


Year 2 Newsletter Autumn 2 2018

<p><u>Topic</u> We are going to explore different properties of materials, take part in investigations and identify why specific materials have been chosen for their suitability of different objects.</p>	<p>In other areas: Literacy – We have written recounts. We will be learning how to write persuasive letters and acrostic poems.</p> 
<p><u>Reading</u> Currently, every class is amounting masses of dojo points for reading. Well done and keep up the good work.</p>	<p>Maths – We have focused on addition and money. Now we will be focusing on multiplication.</p>
<p><u>Homework Challenge</u> Our homework challenges have changed. We will continue to send home maths and literacy work on a weekly basis. You could support your child by practising their handwriting with them and reading on a regular basis. Please remember to record every read in their yellow reading record book.</p>	<p>P.S.H.E. is focussing on ‘Celebrating Differences’. So far, the children have learned about gender stereotypes and what to do if they are being bullied.</p> <p>R.E. work is focussing on Christmas and how Christians believe Jesus is a gift from God.</p>
<p>P.E. will continue on Tuesday morning and Friday afternoons. The focus will be on floor gymnastics and dance. Children must bring appropriate footwear for outdoor activities.</p>	
<p><u>Trip to Oldham Gallery</u> The trip will give the children a greater understanding of Oldham’s history and the importance of cotton. This links to our Science topic which is exploring different materials. Tuesday 11th December 2018 – 2 Red Friday 14th December 2018 – 2 Green Monday 17th December 2018 – 2 Blue and 2C (Mather Street)</p> <p>We are asking for a £3 voluntary contribution for each child.</p>	