

## Welcome to Summer 2!



### School Trip and Sleepover

The whole school are walking laps of Talkin Tarn (1.3 miles circular route) on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July. Working alongside Calthwaite School Support Group (our PTA) we are raising money in the hope of buying an outdoor themed piece of play equipment in the form of a large play boat. You could sponsor per lap or just give an amount. Thank you, we really appreciate your support and generosity.

On the same day, Class 2 are invited to take part in a sleepover for one night at school. The children will be sleeping in tents in the hall and we will be playing games and watching a movie. The adults involved are Miss Quigley, Mr Harvey, MRs Lawden and Mrs Harper.

Pick up is at 8am on the Saturday.

#### Important Dates

During our first week back ( $2^{nd} - 6^{th}$  June) we are swimming at Woggle Goggle for our final session of the year.

Class 2's Forest School dates for this term are  $23^{rd}$  June and  $30^{th}$  June.

Our Class photo day is on **Friday 6^{th} June.** 

Talkin Tarn sponsored walk and Class 2 sleepover **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July.** 

Aquarium Trip **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – more details to follow.

#### Reading at home

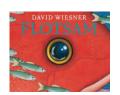
Children will bring home with them their reading book and reading record every day. They are encouraged to read at home with an adult every day, with any RWI books read three times to support fluency. Any other colour banded books are to be read once before they can be changed.

Our topic this half term is...

# Our Blue Planet

#### Our key texts are:





This half term we will be learning about our Blue Planet! In Geography our enquiry question is 'What is it like to live by the coast?' We will be looking at the oceans and seas that surround the UK and use a compass to explain their location.

In Maths, we are continuing with our work on Fractions, before moving on to Time.

In RE our question is: why is the church a special place for Christians? We will also spend time looking at holy building of other faiths, including Hinduism, Islam and Judaism.

In Science we are learning what animals' need for survival where we will recap what mammals, birds, reptiles, fix and amphibians are and learn about what they need to survive. We will also spend some time looking at sustainability – with plastic in particular and how it can be harmful to



In Music we will be looking at traditional instruments from India and learn to play instruments and sing in time. In art, our unit is called 'Map it Out' and we'll explore and create maps through different art forms.

In PSHE, our unit is called Growing and Changing and we'll look at different relationships and what is meant by personal space.

In computing we'll be looking at media.

As always, if you need me, please don't hesitate to get in touch, either on Class Dojo or at school.

