



## **Summer 1**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please check the website for a recap of our fantastic learning from spring 2.

We have lots of exciting plans for the next half-term and here is an outline of what the children will be learning about in Summer 1.

### **English**

Next half term we will be covering the book 'Flotsam' by David Weisner and 'The Rainbow Fish' by Marcus Pfister. We shall cover a range of writing including diary entries, letters and poetry.

### **Maths**

In Maths, we will start by learning about money. We are going to learn the values of notes and coins and how to combine them. This can be a great skill to practise at home or out on shopping trips. At the end of the unit, we learn to find change from a pound so children will need to be secure with both addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers. After money, we will move on to fractions. In this topic, we learn to find a half, quarter, three quarters and a third of shapes and numbers.

### **Topic**

Our Geography topic next half term is the Seaside! We will be learning about coastal features and the countries of the UK. We will also be doing a lot of work looking at and comparing maps.

### **Science**

We will be learning all about plants and what conditions they need to grow. We will name and label the parts of a plant and look at different types of plants.

### **PE**

P.E. days remain unchanged from last half term. On days that they have P.E. children should wear their P.E. kit to school. In addition to our P.E. slots, we also have two hours a week in the Nature Garden (Monday and Friday) so please ensure that children are wearing comfortable, weather appropriate clothes each day.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes, The Year 2 Team