

Year 2 Newsletter – 24th February 2023

Dear Parents,

We have updated the g-suite site with information about home projects for this half term. There are three projects listed, all of which are optional and your child may wish to do one or more of them. We ask that they be brought into school on Monday 27th March.

For our Geography topic, the classes will be taking a walk around Addiscombe on **Thursday 16th March** to collect data on the local area. We will be leaving school just after 1pm and we will return in time for the end of the school day. If there are any parents and carers who are able to join us on this trip, your help would be very much appreciated.

The Year 2 Team

This week's learning:

Maths – We will be learning to steps required to subtract a 2-digit number from another 2-digit number. (bed jumps)

English – Writing a character description of Katie Morag

RE – We will begin our Lent topic by exploring how each day can bring opportunities for doing good.

Geography – The children will be comparing their own locality to that of a seaside location. They will be saying what they like and dislike about the areas.

History – We will be learning about Alexander Graham Bell and how the invention of the telephone changed communication.

PE – We are looking at balancing in a range of shapes in our gymnastics lessons. With Coach Martin, the children are learning how to play an appropriate form of rugby.

Music – We are learning songs about friendship, finding and keeping a beat and making up our own rhythmic patterns.

Spellings – Test Friday 10th March

Focus: adding -es to nouns and verbs ending in -y

babies

worries

stories

ladies

parties

duties

lorries

tries

cities

replies

Key Dates

9th March – Parents' Evening 1

16th March – Walk around Addiscombe