



Central Street Infants and Nursery School
Year 2 Class Newsletter
June 2023

Dear Families,

Welcome back to the final half term of the year! This half term we will be learning all about Mary Seacole and how she is a significant figure in history. As always, the learning links with lots of other areas, we found out all there was to know about Jamaica last half term to prepare us for understanding the journey Mary went on to help people across the globe.

Please see the curriculum map for all the exciting learning we have to come this half term.

How can you help?

Reading

It is lovely to see the children develop their reading skills and a love of reading. In Moorland Class everyone needs to be reading at least **3 times a week**. Please ensure that children's books and reading records are coming to school each day, even if they haven't read the night before, so we can check their reading in school and comment in reading record books. Thank you to everyone for your continued support of the children's reading and comprehension, you are helping to make a big difference! If the children have read a book at home, which isn't there reading book, please add this to the reading record as we love to see!

P.E.

This half term we will be learning all about jumping, rolling, and balancing in gymnastics on Friday afternoons and on Monday afternoons, the children will be learning and building skills in Cricket.

Please make sure children have a named P.E. kit in school; a white t shirt, some dark shorts, tracksuit bottoms or leggings, with some pumps or trainers (children can wear trainers on P.E. days if not keeping in school). This kit will stay in school this half term.

Maths

Support your child to practise:

- ✓ Reading the time on a clockface – talking about time and looking at clocks will really support understanding.
- ✓ Know their timetables – 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s. Discussion 'multiply' and 'divide' to prove what they know!
- ✓ Number pairs – Which numbers make 10, 20 and 100.
- ✓ Interacting with money – anything where you can talk about and represent pence and pounds!

White rose maths has a free 1-minute maths app, where children can do daily activities that are great for imbedding all their maths learning in an interactive and engaging way.

As ever, if you need to speak to me for any reason please don't hesitate to ask. Please message me on Class Dojo and I will arrange to speak to you at the end of the school day.

Best wishes,

Ms Hughes.

Dates for your diary

- ✓ **Friday 16th June** – Great News Assembly
- ✓ **Wednesday 28th June** – Sports Day
- ✓ **Friday 30th June** – Great News Assembly
- ✓ **Thursday 6th July** – Meet the year 3 team – 9am and 6pm
- ✓ **Friday 7th July** – Transition morning
- ✓ **Friday 14th July** – Great News Assembly
- ✓ **Thursday 20th July** – Year 2 Leavers Assembly
- ✓ **Friday 21st July** – End of term

