

May Newsletter

Dates for your diary

Monday 5th June - School reopens

Tuesday 6th June - Y2 children playtime at Riverside

Monday 12th June - Phonics Screen this week

Tuesday 13th June - Y2 children playtime at Riverside

Wednesday 14th June - Y2 children assembly at Riverside

Friday 16th June - Great News Assembly

Tuesday 20th June - Y2 children playtime at Riverside

Monday 26th June - Y2 children assembly at Riverside

Tuesday 27th June - Y2 children playtime at Riverside

Wednesday 28th June Sports Day (during the morning followed by a picnic lunch)

Thursday 6th July - Y2 Parents Transition Meeting @ Riverside 9am and 6pm with chance to meet Y3 Team

Friday 7th July - school transition morning. Y2 will stay at Riverside for lunch

Wednesday 12th July - Parent Consultations (drop-in) after school until 5pm

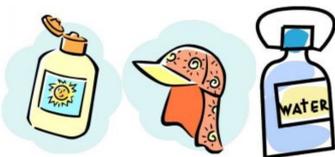
Wednesday 12th July Y2 to Riverside for lunch and the afternoon session

Thursday 13th July - Meet your child's teacher – after school

Thursday 20th July - Y2 leavers Assembly—2pm

Friday 21st July - School Closes for Summer

Sun Safety



As the weather starts to warm up please bring a hat and water bottle to school - sun cream on ready if needed! We cannot apply sun cream to the children but we will help them to apply it themselves.

Woodland Wonders

Tuesday June 6th

- Woodland - am
- Moorland and River - pm

Tuesday June 20th

- Woodland - am
- Moorland and River - pm

Monday 3rd July

- Woodland - ALL DAY

Tuesday 4th July

- Moorland/River - ALL DAY

Leavers Assembly will be on:

Thursday 20th July. Join the Year 2 children as we celebrate their time at Central Street.

The assembly will be at 2pm.

Sports Day - Wednesday 28th June.

Sports Day will be on Calder Holmes Park during the morning. It will be a joint event with Stubbings. After the sports we will stay on the park for a picnic lunch, please stay and join us!

Valley

Valley class have been very busy learning to answer the question 'What might you find in a garden?'. This fortnight we have been focusing on the different Minibeasts that we might find. The children have learnt all about the lifecycle of a butterfly as we observed the marvelous metamorphosis of our own classroom visitors. We were very excited to watch them fly away last week as we released them into the garden. We have also been learning why worms and bees are really important to the flowers and other plants growing in our gardens and how we can help look after them. I wonder which minibeasts you might spot out in a park or garden.



River

River Class have had a very busy last few weeks learning, both continuing with our topic of Transport and revisiting our knowledge of life cycles. We welcomed some caterpillars into class and observed them grown, form chrysalis and then hatch out into butterflies. The children watched closely and carefully as we released them into the garden! Our final book of the half term is called The Journey Home from Grandpa's and the children have enjoyed learning the song through the book and roleplaying the journey in our small word area.



Woodland

Woodland Class have been completing their Geography topic on the UK with a virtual trip to London. We have been learning to program the beebots to travel a route between famous landmarks. The children have had to learn to map out their algorithm on paper before programming the beebot so they can identify any bugs and debug the beebot when things go wrong. We also had fun in our Bikeability sessions, learning to keep our balance and move along by pushing our feet. Children with a bit more experience rode a route and learnt some basic road safety. Several children have gone on to remove the stabilisers from their bikes and learnt to use the pedals - amazingly well done!



Moorland

Spring is here in Moorland Class! We have been learning all about why there is so much green outside. Looking at plants, how they grow, what they need and why are they so important?! We also had some classroom guests in the form of caterpillars! We watched them grow and change and then the time came to release them! We thought carefully about the weather, what they would need for a successful habitat and why pollinators like them are so important! In maths, we are tackling all kinds of measurement from mass in grams and kilograms to capacity and temperature. We are using all different types of equipment to find out how things can be measured and what units we use when talking about them.

