

# Y2- Summer 2 Newsletter

### Upcoming Events

Monday 13th June -School Photographs

17th June - Wear yellow for Cystic Fybrosis Day

27th June 2pm - Key Stage 1 Sports Day

4th July - DT Week

8th July - Reports will be coming home. Parents are invited into the classroom to discuss your child.

13th July - Rockpool School Zoom lesson

> 18th July -Transition Week

20th July - Summer Fair

## Messages

A huge well done to all pupils in Y2 on completing their Key Stage 1 SATs. All pupils worked hard to complete these to the best of their ability and we are so proud of all of them!

Home Reading
Pupils will continue to bring home their reading books
home on a Monday, these need to be returned every
Friday so books can be changed and sent out again on
the following Monday.

Apps and Websites
All pupils have log ins for Purple Mash, Maths Whizz
and Times Table Rock Stars and are encouraged to use
these at home to support their learning.
Some pupils also have a log in for Lexia.

<u>PE kit</u>
Our PE lesson is on a Thursday. Pupils need to come to school in their PE kits - shorts/joggers, a t-shirt and trainers.

<u>Water Bottles</u>
All pupils need a clear water bottle containing only water, in school every day, these need to be taken home and washed daily.

## Staffing and contacts

<u>Assistant Head and Phase Leader</u> Mrs Kirsty Roantree - kirsty.roantree@vennacademy.org

<u>Teachers</u> 2HC - Mrs Craven - hannah.craven@vennacademy.org 2KR - Kirsty Roantree - kirsty.roantree@vennacademy.org

<u>Teaching Assistants</u> Mrs Barnett Mrs Garmston Mrs Watson



# Together we will master...

## English

Pupils will be writing a story using Sierra Leona as a setting. We will use Lila and the Secret of Rain as a stimulus.

We will use our knowledge of Sierra Leone to write an information text.

We will write letters to our new teachers.

### Science

We will be learning about living things and their habitats.

We identify habitats as a home and give examples of animals and plants habitats.

Geography
We will be learning about Sierra Leone and how the city of Freetown compares to Hull. We will look at the physical and human features of Freetown and Hull.

Computing
We will be learning about coding.
We will learn how to debug a program and create a pictogram.

We will be evaluating smoothies that are already available before tasting fruits and vegetables that can be used in a smoothie. We will then design, make and evaluate our own smoothies.

### Maths

In maths we are continuing to explore time and telling the time to the nearest 5 minutes. We are also completing our Maths No Problem Assessments

We will be exploring the volume of differnent containers and exploring how much water they hold.

### Music

We will use our voices to make different noises and learn how to make different sounds using percussion instruments.

### RE

We will be learning more about Islam, specifically Hajj and why this special journey is important to Muslims.

We will focus on fielding and striking, learning how to bat and bowl and field effectively.

### PSHE

We will be talking about the changings that are happening to us. We will talk about how we have changed since being a baby. We will link these changes to changes in school such as moving to Year 3 in September.

