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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Class 2, I hope you have all had a lovely half term break.

I have now set up ALL the children in Class 2 with a 'Nessy' user name and will send a separate email about how to access this, for those of you who are unfamiliar with it. It is a great resource to support reading and spelling at home.

Please find attached the planning overview for this half term – we will continue with a range of intervention and catch up for groups of children as needed, within the weekly timetable.

Maths homework and spellings will be sent home for Year 2 children, in a plastic wallet. Year 1 children should continue to do Nessy for homework and will also have weekly spellings sent home to learn. Spellings and homework will be checked on Tuesdays.

Handwriting will continue to be a focus for all children, it will really help if you can support your child with the correct pencil grip and letter formation, when they attempt writing at home.

Reading books will be changed in school twice a week and most children should have three books at any one time. We are very lucky to have some volunteer helpers in school for individual reading, but please continue to support at home, it makes an enormous difference to your child's progress!

If you have any questions or worries, however small, please drop an email or leave a message at the office and I will get back to you ASAP.

Kind regards,

Karen Blythe





