

Welcome to Year 2



During our topic on Magical Materials we visited the Jackfield Tile Museum in Ironbridge. We all designed and decorated a tile and this helped further our understanding of changing materials and how some materials change when they are heated.



Click on the Scientist to play a fun activity to help you learn about changing materials.



During Health Week we experienced lots of new sports and activities to help keep us fit and healthy.



We enjoyed our dance session with Helen Taylor who helped us create a modern dance routine to help keep us fit. It definitely got our hearts beating!



Mrs Willcox taught us how to do Yoga, this helped us learn how to relax and improve our flexibility and well-being.



Remembrance Day



In November, Year 2 learned all about Remembrance Day and we visited the new War Memorial in Bilbrook. We found out why we have Remembrance Day and why people wear poppies.

We have been having lots of fun in Year 2 Drama Club that is being delivered by Mrs Smithson and Mrs Cain.

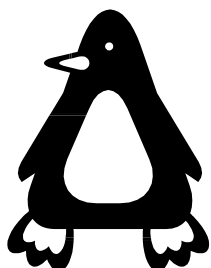


For our class assembly we focused on mathematics and acted out the story 'How Big is a Million?' written by Anna Milborne.

The story helped us understand the concept of big numbers and we enjoyed acting it out.



Click on the penguin below to play a game which will help you learn about the value of 2 and 3 digit numbers. Can you help Dave the Penguin?



Year 2 visited Severn Valley Country Park as we have been learning a lot about the environment and animals in their natural habitat.



The warden Ed explained how the park has been created from an old coal mine. The land has been recycled!



We learned to identify trees by touching them. We had blindfolds on!

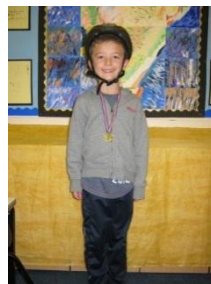
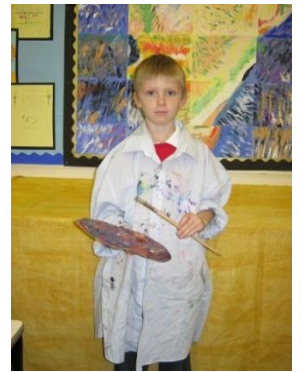
Click on the link to discover how you can help make the world a better place to live in. Everyone can help including you!





As part of our topic on 'Famous People & Events' we enjoyed dressing up as famous people for the day.

Can you guess who we are?



We all thoroughly enjoyed Book Week this year and we celebrated World Book Day by dressing in our pyjamas and thinking about the importance of sleep. It was fun sharing our favourite bedtime stories!



Year 2 also shared their favourite stories with Reception class.



We had a visit from our local librarians, who came to read us some new stories. During Book Week Year 2 focused on dragon stories, we read lots of different books and then wrote our own stories. We used different forms of drama to help inspire our writing.





We really enjoyed Puzzle Challenge Day! We completed lots of hands-on puzzle tasks and played lots of brain training games. We also had lots of fun on World Maths Day, solving lots of puzzles about the story 'Centipede's 100 shoes'.

Click on the link below to see if you can boost your brain age.

[Maths Games](#)

During Arts Week our focus was Greece. We looked at where Greece is and what life is like there. We danced to the Greek song 'Zorbas' and we tasted some delicious Greek food.

We would just like some Greek sunshine now!



Our topic this half term is '**Hooray for Holidays**' and we will be focusing on seaside holidays and Mexico.

Start finding out about Mexico by clicking on the sombrero below:



We are all looking forward to visiting the seaside town of Aberystwyth.

Click on the shell below to find out more about Aberystwyth:



You can also click on the links below to find more games to help boost your brain!

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