

# **Year 2/1L Newsletter**

## **Summer Term 2023**



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Summer Term! I hope you have all had a chance to have a rest and a chance to make new memories. We are now heading into Summer Term and have lots of lovely things to look forward to!

#### Topics we are learning

In the first half of the term our topic is **Wonderful Women in History.** We will be learning about famous women throughout history and the positive impact that they have had on modern society.

After the half term break our topic is **Growing** (**Plants**) where we will learn about a variety of plants, what they need to grow and flourish. We will also be identifying different species in our local surroundings.

We will be outdoors adding to the seeds we planted during Spring term and observing the plants throughout their different stages of gr

#### **Attendance and Punctuality**

Attendance and punctuality has always played a vital role in the progress of children. It is important for all children to attend school every day and to be on time. This will ensure that your child doesn't miss any part of their learning. Phonics begins as soon as the children are registered at 8:50am, so it is especially important that children are on time and do not miss any part of the school day. School starts at 8.40-8.45 and finishes at 3.15pm.

#### **Kilometre Club**

We are currently running a before school Kilometre club from **8.30-8.40** every **Tuesday – Friday**. All children (and parents) are welcome to join Mr Marks on the field to run as many laps around the park as possible! You don't need to register, simply turn up and get involved!

### P.E

P.E will be every **Thursday** and swimming every **Wednesday**. We will be outdoors where possible therefore children will need a full P.E kit suitable for all weathers. Please send your child with a P.E and swimming kit on these days, washed, in a bag and labelled clearly.

<u>Milk Reminder</u> – if you would like your child to have milk at school, please remember to register using the following link <u>www.schoolmilkuk.co.uk</u>.

#### Reading at home and targets

Reading at home will help your child with their progress and learning. Parents are encouraged to read with their child at least **4 times per week** and to sign their diaries. Children who read 4 or more times each week will be entered in for a prize draw at the end of the term.

**Spellings** are given weekly and children are tested every Friday. Year 2 children also receive **homework** every Friday.

New Targets have been set for your child for the Summer Term and these will appear in your child's diary.

Don't forget to check your child's book bag daily for letters and new information.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or queries my door is always open at the end of the day.

**Miss Lawler**