

Recommended Reads

We read lots of amazing books with the children in LKS2. Our 'recommended reading list' consists of books that we read in **every** class in LKS2. If you are looking for books to read at home with your children, this list is a great place to start.

TITLE	AUTHOR
The Day the Crayons Quit	Drew Daywalt
Amazing Grace	Mary Hoffman
Clean Up!	Nathan Bryon
The Boy at the Back of the Class	Onjali Q. Raúf
Anisha the Accidental Detective	Serena Patel
Planet Omar Accidental Trouble Magnet	Zanib Mian
Look Up!	Nathan Bryon
A Place Called Perfect	Helena Duggan
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Roald Dahl
King for the Day	Rukhsana Khan
Cloud Busting	Malorie Blackman



Lower Key Stage 2 Newsletter

PE or Swimming day

Y4L Monday and Tuesday

Y3M Thursday and Friday

Y3/4GB Wednesday and Friday

Y4D Monday and Friday

Y3TM Wednesday and Friday
(swimming)

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Key Dates

Date	Event
24th February	Children return to school
6th March	World Book Day
19th March (am)	Sports Day at EIS
26th March	Tudor Portrait event
28th March	Last day of term



New Topic - Tudor England - Art

We are very excited to announce that our topic for the second half of the Spring term is Tudor portraits. We are continuing the Tudor theme but this time with an art twist. We will continue the learning the children have started last term. We will look at the clothes that rich and poor Tudors wore before beginning to learn the skills required to sketch their very own Tudor portrait.



English lessons will continue the Tudor theme and the children will learn about the daily lives of Tudors before producing a non chronological report. The children will focus on note taking, reading and summarising in order to complete this task. We have recently updated some of our English documents and we have also attached these to the newsletter, just so you can see what we are working on in LKS2. Both the Art and the English work will be displayed beautifully for you to see at our Art event in the final week of term. Look out for details about this soon!

In **maths** we will be completing our work on fractions (and decimals for the Y4s) before moving on to key skills and investigations. We will then be tackling time so please take any opportunity you can to show children clocks/watches/timers.

PE will focus on preparation for sports day. We are lucky enough to be returning to EIS for sports day again this year so we want them in peak physical shape ahead of this hotly contested event. Following sports day we will move to gymnastics and movement skills. Another brilliant half term ahead!

Home Learning

We hope you are enjoying the practical homework we have sent via parent mail. We hope that these have been enjoyable tasks for your children to complete at home. We will continue to send out **times tables practise in paper format**.

Children who complete all of their homework tasks each week will be rewarded. **The**

children will receive their homework on a Tuesday and it will be due to be completed and handed by the following Tuesday morning.

Please also continue to read as much as possible, the children are making amazing progress with reading and we want to keep it going!

We understand that it is not always possible to achieve this every week, so we always advise people to fit this in with whatever works best in their personal circumstances.

Finally, remember that Edshed is also still available for your child to practise their times tables and spellings.

