



# Dover St Mary's Church of England Primary School

Learning for life with God as our guide

## CLASS 2 NEWSLETTER



### Our Christian Values

Peace; Friendship; Respect; Trust; Perseverance



### Term 2 - 2023

*The Otters have had a super term! We have been learning lots of amazing new skills in our lessons.*

*We now know how to add and subtract and how to write poems and fact files.*

*We have been designing bug hotels in our Science lessons, thinking about what materials would be the most suitable and we have learnt lots of information about our local area. We have built chairs for Baby Bear in our DT lessons, thinking about how to make our chairs stable and comfortable.*

*Miss Sayer and Miss Wrench are so proud of the progress we have made this term. We have tried our best in all tasks and have produced some amazing work.*

*We are looking forward to another term in the Otters' Class!*

*As always, please see our class 'Termly Curriculum Overview' to see what your child will be learning about.*



### Homework

Homework is set weekly and is focused on our maths and English learning.

Homework is sent home on a Friday and should be completed and returned to school by Wednesday the following week. Homework will be checked and stamped in school. If children are regularly completing their homework to a high standard to go above and beyond with a piece of homework, they may receive a Homework Certificate to celebrate their hard work!

### P.E.

In PE this term, the children in Class have been learning Gymnastics.

They have been learning new skills including different stretches, roles and positions such as pike, disc and tuck.

Next term, the children will be learning Ball Skills and Dance.

Children are expected to have their PE kit in school for every PE lesson each Wednesday & Thursday. PE kit must consist of a white or house coloured t-shirt, black or blue leggings/tracksuit bottoms/shorts and trainers or plimsols.

It is important that the children have the correct PE kit so they are able to take part in PE lessons safely and effectively.



### Reading

Classes R, 1 and 2

The children bring home books each week, to read at home.

Books will go home every Friday and need to be returned with the purple reading record every **Wednesday**. Please read with your child daily to help your child practise their reading skills. Please record this in the purple book every time you read at home.

The children should be reading for 5 – 10 minutes every day to ensure they are getting the practice they need to develop their reading skills further.



### Contact

Please feel free to contact by email - I will always endeavour to reply as soon as possible.

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## Super Learning in Class 2!



Thank you for your continued support.  
**MISS SAYER**