

## Our Teachers



Miss Gatton 2G



Mrs Edmunds 2EO



Mrs O'Byrne 2EO

Newbridge  
Primary School

## Learning in Year 2 Term 3 – 2018/19

### The start of the school day

All pupils need to be in the classroom by 8:50am and can come in from 8:45am.

Parents and carers should wait outside the classroom with their child until this time.

If for any reason you are late bringing your child to school, please proceed to the office and sign them in.

If your child is ill, please contact the office on each day of absence.

Remember that if someone else is collecting your child, this must be recorded in the 'Going Home Book'.

### Equipment your child needs every day

- A filled water bottle, book bag, reading book, reading log, homework folder, PE kit, coat
- School uniform (in line with the school code of dress)
- A packed lunch, if your child usually has one
- Please ensure all personal items are named

## Our Teaching Assistants

Mrs Clarke



Miss Auld



Mr Day



Mrs Kamal

### Upcoming dates

None

### Requests for resources

- Any old waterproof trousers or waterproof coats.

Please find a link to the [National Curriculum](#)

### Special visits and visitors this term

- Forest School (every Wednesday for Year 2 – classes alternate.)
- 2EO start Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January
- 2G start Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

### Requests for help

- Any help with:
  - Daily readers
  - A weekly cooking slot with a small group and a weekly library helper would be very much appreciated

## English

- Spelling, punctuation and grammar work – full stops, capital letters and commas in a list, plurals and contractions.
- Spelling Y2 common exception words.
- Narrative writing using the writing process- plan, write, edit and publish.
- Character descriptions and story setting descriptions.

## History

- N/A

## Art

- Art with Mr Baigent
- Treasure island maps

## Drama

- N/A

## Physical Education

- Gymnastics
- Dance

## Curriculum support

- Additional small group/individual phonics support for identified children
- Writing and maths interventions for identified children
- 1:1 reading for identified children

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## Science

- Uses of everyday materials- Identify and compare the suitability everyday materials, find out how the shapes of some solid objects can be changed

## Computing

- Multimedia - Use technology to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content

## Religious Education

- What do Christians believe about forgiveness?

## PSHE

- How to make new friends
- Say no to bullying

## Our Newbridge Journey

**Our enquiry is:** *What makes something special?*

This means we will be learning about what is special to us and others and what makes us special.

**The key skills we will be developing are:**

I am curious about new things and ask questions to find out more information (who, what, when, where, why and how).

I can plan tasks with some help.

I can enjoy creating things.

I can use different tools and techniques to be creative

## Mathematics

- Multiplication and division-recognise and make equal groups, multiplications using the x symbol, using arrays
- Learning 2, 5 and 10 times tables

## Geography

- Locating the 7 continents and 5 oceans on maps.
- Maps and keys.
- Making maps

## Music

- PPA Music - The long, the short, the high, the low: pitch, melody and rhythm.

## Design Technology

- Making treasure chests and presenting them to the class.

## Home Learning

- Termly Home Learning Grid
- Daily Reading
- Weekly spellings
- Counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s forwards & backwards
- Maths with Parents – parental choice

## British Values

- Tolerance of other faiths and beliefs
- Responsibility and respect