



# Weaverham Forest Primary School

## Class Newsletter

### Year 2 Autumn 1

Welcome to year 2! We hope you all had a wonderful Summer break. We are looking forward to starting our new topics.

Please see the full yearly overview on our class page on the website for what is being covered in all of the different subjects.

### English

We will be exploring the book A River by Marc Martin. Our writing outcome is to write a circular narrative. Our grammar learning will cover using -er and -est in adjectives, using -ly to turn adjectives into adverbs and develop understanding of -s and -es. We will also cover subordination, co-ordination, expanded noun phrases, using the correct tense and sentence types. Our punctuation learning will be to use capital letters, full stops, question marks and possessive apostrophes.

### Maths

This half term we will be exploring Numbers to 100 and Addition and Subtraction.



## Science

We will be learning about living things and their habitats. By the end of the unit the children will be able to:

1. Recall some life processes, giving examples of how they apply to plants and animals.
2. Match different plants and animals to their habitats.
3. Give examples of how animals use their habitat for food and shelter.
4. Recall that plants produce their own food for energy.
5. Name living things that are producers and place a producer at the beginning of a food chain.
6. Use arrows to show the order in a food chain.

## Foundation Subjects for this half term:

In History we will be exploring the history of school and education.

In DT will be exploring Mechanisms.

In PHSE we will doing My healthy self: How we can look after our bodies? as well as our No Outsiders learning.

In Computing we will be learning about data handling.

In RE we will be exploring What do Jews believe about God?

In Music we will be exploring Call and response.

In PE we will be doing Underarm and overarm throwing.

## Year 2 Dates for Autumn 1

- Meet the Teacher – Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 3:15pm.
- Macmillan Coffee morning – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September
- School photos – Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September
- Flu Vaccinations – Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October
- School closes for half term – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October