

CLASS LETTER AUTUMN TERM 1



ROKEBY PRIMARY SCHOOL
PART OF STOWE VALLEY MULTI ACADEMY TRUST

Dear parents/carers,

We hope you have all had a fantastic summer and we are so excited to get going with our Year 2 learning this September. This half term we will be focussing on settling the children back into routines and school life, with an emphasis upon mental health and wellbeing, to ensure they are in the best mindset to embrace learning.

If you have any questions or worries about anything, please speak to a member of the year 2 team or message Miss Raza via class dojo and we will do our best to help.

The Year 2 Team 😊

2R

Topic

Our topic work will be based upon the text 'Grace and Family' by Mary Hoffman, which will generate some interesting discussions and learning opportunities.

Foundation Subjects

Our learning opportunities will include:

- Understanding food hygiene.
- Understand terminology related to cooking and manufacturing food products.
- Find features on a map and create own maps.
- Understand how music can tell a story.
- Use our voices to make music.
- Exploring animals and their habitats and how animals are well adapted to their habitat.

Reminders

Class Dojo – Every Friday, a weekly update is posted in the class story section of dojo, to inform you about the wonderful learning 2R have completed and also any reminders that you may need.

PE – PE lessons are on a Wednesday afternoon. Please make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit. Please check the school website or ask one of us if you are not sure what they need to bring.

Spellings – our weekly spellings test will take place on a Friday and new spellings will also be handed out on this day. Please make sure you support your child with practising these at home. Spellings will be sent out via class dojo.

Reading – We encourage you to read at home with your child a minimum of 3 times per week. Please record this in their reading record. Reading could include their school reading book, a home reading book, newspapers, magazines or anything you can get them to pick up and read. Books will be changed on Mondays in line with our Little Wandle reading groups.

Parents Evening – Monday 23rd October and Tuesday 24th October.

Please make sure the following are in school daily:

- Reading book
- Reading record
- Water bottle

Useful Websites

Oxfordowl - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/help-child-learn-age-6-7/>

Phonics play - <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/5>

BBC Bitesize - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z3g4d2p>