



CONCORDIA ACADEMY

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to another school term.

We would like to inform you about our curriculum plan for the first half term. Year 2 will be learning about '**Street Detectives**' as their topic focus this term.

Subject	Content
Maths	Year 2 will be using the Effective Maths programme to continue our learning into this term. Topics that we will be covering include Statistics, Place Value and Calculations.
English	The children will be following either the RWI or Literacy and Language programme. Your child will be working in a group specific to their reading and writing needs so that they are challenged and taught appropriately and able to make excellent progress. Children will also be learning a different grammar and punctuation focus each week.
PSHCE/SEAL	The topic will be Belonging to a Community . The children will be discussing some of the ways in which we can care for and contribute to our communities.
Topic: Science, Geography and Art.	The children will be learning about Street Detectives . As part of this topic, the children will be learning about the geographical features of the local area as well as some of the changes that have taken place in Romford in their lifetime.
PE	This term's focus will be Send and Return . We will be looking at team games and consolidating core physical development skills. The children will also be having Project Dance lessons run by a professional dance teacher once a week.
RE	We will be learning about Judaism and how and why Hanukkah is celebrated.

Homework:

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Reading	All children in Year 2 are currently reading using the Read, Write, Inc. programme. You can support your child at home further by reading at home with them for at least 20 minutes every day . The reading books





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	<p>will be changed on a weekly basis. When you read with your child please write a comment in their reading record book.</p> <p>Do encourage children to 'Fred talk' (sound out) words as they read. You can also encourage your child to sound out unfamiliar words in non-reading books and signs on display around us.</p> <p><u>Reading book changes</u> Friday</p>
Maths	<p>Please support your child to learn their 2, 5 and 10 times tables, and associated division facts. Using Maths in everyday situations will help your child to learn. Ask them to read the time, how much change they should get when buying small items etc.</p>

For health and safety reasons, it is very important that your child has their PE kit in school. Our main PE lesson will be taught on a **Thursday** but will be supplemented by an additional lesson on another afternoon of the week. As such, PE kits can be kept in school and returned at the end of each half term.

If you have any questions regarding your child's learning, please do not hesitate to ask.

Yours sincerely,

Laura Black

Assistant Headteacher

