

### Our PE this Half Term

PE will be on a Wednesday afternoon. Please make sure your child comes to school in their Nine Acres PE kit on a Wednesday every week and have a water bottle.

### Our Religious Education and World Views this Half Term

The children will learn how Christians celebrate Easter and how emotions can change from sadness to happiness. We will be linking our learning to real life experiences and Bible stories.

### How can you help at home?

**Reading** - Please continue to read with your child 3 times a week and don't forget to make sure it is logged on Go Read. Remember to ask your child lots of questions while they are reading to check their understanding.

**Maths** - To support with our learning of shapes in school please talk to your children about shapes you see around when walking to school and at home. We will then learn about fractions, halves, quarters and thirds. It would be helpful if you can use this language at home.

Your child will come home with their homework each **Friday**, this will be due in the following **Wednesday**. The homework has opportunities to revisit key spellings, Maths skills and writing tasks.

## Dates for your Diary

**Mon 3rd March 2025** - Parents' Evening.

**Wed 5th March 2025** - Parents' Evening.

**Thurs 6th March 2025** - WORLD BOOK DAY.

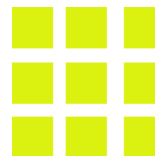
**Thurs 27th March 2025** - Rock Kidz.

**Fri 4th April 2025** - Early closing at 1.00pm

**Mon 7th April - Friday 18th April 2025 - EASTER HOLIDAYS.**

**Mon 21st April 2025** - Bank Holiday.

Balmoral Class will have Forest Schools on Wednesday's this term. Texts have been sent to notify which group your child is in.



# Nine Acres Primary School Spring Term 2 2025

## Year 2 Team

Miss Hayward



Miss Cunningham



Mrs Frampton



Mrs Jervis



Dear Families,

The up and coming half term is going to be extremely busy - but we know the children will take it in their stride. We have forest schools, SATs practise and lots of books to explore with World Book Day fast approaching! We will be working hard to ensure that your children are well prepared and supported through this busy time. This half term's Geography is all about the weather so any conversations at home surrounding this would be helpful.

With thanks,

The Year 2 Team.



Knowledge Organiser  
**'Striving for Excellence'**



# Year 2 Knowledge Organiser - Spring Term 2 2025

## Science

In Science we are continuing our learning about plants and how to care for those in our garden and in the wild. We will be outside identifying our local trees by studying their leaves. We will be looking at some key significant Scientists who impact both the island and the UK.



## History or Geography



- This term we will be studying 'Weather and Climate'.
- We will be learning about weather patterns in and out of the UK and recording our own data about the daily weather changes we see.
- We will be using rain gauges and weather vanes to measure rainfall and wind direction.



## PSHE

This half term in PSHE we are learning all about 'Keeping Safe.' We will be exploring how risky situations can be and making sure that we can all name 5 trusted adults to go to if we feel unsafe.

We will learn how to stay safe online, at home and in our local area. This includes health and safety when cooking and the importance of road safety.

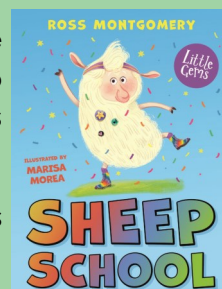


## Our English this half term!

Have you ever known someone who doesn't quite fit in? Maybe someone who has a more unique set of skills?

We'll look no further... this half term we follow the story of William the Sheep and his adventures. The children will have the opportunity to develop their writing skills by creating a range of writing outcomes including a range of narratives.

They will challenge themselves to become an author like Ross Montgomery and write their own Sheep School adventure.



## This term's exciting book!

## Our Maths this half term!

This half term we will tackle time and money – two extremely important skills for life!

They will be learning to identify o'clock, quarter past the hour, half past the hour and quarter to the hour and telling the time to the nearest 5 minutes!

Following on from previous year learning with money we will be extending the children's knowledge of the value of coins and notes.