

Welcome to Willow Class



We are looking forward to getting to continuing to work with you in September in Year 2! This is the first of our newsletters, which you will receive each half term. It lets you know what we are going to be learning about to help you support your child at home as well as any important news, dates or events!

We are Mr Allen and Mrs Pond.



We are looking forward to having loads of fun together

Your child has been asked to collect some photos and other memorabilia from their experience of lockdown. For the first two weeks of term the children will have an opportunity to talk about the pandemic and what it meant to each of us as a way to help them make sense of the last six months.

As part of that work we will be making Covid 19 diaries that they will be able to keep and treasure as a part of living history.

P.E.

Our P.E. days are Monday and Thursday.

We will let you know whether they are permitted to bring in P.E. kits or whether they need to wear trainers in September.

Thank you



Books, books, books!

We are still unsure of what the government guidance will be in terms of reading books and moving objects from school to home and vice versa. As soon as we are notified we will make sure you are informed.

Please continue to support your child reading at home with the books available to you.

Thank you for your support.
Happy Reading!



There are a number of great website links on our website under class 2 for the children to explore over the year.

We recommend that you have a look!

For the foreseeable future we will not be taking part in school trips. However, our first topic is "Artists impressions of me". This will involve looking at artists such as Van Gogh, Matisse, Monet, Da Vinci and Worhol



Through our topic of History, the children will be learning about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole. They will compare them and find out why these two people have influenced the modern world.



In Science, we will be learning about one of Mr Allen's favourite topics... animals! We will be learning about how they change as they grow. This will also include the importance of staying healthy.

In R.E, we will be learning about the Christian and Hindu story of creation. We will be seeing how they differ and why these stories are important to different people



In DT, the children will be getting the opportunity to make a picture frame. The children will design their frame, create it and then evaluate it at the end.

