



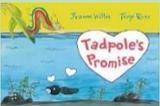
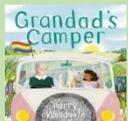
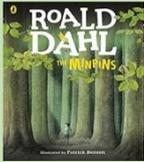
Owl's Class Newsletter

Spring 2



Hello and welcome back! I hope everyone had a wonderful and restful half-term break! It's great to see all the children back, ready for an exciting six weeks ahead, before Easter. As we continue through the spring term, we're looking forward to a fun and busy time as we work towards completing the term together. Let's make the absolute most of every learning opportunity.



		<p>Our topic focus this half term is:</p> <p>Why is our world wonderful?</p> 
<p>Maths</p> <p>Multiplication and Division</p> <p>Length and Height</p> <p>Mass, Capacity & Temperature</p> 	<p>English - There will be a focus on oracy throughout this half term.</p> <p>Tadpole's Promise -</p> <p>Writing Outcomes: Simple explanations, speech bubbles, setting descriptions, thought bubbles</p> <p>Main outcome: Own version narrative / extended explanation</p> <p>Grandad's Camper</p> <p>Writing Outcomes: Labels, memories poems, interviews, photo album captions, 'Wish you were here' postcards</p> <p>Main outcome: Sequel narrative</p>  	
<p>PE - Fitt+Kids - Gymnastics / Dance</p> 	<p>Humanities - Kapow</p> <p>Geography - Why is our world wonderful?</p> 	
<p>DT - Mechanisms - Fairground Wheel</p>  	<p>Science - Life Cycles and Health</p>  	
<p>Computing - Online Safety</p>  <p>PSHE - Rules for PSHE</p> <p>Safety and the changing body (timetabled for Spring 1)</p> <p>Music- Charanga - Recorder</p>  	<p>RE- How do people with similar religion and worldviews share and celebrate their beliefs? (2)</p> <p>Love for Reading</p> <p>Complete Minpins - Roald Dahl</p> <p>Selection of Nursery Rhymes</p> <p>Selection of Poems</p> <p>Shakespeare Texts</p> 	

Exciting Events Leading Up to Easter!

We have lots of fun activities to look forward to as we head towards Easter! Shakespeare Week will be a fantastic opportunity for children to explore the world of plays and storytelling, while World Book Day will be a chance to celebrate our love of reading—don't forget to dress up as a word of your choice! I'm looking forward to immersing ourselves into zillions of exciting learning experiences along the



Timetable

Lessons taught this half term include the core subjects: Maths, English, Phonics and Science. Other curriculum content covered will be Geography, PSHE, DT, Computing, Music and PE (Wednesdays) If you have any books or memorabilia relating to the world then please do feel free to allow your child to bring them in, to share with the rest of the class i.e The Pyramids of Egypt.

Homework and Equipment Reminders

A little reminder about homework: Spellings should be practised regularly, and Numbots is a great way to build confidence in maths. We also encourage weekly quizzes to help consolidate reading skills through AR, so keep up the great reading at home!

For school equipment, please ensure your child has a small bag that can be hung up on their peg. They should bring their reading record in school every day, a coat for chilly weather, and a named water bottle to stay hydrated.

Looking Forward to a Fun Term!

It has been wonderful to be back in school, seeing all the children again and diving into a fun-packed curriculum. We are looking forward to an exciting term filled with learning, creativity, and lots of smiles!

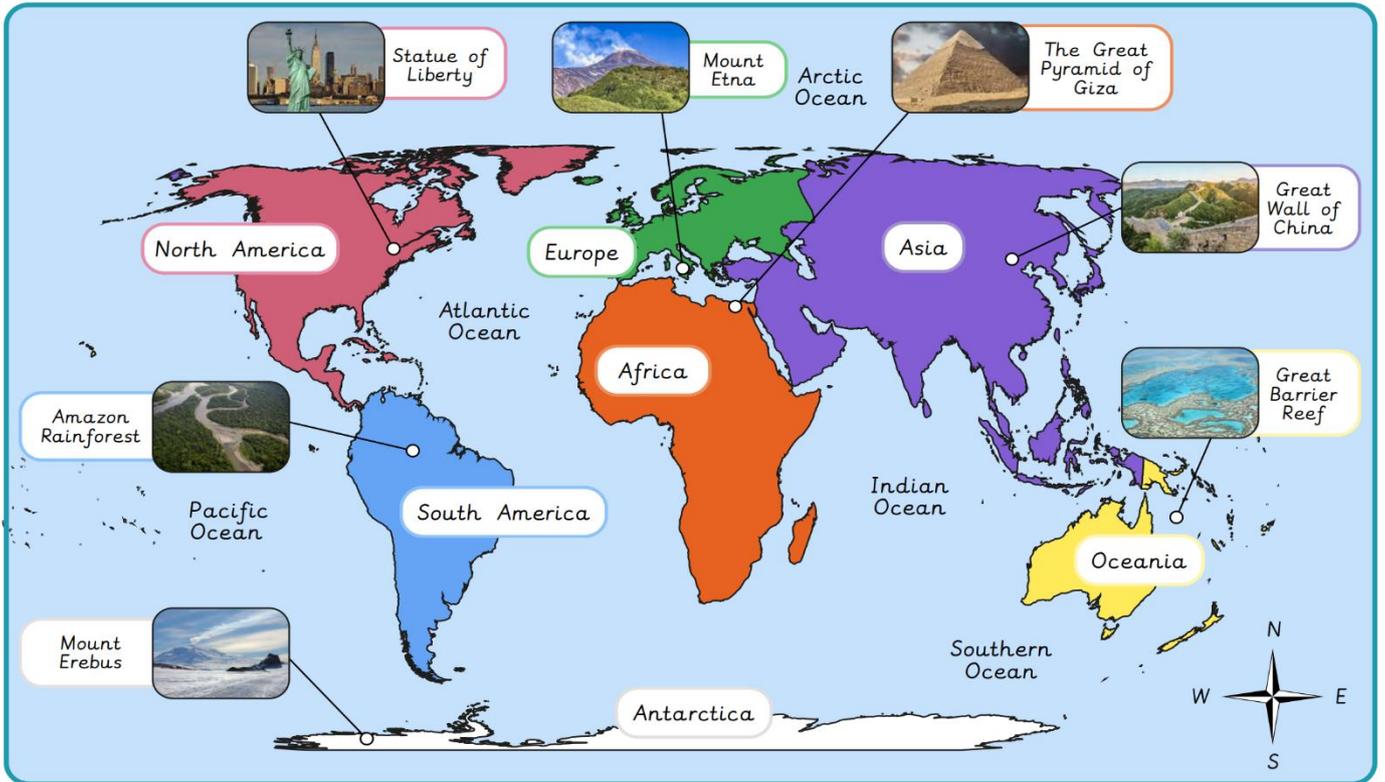
Kindest of kind regards,

Miss Morys

Geography – Knowledge Organiser



Why is our world wonderful?



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Science – Knowledge Organiser



Science - Life cycles and health

Human life cycle

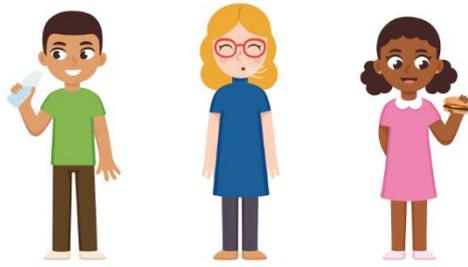


baby toddler child teenager adult

Personal hygiene



Basic needs for survival



water air food

health	How the body feels.
hygiene	Keeping things clean.
life cycle	The stages an animal goes through to become an adult.
offspring	Young animals or plants produced by parents.
survive	To continue to live.

Year 2 Statutory Spellings

New Curriculum Spelling List Year 2

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| door | child | cold | pretty | grass | improve | parents | poor |
| wild | gold | beautiful | pass | sugar | Christmas | find | most |
| hold | after | plant | could | everybody | mind | both | told |
| fast | path | would | even | floor | children | every | last |
| bath | sure | because | climb | great | past | hour | eye |
| kind | only | break | father | move | should | behind | old |
| steak | class | prove | who | whole | many | busy | water |
| half | Mr | any | clothes | people | again | money | Mrs |



Challenge -
Try to collect as many words as you can, by completing AR quizzes.