

## Welcome to Lime Class 2017-2018

**Class teachers: Mrs J Wells and Miss D Todd**  
**Teaching Assistants : Mrs H Lawson**

Welcome to Lime Class, we are looking forward to working with you and your child this year. Mrs Wells will be teaching the class every day except Thursday when Miss Todd will be in.

### Items needed in school EACH day

Reading book

Water bottle

Home Learning Diary

P.E Kit, **named** (navy/black shorts, red/white t-shirt, plimsolls, trainers and tracksuit for outdoor games lessons)

### Home Learning

Home Learning is set as follows:

**Reading** - Daily reading to an adult (please sign your child's diary and add a comment if you wish).

**Literacy**- Children will be given spellings and an activity on a **Friday** each week, this is due back the next **Wednesday** when they will be tested on their spellings. This work will be kept in a book.

**WOW writing** – this is an extended piece of writing which should be completed over **two weeks** with the support of parents. This will be introduced gradually to Year2 pupils.

**Big Talk** – Once a fortnight in preparation for a writing task.

**Numeracy**- Each child will have a Numeracy Home Learning folder. Work will be set on a **Wednesday** and should be handed in on a **Friday**. Each child will also have a 'Maths facts' book which should come home weekly so new words and tables can be learnt. (This book needs to be kept in book bags so new vocabulary and tables can be added as appropriate.)

**Home Learning** in other subjects (for example History/ Science/Geography) may be set depending on the topic. This may take the form of research, or completing work set in class. Don't forget there is always Purple Mash and Athletics activities that can be done at home.

(Check with the office for log in details if your child does not have them in their record book.)

### PE/Games

Games lesson will take place on **Thursdays**. Children are asked to have their full kit in school all week in case of timetable changes. We ask that all kits are taken home every **Friday** for washing and returned each **Monday**. This helps to keep on top of lost property and the cloakroom areas can be thoroughly cleaned.

### Swimming

From September until February, the **Year 3's** will be going to Grange Paddocks for swimming lessons every **Wednesday**. The Year 2's will be working with Mrs Wells and Mrs Stockley during this time.

We realise that the transition from one class to another can be quite daunting for some children, as there are new routines to learn. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us, as we are looking forward to working in partnership with you to achieve the best for your child.

### Parent Helpers

If you are available to help hear readers, either during Guided Reading which is 9.15am-9.35am daily (except Wednesday and Thursday) or one afternoon please let us know.

And finally, if you would be interested in being the Lime Class Parent Councillor this year, please return the slip below to Mrs Wells by **Friday 15th September**.

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**I would be interested in being the Parent Councillor for Lime Class.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

