

**Literacy**

Children will continue to be taught through daily Read Write Inc. or Power of Reading lessons. In POR our book is Grace & Family. It is important your child continues to practice reading sounds and the spellings in their homework.

Daily guided reading sessions will include comprehension work, super sentences and reading with an adult, which will focus on skills such as predicting, summarising and questioning.

Help your children to fully understand their home reading books by practicing the above skills. This will prepare them to take their iPad tests.

**ALL children need an STA book bag.**

**Numeracy**

Children will be learning to recognise equal parts of a whole, name and write half of a shape and line and recognise, find and write halves, thirds and quarters of a shape.

Children will be learning to be able to name and write fractions and fractions of shapes. They will be recognising, finding, naming and writing half of a quantity.

Children will be learning to be able to compare equivalent fractions two quarters and one half. Children will then be moving on to time. They will be gaining an understanding of time in hours and minutes, reading the time on an analogue clock. They will be writing the time in words and be solving time related word problems.

**Key Routines**

**Monday: Music & RE**

**Tuesday: Swimming – Ebony class**

**Wednesday:**

**Thursday:**

**Friday: Swimming – Nutmeg class**

**Key Dates**

TBC

**Homework**

Will be linked to our current maths unit and our current IPC topic. There will now be a focus on writing in preparation for the SATS.

This will be expected to be returned, completed, every Monday.

There will also be a list of spelling words. These need to be practised as much as possible before the children take a spelling test the following Tuesday.

**How you can help your child at home**

Please read your child's school reading book with them every night and ask them lots of questions related to the text. This will enable the children to successfully complete the online reading quiz. Practise spellings using the 'write, cover, check' method. Encourage your child to complete their homework independently.



*Year 2*

*2 Ebony & 2 Nutmeg*

*Summer Term 2015*

*1<sup>st</sup> Half*

*Staff in Class*

*Rachel Stone & Catherine Ewing  
(Class Teachers)*

*Salma Banu, Hilary Mehmet &  
Susan Louis (Teaching  
Assistants)*

**In Science, we'll be finding out:**

- Where sound and light come from
- How we can make sounds with our body
- What sounds we can make with objects
- What happens when sounds enter our ears
- How animals use their sense of sight and sound
- How we can change sounds

**Science - Look and Listen****Milepost 1 - Summer Term 1****Year 2****In Music, we'll be finding out:**

- How to play a drum rhythm

**In International, we'll be finding out:**

- How languages are made up of different sounds

**In Technology, we'll be finding out:**

- How to design and make a drum