



Welcome back to our last half term of Year 2. It honestly has whizzed by, and we are so proud of each and every Woodpecker and Kingfisher for their efforts towards their education this year! We have loads in store this half term, so please stay tuned for the last few weeks of the year.

Drusillas Park

Hopefully, you all received Monday's email regarding our trip to Drusillas Park on Tuesday 4th July. We would greatly appreciate all returns completed by Tuesday 20th June. Thank you so much!



The next two weeks:

- In **English**, we are learning to write non-chronological reports using our knowledge from History about castles.
- In **Maths**, we will finish learning about time before we move onto position and direction.
- In **Science**, we begin our unit on Habitats.
- In **Topic**, we will link with our Science unit and learn about hot and cold places.
- In **P.E.**, we continue to practise our events for Sports Day.
- In **D.T.**, we will take a trip to a local playground to explore the mechanisms used in order for us to create our own miniature playgrounds!
- In **P.S.H.E.**, we begin our final Year 2 jigsaw piece, 'Changing Me'.

PSHE: Changing Me

For our 'Changing Me' unit, we would love to see some pictures that show how people change throughout their lives. Any pictures of family members, from both the present day and the past would be very appreciated by 13th June please.

Spellings

We have practised adding the suffixes '-less' and '-tion' to root words.

There are no rules for these spelling patterns.

KIRFs

Our last KIRF for Year 2 is:
telling the time.

All information for this can be found on the school website. We spend a lot of our time with digital clocks nowadays, so it is extremely beneficial to all children to help them with reading analogue clocks. Thank you for your support!

Sports Day

As you will now be aware, this coming Thursday (15th June) is KS1 Sports Day. Year 2 are very excited to compete, and have been practising (perfecting) their events for some time now!

Sports Day will take place at **Brockham site** from 9.15 - c.11.15am. Parents are more than welcome, as per the letter. Please ensure your child is wearing sun cream, a hat, and has a water bottle for the day, as we will, of course, be outside ALL DAY. We hope you are looking forward to the day, and fingers crossed for the weather!

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Shoe boxes, pipe cleaners, bubble wrap, packaging plastics and anything that fits the above description would be so helpful for our Science lessons by Monday 19th June. Please and thank you!

30 Days Wild

At North Downs we are trying to be more 'Wild' for June by taking part in the 30 Days Wild Challenge. This is sponsored by the Wildlife Trusts and you can find out more information and take part at:
<https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/30-days-wild>
It would be great to see some photos of the children going wild outside of school too!

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs. Tubb, Miss Tennent and Miss Westwood

