



## Year 2 Newsletter – Summer Term Key Information and Dates

Dear Parents/Carers,

Summer term is always the busiest term for Year 2 and we have so much to look forward to! Please make a note of the following dates in your diaries and keep an eye out for any additional information that might be sent home via email, text, letter or on Tapestry.

### **SATs (Statutory Assessment Tests)**

Towards the end of Key stage 1, our year 2 children will be taking their Key stage 1 SATs. The SATS tests will take place in **May** and will consist of a reading comprehension assessment for English and maths arithmetic and problem-solving assessments in maths. The tests are designed to support and confirm the on-going teacher assessment which happens throughout the year to track your child's progress and achievement. Please do not worry about these assessments. The children are used to having quizzes throughout the year in different areas of their learning and so they will be used to the format of the assessments.

### **School Camp**

We are delighted to be able to offer the opportunity for children to attend our 'Pirate Campout' which will take place **at school** on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July**. We are having a special 'Pirate Day' to finish our 'Land Ahoy!' topic which will consist of lots of fantastic fun and educational experiences. We would then like to offer the opportunity for children to have a 'chippy tea' at school and finish off with a 'camp-out' in our classrooms! On the Saturday we will enjoy a breakfast together and then it will be home time! Please keep an eye out for a separate letter which will have more information and details about this special day.

### **Year 2 Performance – Pirates versus Mermaids**

Our end-of-year performances will take place on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July at 9:30am** and again at **6pm**. Please only attend one performance to ensure we have enough space in the hall. Please look out for a separate costume letter within the next few weeks. If your child has any lines to learn, they will also be sent home with them so that they can practise. We will notify parents on Tapestry also.

### **Year 2 Leavers Assembly**

Our Year 2 children will be having a very special leaving assembly on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 2pm** and we are inviting parents along to this. Please can we kindly ask that only 2 grown-ups attend for each child to ensure we have enough space in the hall.

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## **Transition**

We have organised our transition days with the Junior school to enable children to begin to build a relationship with their new teachers and get to know their new school. Our aim is for children to feel excited about attending their new school in September and for them to be familiar with both the staff and setting.

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June – Mr Gilbey (Head teacher from Robert Miles Juniors) to deliver an assembly at Robert Miles Infants to Year 2 children**

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2 to visit Robert Miles Juniors for a school tour**

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June – Year 3 teachers to visit year 2 children at the Infant school**

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Year 3 teachers to teach children at the Infant school**

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July – Year 2 to visit Robert Miles Juniors to be taught by their new teacher in their new classroom**

## **Additional parent visit date:**

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – Parent ‘open door’ – 9:15am and 1:15pm (children will not attend this visit as they will be in school as usual)**

We hope you find this newsletter useful.

Miss Justice and Miss Holt