labelling of clothes

Assessment and progress

- * Parent's evening in last week of T1
- * Long report T6 with summary of progress across subjects and targets
- * Teacher assessment – three times a year
- * 2 way communication

End of Year 2 Tests

- * All children
- * During May
- * Two reading
- * Two mathematics
- * Writing assessed over the term
- * SPaG
- * Teacher assessed level
- * Phonics retest (if required)

Ways you can help

- * Keep staff informed of any relevant information
- * Encourage independence
- * Parent helpers sign up
- * Join CPTA- Class Reps required
- * Dismount bikes and scooters on playground
- * Staff on playground from 8.45
- * No supervision prior to this

Questions?