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Year 2 Autumn Term Newsletter 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

The children are settling in well to Chestnut Class and we are looking forward to a positive Autumn Term of learning.

We will be supported in class by Cece. Clare will teach RE and Fleur will take the class for an hour of PSHE on Monday afternoons while I work on planning and preparation.

This table shows the weekly events for Chestnut class.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Activities in school		PE (wear kit to school)			PE (wear kit to school) Library
Your child will need	Book bag Water bottle *Reading books	Book bag Water bottle *Reading books	Book bag Water bottle *Reading books	Book bag Water bottle *Reading books	Book bag Water bottle *Reading books Library book

PE: The children will have 2 PE sessions a week. Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct PE Kit – trainers, dark shorts/leggings, plain white/navy T-shirt. This term's PE will be both inside and outside – please ensure that your child wears warm, suitable clothing as the weather gets colder.

Water bottles: It is vital that your child brings a water bottle to school each day, to ensure they stay hydrated. Please ensure your child has a water bottle with their name on it.

Homework: Homework will be set on Friday afternoons using Seesaw and should be completed by the following Wednesday.

Reading: It is so important to read as much as possible at home – thank you for supporting your child with their reading. Reading books will be sent home weekly. *Please note, your child will be given a designated day on which to bring their reading books back to school for exchanging. Please encourage your child to read to you and discuss the book together. We will be visiting the library on Friday afternoons, once it re-opens for the academic year. Please ensure that your child brings a bag to school on Fridays so that they are able to take a library book home.

Curriculum Map: The curriculum map will be uploaded to the website in due course. This will give you an overview of what the class will be learning this term. If you would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your continued support,
Mrs Cavanagh